



Stonington
Cemetery

Dear Plot Purchaser or Prospective Purchaser,

We thank you for your interest in Stonington Cemetery and for considering us as a final resting place for yourself or a loved one.

This packet is intended to provide you with a record of your discussion today. It includes some general information about burial areas, a price list, and the agreements you will be asked to sign to purchase a plot and to arrange for a burial.

If you are purchasing a plot, you can expect to receive your deed within two weeks of the transaction. We hope that you will contact us quickly with any questions or concerns about a pending or recent purchase.

The Stonington Cemetery Association has been an active public and non-sectarian cemetery since 1849. In 2018, the grounds were added to the National Register of Historic Places. We are proud of our place in Stonington's history and of our service to those who are buried here.

Respectfully,

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STONINGTON CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Plot Owners' Guidelines – June 2020

IN EVERGREEN AND WALDRON AREAS:

- Statuary, permanent planters, benches, or other permanent decorations and masonry borders are not allowed. We are seeking to maintain a natural and open appearance in these areas.

AND IN ALL AREAS:

- No shrubs or woody perennial plantings are allowed. Spring bulbs, and herbaceous perennial plantings are permitted.
- Seasonal temporary floral displays are welcome. Please remove all pots – ceramic, stone, or plastic - at the end of the growing season. If you wish to replace summer arrangements with winter cemetery baskets or wreaths, please remove those decorations at the end of the season.
- Flags will be placed on the graves of veterans of US and foreign veterans before Memorial Day and removed after Veterans Day in accordance with published flag etiquette guidelines.

HEADSTONE & PLOT & INTERMENT INFORMATION:

Plots are 10' x 4' and can hold one full burial plus two burials of cremated remains or three burials of cremated remains.

Our interment charges include:

- 1) Opening the grave
- 2) Lowering of casket or urn (if one requests) into the grave, turf replacement, re-seeding, and removal of burial arrangements.
- 3) Permanent recording of documents at Stonington Town Hall.
- 4) All internments must be completed by 3:00 pm on Monday - Friday and by 12:00 pm Saturday. No Sunday burials are allowed. Notice must be given 72 hours in advance.
- 5) Additional fees for Saturday, overtime and winter burials will be assessed.

Headstone size limitations are based on the number of plots in a single lot and their location.

- Maximum headstone height including the base in most areas is 40". Evergreen and Waldron area stones will vary according to plot size and location.
- Maximum headstone width is limited to 36" for a single grave lot and 48" for a double grave plot.
- Larger monuments will be allowed in some areas subject to Board approval.



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PLOT SALES AGREEMENT

DATE _____

OWNER INFORMATION:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

LOCATION INFORMATION:

NUMBER OF PLOTS: _____ LOCATION(S): _____

DEED NUMBER: _____

RECORDING INFORMATION:

DATE: _____ PAYMENT: _____ CK NUMBER: _____ DATE OF DEED MAILING: _____

ADDRESS: _____

NOTES:

A deed of purchase and a copy of this contract will be mailed to your address.

Signature of Purchaser

Date

Signature of Cemetery Official

Date



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BURIAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

FAMILY MEMBER INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

BURIAL INFORMATION:

Name of Deceased: _____ Place of Death: _____

DOB: _____ Date of Death: _____ Date of Burial: _____

Plot Owner: _____ Plot Number: _____

Number of Graves in Plot: _____ Type of Interment: _____

Funeral Home: _____ Fees Collected: _____

Location of Burial on Plot:

NOTES:

Signature of Party Making Arrangements

Date

Signature of Cemetery Official

Date



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MARKER AND HEADSTONE APPLICATION

PLOT OWNER INFORMATION &/or PERSON ORDERING MARKER:

Lot Owner: _____	Marker Purchaser: _____
Address of Purchaser: _____	
Phone: _____	Email: _____

LOCATION INFORMATION:

Section: _____	Drawing of Location on the Lot:
Lot Number: _____	
Name of Monument Company: _____	

- All monuments must be in proportion to the size of the lot.
- Stonington Cemetery Association must review and approve the design of all proposed markers and monuments.
- Stonington Cemetery Association’s contractor will be responsible for laying the foundation and for determining the price of the work according to the size of the monument. Payments will be made directly to the contractor.
- Please submit your application with a design from the monument company. The plan must include all dimensions, materials, and finishes.
- Applications must be accompanied by a payment of \$50. Checks should be made payable to the Stonington Cemetery Association.

Signature of Lot Owner or Legal Representative Date of Application

Signature of Cemetery Official Date of Approval