STATE OF WISCONSIN Town of St. Germain, Vilas County

Resolution SG20-01-1 Town Cemetery Ownership Transfer

WHEREAS The St. Germain Cemetery Association Board of Trustees voted unanimously on January 7, 2020 to transfer ownership of cemetery lands and all assets and records of the Association to the Town of St. Germain prior to May 1, 2020 to enable an orderly transition of cemetery operations to the Town; and

WHEREAS Wisconsin statute 157.064(5) states: "Whenever a cemetery association votes to convey cemetery property and all trust funds pertaining to the cemetery property to a city, village or town, the trustees of the association shall have the power to transfer the property upon the acceptance of the transfer by resolution of the governing body of the city, village or town."

WHEREAS Wisconsin statute 157.50(1) states: "Municipalities may acquire by gift, purchase or condemnation land for cemeteries within or without their boundaries. In the case of towns acquisition and price must be authorized by the town meeting".

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Town Board hereby accepts transfer of ownership of all cemetery lands and assets from the St. Germain Cemetery Association, effective May 1, 2020 and pending approval of town electors at the April 21, 2020 annual town meeting.

Attest

Adopted this 22nd day of January 2020

Tom Christensen, Town Chairman

Tom Martens, Town Clerk