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CEMETERY RULES AND REGULATIONS

Office Hours

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Visitation Hours

Sunrise – Sunset

Visitation is prohibited after sunset

General Rules

The following information is provided to address many of the common questions posed by families and visitors of our cemetery.

Funeral Flowers

Funeral flowers placed on graves following an interment will be left for a minimum of 3 days and then will be discarded.

Temporary Grave Markers

Temporary markers are not permitted.

Grave Decorations

Fresh cut flowers and artificial floral arrangements are permitted only in cemetery approved vases or saddles.

Metal: Stands, boxes, easels, pots, cans, Shepherd hooks and rods are not permitted.

Benches: Concrete, metal & wood benches are not permitted. All memorials must be granite and installed by qualified memorial dealers.

Candles: Only cemetery approved candle holders are permitted.

Solar Lights are permitted between November 1st through March 14th

Vases: Only cemetery approved vases are permitted. Aluminum, Granite, or bronze.

Glass containers, lawn ornaments, breakable items and valuable personal memorabilia are not permitted.

No wood items are permitted.

No item may be placed directly on or inserted into the ground in front of or beside any memorial from the months of March 15th through October 31st

Landscaping

Individual planting of trees, bushes, flowers, or evergreens is not permitted. The outlining of graves or part of grave by digging trenches or the use of rocks or other material is not permitted. No borders or fencing is permitted.

Holiday Decorations

All holiday decorations must be removed within 30 days after the holiday. This includes all holidays. Holiday decorations include flowers, saddle arrangements, wreaths, and any other items on the monuments or in vases representing that holiday.

Reverence and Respect

Most rules are necessary for you and your guest's personal safety. Please always use proper behavior. Respect others for they have come to visit their loves ones.

We encourage the placement of decorations. We will be as careful as possible with our normal interment and maintenance activities. We regret that we cannot guarantee that all decorations will be free from damage, or loss and we cannot accept responsibility for these occurrences. Any item in violation of these rules and regulations will be removed and disposed of by cemetery field staff. The cemetery accepts no responsibility or liability for any items placed at the site which are removed, missing, or stolen.

Driving and Parking in the Cemetery

Please drive your motor vehicle at a safe and slow speed. Please do not drive or park in the grass. You may park alongside the road in the cemetery, but please no more than 5 feet off of the road. Do not park in front of an open interment site unless you are part of the funeral procession. Do not leave your car keys, pocketbooks, or any valuables in your car. The Cemetery will assume no responsibility.

Spring and Fall Cemetery Major Clean Up

During March 15-31 and October 15-31, we will be cleaning up the grounds and preparing the cemetery for the spring and winter. All decorations will be removed and disposed of at this time. If you wish to save your tributes or decorations, please remove them before March 15 and before October 15.

**Rules and Regulations are subject to change any time without any prior notice given.