

Cemetery Planting Budget for Fall 2009

The Greening of Rhinebeck grant from the Urban and Community Forestry Council of NY State has granted the Village and Town of Rhinebeck \$20,000 to be carried out over 2 years(2009 and 2010) , 4 planting seasons.

The portion of this grant devoted to planting trees in the Town Cemetery will take place in the Fall of 2009. One fourth of the total grant ,this gives us \$5000 from the State, to which the Town must match \$5000. The state portion of this grant will pay for the trees and their delivery. The Town match will come mostly from in-kind services: volunteer hours for ordering and organizing volunteers, the volunteers' labor to plant, highway dept hours to dig holes and water trees after planting and * cash outlays for Village mulch , stakes, ties , and Gator Bags. Value -\$5000.

In addition, Steve Mensche has generously offered to donate \$1000.00 towards the project which will help us transplant one or two Spruces from the road to interior spaces to screen the large mausoleum and for removing trees along Mill Rd to allow for the planting of the line of Sugar Maples.

32 Trees to be planted:

Along Mill Rd.

24 Sugar Maples (bareroot) @ \$150 \$3600

Within lots 1 and 2

1 Cladrastus lutea(Yellowwood) bareroot or potted 170

1 Liriodendron tulipifera (Tulip Tree) bareroot or potted 150

1 Metasequoia potted 150

2 Quercus coccinea(Scarlet Oak) bareroot or planted @150 300

3 Syringa reticulata (Tree Lilac) bareroot @ 160 480

Total cost for trees \$5000

*Costs for stakes. Gator Bags , mulch and ties 400
(except for the mulch , all these items could be reused for
future plantings.) *Cash*