The North Burns Cemetery Association

May 1, 2018

Dear Association Members:

The 2018 North Burns Cemetery Association meeting will be held 1:30pm Saturday, May 19, 2018 at the Burns Flat Church of Christ, ½ mile South of Burns Flat.

The 2017 annual meeting of the North Burns Cemetery Association was held on May 20, 2017 at 1:30 pm at the Burns Flat Church of Christ, ½ mile South of Burns Flat.

New chain-link perimeter fencing was installed in September 2017 after approval by the members at the annual meeting. Also a directory was installed with name and location for all buried in the cemetery as well as a separate listing of all veterans and their location. The veterans listed were all identified at the time of installation. If you know of others who are not listed, please inform one of the board members, or email the address below. A list can be viewed on the Cemetery website. http://www.cottonboll.com/north_burns_cemetery/North_Burns_Master_List_Veterans.pdf

The board members contracted with <u>Nicholson Monument Company</u> of Clinton to straighten and add improved soil under the base for twelve headstones for \$75 each. These headstones were in danger of falling over. If your family members gravesite was affected, we would like to request a donation to the cemetery to cover the costs and help with the rising perpetual maintenance costs.

The cemetery has been running a deficit for the last few years. With low interest rates, reserve funds are not generating enough income combined with contributions to meet operating expenses. Contributions can be mailed to the address above.

We appreciate your support and hope you are able to attend the May 19th meeting.

Sincerely,

Terry L. Shinn

Secretary

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