

TOWN OF WOLF RIVER CEMETERY

RULES AND REGULATIONS

DECORATIONS AND PLANTS

1. The placing of boxes, shells, toys, metal designs, ornaments, chairs, settees, vases, and similar articles, upon lots will not be permitted. Town reserves the right to remove them.
2. Artificial flowers and plants may be placed on the monument or pad only.
3. No flowers, trees, shrubs, or decorative plants may be planted near markers and monuments. They may be placed on the monument or marker.
4. The Town shall have authority to remove all floral designs, flowers, weeds, trees, shrubs, plants, or herbage of any kind from the cemetery as soon as in the judgment of the management, they become unsightly, dangerous, detrimental, or diseased, or when they do not conform to the standard maintained.
5. The Town shall not be liable for floral pieces, baskets, or frames in which, or to which, such floral pieces are attached, beyond the acceptance of such floral pieces for cemetery services held in the cemetery.
6. The Town shall not be responsible for frozen plants, or herbage of any kind or for damage by the elements, thieves, vandals, or by other causes beyond its control.

INTERMENT

1. To maintain a high standard of care and prevent sunken graves caused by collapsing wooden boxes, all burials must use an outside container made of natural stone, metal, or reinforced concrete. Each container must be constructed and installed to meet management specifications. Outside containers may be purchased from any source, provided they meet these requirements.
2. Disinterment and removals are made subject to the orders and laws of the property constituted by public authorities.
3. The Town Board will not be responsible for any order given by telephone or for any mistake occurring from the want of precise and proper instructions as to the particular lot, size of grave and location in a plot where interment is desired.
4. The Town reserves, and shall have, the right to correct any errors that may be made by either in making interments, disinterment or removals, or in the description, transfer or conveyance and substituting any conveying in lieu thereof other interment property of equal value and similar location, or as may be selected by the Town, or at the sole discretion of the Town, by refunding the amount of money paid on account of said purchase. In the event such error shall involve the interment of the remains of any person on such property, the Town reserves and shall have the right to remove or transfer such remains so interred to such other property of equal value and similar location as may be substituted and conveyed in lieu thereof. State Stat. (157.112)
5. Each lot contains four burial sites for full caskets and in some cases cremation urns may be buried on top of the casket. (State Statute 157.113) No person may deposit any cremated human remains in a cemetery, including in the casket of another person, without the permission of the cemetery authority.

CARE OF LOTS

1. The Town is responsible for general cemetery care, including mowing the grass at reasonable intervals, cleaning the grounds, and pruning shrubs and trees it has planted.
2. The general care assumed by the Town shall in no case mean the maintenance, repair or replacement of any memorial, tomb, or mausoleum placed or erected upon lots, or any special or unusual work in the cemetery, including work caused by the impoverishment of the soil; nor does it mean the reconstruction of any marble or granite work on any section of the lot, or any portion or portions thereof in the cemetery, caused by the elements, an act of God, common enemy, thieves, vandals, strikers, malicious mischief, explosions, unavoidable accidents, invasions, insurrections, riots, or by the order of any military or civil authority, whether the damage be direct or collateral other than as herein provided.
3. The Town will take all reasonable precautions to protect lot holders and the property rights of lot holders within the cemetery from loss or damage, but the Town disclaims all responsibility for loss or damage from causes beyond its reasonable control and from damage caused by the elements, as a act of God, vandals, malicious mischief makers.
4. The Town reserves the right to enlarge, reduce, replat, or otherwise change the cemetery's boundaries or grading of the cemetery, or section or sections, including the right to modify or change the location or remove, or regrade roads, drives or walks or any part thereof is hereby reserved. The Town retains, for itself and all others lawfully entitled, a permanent right of access to and from other lots.

MOTOR VEHICLES

1. Motor vehicles must be kept under complete control. No one shall drive cars or other vehicles at excessive speeds in the cemetery.
2. No person may drive a car or other vehicle across any grave, lot, or lawn.
3. Parking or leaving any car or vehicle on any roadway within the cemetery at such location or in such position as to prevent any other car or vehicle from passing is prohibited.

LOTS AND LOT HOLDERS

1. Persons desiring to purchase lots shall call the Sexton. The Sexton will aid them in selecting and will issue a memorandum describing the lot purchased.
2. Description of lots will be in accordance with the cemetery plats.
 "Insofar as practicable," burials will be provided in all seasons. Considerations will be taken concerning frost depth, temperature, snow, and location of lot. Authority may charge a reasonable fee to recover the costs related to providing for burial during difficult weather conditions. (State Statute 157.114).

Lot size (10 feet x 20 feet) Contains four burial sites. \$1200.00

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