



## CITY OF WAUKESHA

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<b>Committee:</b> Cemetery Commission	<b>Date:</b> 9/13/2021
<b>Common Council Item Number:</b> ID#	<b>Date:</b>
<b>Submitted By:</b> Vicky Lewis	<b>City Administrator Approval:</b>
<b>Finance Department Review:</b>	<b>City Attorney's Office Review:</b>
<b>Subject:</b> Discuss and review plans to protect prairie foliage (pale purple cone flowers).	

### Details:

Richard Batz, a member of the Prairie Enthusiasts volunteers to care for the natural prairie at cemetery, voiced concerns about the pale purple cone flower seeds being taken. He believes they are being harvested by an outside party and then being sold for a personal profit. The pale purple cone flower is a threatened species in Wisconsin and the seeds are worth thousands of dollars. This has been happening for the past few years and would like to bring to the City's attention for action.

### Options & Alternatives:

### Financial Remarks:

### Executive Recommendation:

