

## **FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS AND LANDSCAPING**

Cut flowers, including artificial flowers or fraternal emblems are permitted, provided that the flower container or emblem is adjacent to the base and marker.

Any stand, holder, vase, or other receptacle for flowers or plants which is deemed to be unsuitable for such purpose or is unsightly in appearance or is not physically attached to the monument or base will be removed.

Any funeral design or floral piece which had become wilted or any other article or thing which is unsightly will also be removed.

Annually, the Municipality will remove from any grave any floral piece or any other article or thing which has become unsightly.

No trees or shrubs are to be planted in the Cemetery and no trees or shrubs growing will be moved, destroyed, pruned or otherwise interfered with, except by employees of the Municipality, under the direction of the CAO.

No perennials or annual flowers are allowed to be planted on a grave.

All material brought into the Cemetery to be used in improving lots shall be transported and deposited in the Cemetery in such a manner outlined by the Municipality; and all earth, stone and rubbish accumulated in improving any lot must be removed and deposited under the Municipality's direction by the owners at their expense.

The grading and sodding of all lots will be under the control of the Municipality.



# Municipality of Harrison Park Onanole Cemetery Rules and Regulations

Further Information can be obtained by contacting:

The Municipality of Harrison Park

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As found in the Rural Municipality of Park By-Law 1324

Being a By-Law of the Municipality of Harrison Park to establish and provide for the regulation, maintenance, care and operation of the Onanole Cemetery.

## **INTERNMENTS**

All lots will be sold in a sequential order, determined by the CAO.

Graves will be dug and interments made only by people authorized by the municipality and will follow the Provincial and Federal legislations.

Opening and closing of graves is not the responsibility of the Municipality and all costs for opening and closing the grave will be the responsibility of those in charge of arrangements for the deceased.

The Municipality must be given 48 hours notice prior to interment, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays.

Please make sure that the Municipality of Harrison Park is provided with copies of any documents provided to you by the Funeral Home, such as a Death Certificate and Certificate of Cremation, as these are necessary for the purpose of record keeping.

Prior to any excavation in the Cemetery, the CAO will arrange for the proper lot to be staked.

Internments shall be conducted between 8:30am and 5:00pm daily, except Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, for which special arrangements will be required.

## **BURIALS**

Every grave must be a minimum of six feet in depth from grade.

Grave stacking (two bodies buried in one lot) is not allowed.

Cremated remains must be a minimum of three feet below grade.

Any lot will have no more than two interments with the following restrictions:

- a) One body and one cremated remains; or
- b) Two cremated remains; or
- c) In the case of children under two years of age, a burial may be made above another body.

## **MONUMENT REGULATIONS**

All monuments, headstones, landmarks, grave coverings or any other work done by a monument company, funeral home, or any other business or organization requires approval from the CAO.

All monuments, headstones, and landmarks must be mounted on a concrete foundation.

All foundations require a minimum projection of three inches, horizontally, on all sides of the monument, headstone, or other object at ground level, and must be at the same level as the ground. Foundations shall be made of precast materials, such as sidewalk blocks or landscaping bricks

The Municipality is not responsible for any maintenance to the foundation, including damage caused from natural ground settlement or costs incurred as a result of vandalism to monuments located at the Cemetery.

Borders, fences, railings, trellises, coping, hedges, iron posts, grave covers or curbs, or any ornamental material are not permitted.

Headstones must be confined within the boundaries of the respective lots and wherever possible, placed in a manner that maintains proper alignment.

Only one headstone or monument allowed on a single lot, and only one double headstone or monument on a double lot (side by side lots) regardless of the number of burials in a lot.

Monuments, plaques, headstones, or any other type of landmark must be exclusively for memorializing deceased person in the Cemetery. Any message which advertises a business, is condoning a specific act, or is in any way inconsistent with the purpose of memorializing a deceased person or persons will not be allowed in the Cemetery.

A permanent grave marker (headstone, monument, etc.) must be installed within two (2) years of an interment. After this point, the Municipality will install a standard grave marker at the cost of the lot owner.