



Stonington  
Cemetery

## STONINGTON CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

### Plot Owners' Guidelines – Spring 2022

#### IN EVERGREEN, WALDRON and PALMER-HANCOX AREAS:

- Statuary, memorial objects, 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 width and height (including the base) will vary according to plot size and location. A headstone application must be submitted for review prior to any headstone or marker installation.