

CEMETERY POLICY NO. 108
CEMETERY RULES AND REGULATIONS

PLANTS & FLOWERS:

1. Artificial flowers and artificial plants shall be permitted on any cemetery lot from one week prior to and three weeks after Memorial Day and then must be removed. Any left by June 20th, will be removed by the City Maintenance operator.
2. Live plants, except for trees and shrubs, may be planted next to the headstone in line with other headstones or proposed headstone location and may be left there. Live plants may also be planted in containers mounted on the headstone or in containers which stand on a single metal pedestal designed for cemetery use. Artificial plants and flowers that are placed in this manner may also be left in place, unless they become worn and faded.
3. Trees and shrubs are not permitted.
4. No metal, brick, wire, wood, cement, rock or plastic borders are permitted around lots, flowers or shrubs.
5. Decoration or objects anchored to the ground with wire are not permitted.

HEADSTONES, MARKERS AND MONUMENTS:

1. Only one (1) headstone per family plot. Base of headstone is not to exceed five (5) feet in length and fourteen (14) inches in width. Overall height, base included, not to exceed thirty-six (36) inches, except by approval of the Grey Eagle City Council.
2. Headstone on a single grave is not to exceed two (2) feet, ten (10) inches (36 inches) in length, fourteen (14) inches in width. Overall height, base included, not to exceed thirty-six (36) inches, except by approval of the Grey Eagle City Council.
3. Foot markers are to be flat and set at grass level for ease in maintenance and to preclude equipment damage.
4. Individuals are allowed to install headstone, monuments and markers on their own plot, providing they meet the property specifications, as provided by this cemetery policy.
5. Monuments and markers made of materials, other than granite and military issued markers, must be approved by the Grey Eagle City Council.

LOTS:

1. Cemetery sites will be sold in numeric order, to the extent possible.
2. Blocks No. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 4B contain sites which have five (5) lots per plot and each individual lot, within these plots measure four feet by twelve feet. The

entire plots measures twenty feet by twelve feet. All sites in Blocks No. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 4B are filled.

Blocks No. 5 and 6 contain double lots. Each double lot measures eight feet by twelve feet and contains two (2) burial sites.

3. Purchase price of a plot in Blocks No. 5 and 6 containing two burial sites are:

For a City resident: \$ 300.00

For persons outside of corporate City limits: \$1,200.00

Cremation interment charge is \$100.00, if on a lot which already contains a regular interment, and the lot is not owned by the individual being interred.

GENERAL:

1. No more than two (2) cremation interments are allowed per burial lot. If a burial lot already contains a regular interment, up to two cremation interments are allowed on the same lot.
2. The City is not responsible for and assumes no liability for damage to grave sites, monuments, or markers caused by theft, malicious mischief, vandalism or acts of nature. Deeded lots are considered as deeded real estate and are the property of the party to whom the deed is issued.
3. The City will not assume any liability for any damage to any existing trees, shrubbery, flower baskets, vigil lamps or urns that interfere with digging, mowing, or maintenance operations.
4. All regular interment burials are required to use a concrete vault as an exterior receptacle for the casket.
5. The City reserves the right to enter upon any lot or grave site to prohibit, modify, or remove and dispose on any structure or object which may have been placed there that does not conform to the rules and regulations of the cemetery policy.
6. The City Council reserves the right to change these rules or to make such other rules, as they deem necessary, by resolution duly adopted, for the operation of the cemetery. No prior notice of such intended changes shall be required.
7. No perpetual care is available.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grey Eagle on this 11th day of June, 1996.

Marvin Hinnenkamp, Mayor

Marilla V. Muellner, City Clerk/Treasurer/Administrator