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PRESS RELEASE

War Graves at Sleaford Cemetery

There are 21 graves in Sleaford Cemetery with the interred remains of 20 men and one woman. Four were casualties from the First World War and 17 from the Second World War.

Town Council staff look after the areas around the graves with the Commonwealth War Graves Commission (CWGC) being responsible for the headstones/memorials.

Following a recent request from the CWGC, it has been agreed that any plants in the borders will now be removed and the graves will be turfed/or seeded over up to the headstones.

This will bring the presentation of these graves in line with the other scattered headstone sites around the UK.

Contractors will be carrying out the work on behalf of the CWGC in the near future.

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