

Swan Lake Memorial Gardens
5700 E US Hwy 20
Michigan City, IN 46360



Greenwood Cemetery
153 Tilden Ave
Michigan City, IN 46360

March 12, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Michigan City was called to order by President Davis Bush on March 12, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. at Swan Lake Memorial Gardens, 5700 E. Hwy 20, Michigan City, Indiana.

The following members responded to roll call:

Davis Bush	Vera Gaston-absent
Bernadette Dimke	Cat Houchins
Renee Bauer	open
Stephen Janus-absent	Superintendent Loniewski

Minutes of February 12, 2026-as received in person. Upon a motion to approve by Renee Bauer. Secon by Cat Houchins. Motion carried.

Horizon Bank Financial Report-Cemetery Financial Report for February 2026

Upon a motion to approve by Cat Houchins. Second by Bernadette Dimke. All Board Members are present approved. Motion carried.

Bills were presented for payment- accepted upon motion by Bernadette Dimke. Second by Cat Houchins. All Board Members are present approved. Approval was given for payment.

Superintendent Report:

- **Swan deaths**
Superintendent Loniewski informed the Board that both swans have passed away. The swans have had daily care and monitoring throughout the winter months and even on weekend days. Superintendent Loniewski has inquired about a new pair of swans in the fall.
- **Emergency furnace repair**
One of the furnaces at the Greenwood Cemetery maintenance facility went out. The furnace has been replaced, and all work has been completed within the Cemetery Department.
- **New signage update**
The Community Activation Grant has been completed. Superintendent Loniewski showed pictures of Greenwood Cemetery and Swan Lake Memorial Gardens new signage. All Signs have treated wood, and all the posts will be painted in the spring. CemSites QR codes have been added to signs for burial location inquiries.

Burials

Greenwood	4 cremains	5 full burials	0 entombment	total 9
Swan Lake	0 cremains	3 full burials	0 entombment	<u>total 3</u>

A motion to accept the Superintendent report by Cat Houchins. Second by Bernadette Dimke. Motion carried.

Old Business

None

New Business

Michigan City Cemetery Department Spring clean-up is Monday, March 16, 2026, through Friday, March 20, 2026, at Greenwood Cemetery and Swan Lake Memorial Gardens.


Public Comment

None


A motion to adjourn the meeting at 3:44 pm by Cat Houchins. Second by Bernadette Dimke. Motion carried. Next meeting will be held at Swan Lake Memorial Garden's Office Complex on April 9, 2026, at 3:00pm.

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Davis Bush-President

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Bernadette Dimke-Secretary

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Denice Osos-Recorder