

**Parks and Cemetery Committee**  
**January 23, 2017**  
**5:30 PM – 7:42 PM**

Present:

David Brown, Rosetta York, Mark Bolander, Brad Benefiel, Eric L. Wells (mowing contractor), Natalie Hopson & Ryan Millsap (Chamber), Diane Scott & Donna Coad (ERTC), Robert Reisner, Melissa Brooks, Eric Blake

The Riverwalk project was discussed first with the Mayor bringing the Chamber and tourism attendees up-to-date on the upcoming project.

Welcome to Newton signs were discussed. Size, cost and designs were discussed. Committee will meet again to refine the project.

Donna Coad with the tourism council presented some ideas for improving and expanding the disc golf at Peterson Park.

Eric Wells addressed the committee about his interest in providing mowing service to the City of Newton.

Weston Lawn Service, that currently mows city property, addressed the committee about continuing their service.

Meeting adjourned at 7:42 PM.

**David Brown, Chairman**