The Town of Becket seeks a Becket resident to fill the unexpired term of a Cemetery Commissioner

through May 17. 2025.

Interested parties are asked to see Town Clerk Robin Mathiesen to obtain nomination papers for this elected position. Nomination papers must be submitted to the Town Clerk by April 1, 2024.

Cemetery Commissioners Dean Williams (telephone 413 623-8934, 413 564-1592) and Michelle Smith (telephone 413 358-1853) are available to answer questions about the Cemetery Commission.

Cemetery Commissioner Position Description

The Cemetery Commission controls all business matters pertaining to operating and overseeing the care of the Town's cemeteries. Responsibilities include:

- Oversees the care and expenditure of perpetual care funds. Selling burial plots
- Coordinating burials
- Maintaining the records of the cemeteries, including maps and deeds.
- Completing Deed of Right to Burial for each lot owner
- Proposing and, with Town approval, establishing new rules or regulations for use of the cemeteries.
- Maintaining grounds
- Overseeing burial services Must be available or make arrangements with the other cemetery commissioners.