THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MARKHAM

BY-LAW NO. 178 -93

A by-law to provide for the maintenance, management and control of the Town of Markham Cemeteries in accordance with the Cemeteries Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. C.4.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MARKHAM, in accordance with the provisions of the Cemeteries Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. C.4, HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

 This by-law shall be composed of thirteen sections, namely;

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SECTION A: PREFACE

This By-law governs the following cemeteries:

Reesor Brownsburger 1st Markham Baptist Raymer Quantztown Echardt Cashel Hagerman East	Lot 13 Concession 10 Lot 23 Concession 9 Lot 22 Concession 8 Wales Avenue Lot 15 Concession 6, McCowan Road Lot 7 Concession 6, McCowan Road Lot 26 Concession 6, Kennedy Road Lot 6 Concession 6, Kennedy Road
Hagerman West St. Johns Bethel-Lunau St Johns Buttonville Methodist	Lot 6 Concession 5, Kennedy Road Lot 2 Concession 5, Warden Avenue Lot 8 Concession 4, Warden Avenue Lot 13 Concession 4, Woodbine Avenue Lot 14 Concession 4, Woodbine Avenue Lot 32 Concession 1

The Town of Markham Cemetery Board of Trustees, in the discharge of their responsibilities, appeal to the public to aid them by following these by-laws, which have been adopted for the improvement and upkeep of the cemetery, to keep it a becoming and respectful place for the burial of the dead.

The above mentioned Cemeteries are licensed to act as cemeteries in accord with the Cemeteries Act of 1990.

It is our hope that by a cooperative effort we can keep the cemetery attractive and peaceful.

SECTION B: ADMINISTRATION

 Town of Markham Cemeteries Board reserves full and complete control and management of the land, buildings, plantings, roads, utilities, books and records of the cemetery and complete authority to administer these by-laws.

- Ownership is placed in the hands of the interment rights holders and all monies are used exclusively for the maintenance and improvement of the property.
- 3. Management and direction are entrusted to an appointed Board of Trustees who supervise the care and upkeep done by the Custodian.
- 4. The Board shall meet when meetings are necessary each year to set prices and resolve matters regarding the cemetery upkeep and maintenance, to elect the Chairman for the year and other officers, as necessary. If required, other meetings may be called by the Chairman.
- 5. The Secretary will record the minutes of the meetings and the resolutions adopted and have care of all records and documents and conduct all correspondence. He/she shall keep a proper record of all money transactions as they pertain to cemetery operations. The Town of Markham acts as Treasurer upon advisement of the Cemetery Board.
- 6. The Custodian shall have custody, under the Trustees, of the cemeteries. No interment or removal of bodies shall take place without notice to the Custodian, and he shall see that a proper Burial Permit or other certificate required by law is furnished to him each instance.
- 7. The Board distinctly disclaims all responsibility for loss or damage from causes beyond their control and especially from damage caused by the elements, and acts of God, common enemy, thieves, vandals, strikers, malicious mischief makers, explosions, accidents, invasion, insurrections, riots, or order of any military or civil authority, whether damage be director collateral.
- 8. The Board shall take reasonable precautions to protect the property of interment rights holders but they assume no liability or responsibility for loss of or damage to any article of any type that is placed on any lot or plot.

SECTION C: DEFINITIONS

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"CEMETERY"

"LOT"

	previously in the Town of Markham, County of York.
"MINISTRY"	shall mean the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations for Ontario.
"BOARD"	shall mean the duly appointed or elected Board of Trustees for the Town of Markham Cemeteries.
"CHAIRMAN"	shall mean the Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the Town of Markham.

"SECRETARY" shall mean the Secretary appointed by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Markham Cemeteries.

"CUSTODIAN" shall mean the person appointed by the Board of Trustees as Custodian of the Town of Markham Cemeteries.

shall mean an area of land in a cemetery containing, or set aside to contain human remains.

"PLOT" shall mean two or more lots in which the rights to inter have been sold as a unit.

"GRAVE"

shall mean any burial space intended for an adult, and having a size of 1.22 meters (4 feet) by 3.05 meters (10 feet).

"CHILDREN'S GRAVE"

shall mean any burial space of less than 60.96 cm (2 feet) by 1.22 meters (4 feet).

"INFANT GRAVE"

burial space mean any intended for an infant and having a minimum size of 60.96 cm (2 feet) by 1.22 meters (4 feet).

"CREMATION LOT"

shall mean any burial space intended to receive not more than 2 (two) cremated remains and having a minimum size of 60.96 cm (2 feet) by 60.96 cm (2 feet).

"INTERMENT RIGHTS"

shall include the right to require or direct the interment of human remains in a lot.

"INTERMENT RIGHTS HOLDER" shall mean a person with interment rights with respect to a lot and includes a purchaser of interment rights under the Cemeteries Act, being chapter C.3 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1990 or a predecessor of that Act.

"PLAN"

shall mean the plan of the cemetery, approved by the Ministry Commercial of Consumer and Relations for Ontario.

RIGHTS"

"CERTIFICATE OF INTERMENT shall mean the certificate issued by the Town of Markham Board of Trustees to the purchaser of interment rights in either a lot or

plot.

"TOWN OF MARKHAM TRUST FUND"

shall mean the trust fund in which all monies received by the cemetery for the care and maintenance of lots, plots and monuments have been invested.

"GENERAL MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT"

shall mean the Cemetery Board presents an annual budget to the Town of Markham for maintenance of the cemeteries and for services rendered in connection with its operation.

"TRUST FUNDS"

shall mean those funds in which a trustee may invest, which are defined in the "Trustee Act", R.S.O.1989.

"MONUMENT"

shall mean any permanent memorial projecting above the ground level.

"MARKER"

shall mean any memorial of granite, marble or bronze, set flush with the surface of the ground, and used to mark the location of lot.

SECTION D: SALE AND TRANSFER OF INTERMENT RIGHTS

- No person shall sell interment rights unless that person does so on behalf of these licensed cemeteries.
- 2. Interment rights in lots and plots may be purchased from the Cemetery at the rates filed with the Ministry and according to the plans approved by the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations for Ontario that are on file in the office of the Custodian of the Cemetery. The prices for lots include the applicable portion for deposit to the Cemetery's Care and Maintenance Fund.
- 3. The deposit to the Town of Markham Cemeteries Trust Fund shall be as specifies in the regulation made under the Cemeteries Ace Revised 1990 and that came into effect, April 1, 1992.
 - a) In the case of an in-ground grave for the burial of an adult, the greater of 40% of the selling price or \$150.00.
 - b) In the case of an in-ground grave for the burial of a child or of cremated remains, 40% of the selling price.
- 4. Payments for lots shall be made to the Town of Markham Cemetery Fund.
- 5. The Cemetery Board shall provide each Rights owner at the time of the sale with:
 - a) a copy of the contract
 - b) a copy of the Cemetery By-law
 - c) upon payment in full, a Certificate of Interment Rights.
- 6. Purchasers of lots acquire only the right and privilege of burial of the dead and of constructing monuments, or placing markers, subject to the Cemetery By-law from time to time in force and approved by the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations.
- 7. Lots previously sold for which provision for Care and Maintenance has not been made, may be placed under this plan by the payment of the charges set forth in the tariff of rates.
- 8. To ensure the correctness of records of ownership and interments, no transfer of any interment rights or any interest therein shall be binding upon the Board until notice is given in writing to the Chairman of the Board specifying the name and address of the proposed transferee and date of transfer, and such particulars have been entered in a register for that purpose. Upon receipt of such notice, the transfer shall be made.
- 9. In cases of transmission of ownership by will or bequest of interment rights, the management reserves the right to require the production of a notarial copy of the will or other evidence sufficient to prove ownership.
- 10. An interment rights holder may require by written demand, the Cemetery to repurchase the rights at the original purchase price and at any time before they are used by burial or monument.
- 11. If the Cemetery receives notice that a contract is cancelled within thirty (30) days, the cemetery will refund to the purchaser all money received under the contract, within thirty (30) days of receiving the notice.

- 12. If the Cemetery receives notice that a contract is cancelled after thirty (30) days, the cemetery shall retain all funds placed in the care and maintenance fund. This also applies to all purchases of contracts that were made before this Act came into being.
- 13. If the original selling prices is unknown, the repurchase price shall be deemed to be \$50.00 as according to the Cemeteries Act of 1990.
- 14. In accordance with the Cemeteries Act 1990, the Cemetery is not required to repurchase the interment rights for more than four (4) lots held by the same interment owner in a twelve (12) month period.
- 15. The Cemetery Board after receiving such a demand, shall repurchase the interment rights within thirty (30) days after receiving the demand.
- 16. NO REFUND will be made for any lot after interment rights have been exercised.
- 17. If any lot is sold and has not been used after a 20 year period may be considered abandoned. The Cemetery may apply to the Registrar for a declaration that the interment rights are abandoned after making inquiries and giving reasonable notices to find the interment rights holders or beneficiaries. Upon being satisfies that the rights are abandoned, the Registrar shall issue a declaration to that effect. If there is not an appeal by the end of the time period allowed for appeal, the Cemetery may resell the lot in question.
- 18. Any person whose interment rights have been resold after being declared abandoned may apply to the Registrar for regress. Upon receiving an application for redress, the Registrar shall order the cemetery to provide better or equivalent interment rights in that cemetery or to refund the amount that it would cost to purchase better or equivalent interment rights in the cemetery, or if no interment rights are available in the cemetery, in the closest cemetery appropriate to the religious or ethnic affinities of the person whose interment rights have been sold.

SECTION E: INTERMENTS AND DISINTERMENTS

- Winter burial will be permitted if possible. The burial may be delayed later than the funeral service date if the weather conditions are not favourable. An extra charge will be made for winter burials.
- 2. Not more than one burial shall be made in a single grave except:
 - in areas designated for double depth burial. The first interment must be made at the lower level.
 - the cremated remains of not more than six persons.
 - or a 60.96 x 30.48 cm (24" x 12") infant container may be buried at the head end of a single grave in which a casket containing human remains has been buried, providing space is available.
- 3. Remains to be buried in a lot must be enclosed in a container sealed securely, and of sufficient strength to permit burial with the container remaining intact. The container must be of a size to permit burial within the size of the lot.
- 4. All interments must be authorized in writing by the interment rights holder except the interment of the interment rights holder.

- The Custodian of the cemetery, his assistant or someone in the employ of the Board shall be in attendance at each interment.
- 6. A burial permit issued by the Division Registrar, showing that the death has been registered and the fee for the opening of the lot according to the fee found in the rate of tariffs, must be deposited with an official with the Board before interment can take place.
- 7. In the case of a cremation interment or inurnment, the cremation certificate and the prescribed fee for this service according to the rate of the tariffs must be deposited with an official of the Board.
- 8. Persons requesting interments in lots or plots shall be responsible for charges incurred.
- 9. When interment rights in a lot/plot are held jointly by two or more persons, an order will be accepted from either or any of them or their authorized representatives, for interment in such part of the plot as may be requested.
- 10. No lot shall be opened for interment or disinterment by any person not in the employ of, or under the direction of the Board, except under special circumstances, and by permission of the Board.
- 11. The interment fee includes the opening and closing of the lot and the registration of the burial.
- 12. The scale of fees for lot openings is based on the size of the lot and labour involved.
- 13. No person shall remove human remains, except cremated remains from a cemetery unless a certificate of a Medical Officer of Health or the Cemeteries Board confirming that the Cemeteries Act and the regulations have been complied with is affixed to the container. A burial certificate under the Vital Statistics Act is not required to reinter human remains that have been disinterred according to the Cemeteries Act and regulations.
- 14. The Cemetery will exercise all due care in making burials and interments but it is not responsible for damage to any casket, urn or other container sustained during disinterment.
- 15. No interment shall be permitted in any lot where burial rights have not been paid in full.
- 16. Funeral corteges within the cemetery shall follow the route indicated by the Custodian.
- 17. The Cemetery reserves the right, at its cost, to correct any error that may be made by it in making interments, in the description of the lot, or the transfer or conveyance of any interment rights. The cemetery may either cancel such grant and substitute other interment rights, or lots of equal value and similar location, as far as is reasonably possible; or refund all money paid on account for such purchase. Notice will be given personally to the rights owners. If necessary, it may be mailed to the rights or their legal representatives, at their last appearing address in the record books of the cemetery. In the event any such error may involve in the disinterment of remains, the cemetery shall first obtain the approval of any regulatory authority and the interment rights owner.
- 18. The Cemetery shall not be held responsible for any errors made for any funeral arrangements made over the phone. These arrangements should be made in writing.

- 19. Notice of each interment to be made shall be given to the Chairman of the Cemetery Board, at least 24 hours in advance, 8 hours of which must be regular working hours. The Board cannot be held responsible for having lots prepared for funerals unless such notice is given.
- 20. Extra Charges are included in the tariff of rates for double depth grave openings, in the first instance, or where an additional interment is required for a grave space already occupied at the regulation depth for the purpose of deepening the original interment.

SECTION F: CARE OF LOTS - GENERAL

- All lots and plots sold or assigned since the compulsory care and maintenance fund was instituted by the Cemeteries Board, shall be maintained and kept properly graded, sodded and mown by employees of the Board.
- 2. No person shall do any work upon a burial lot without the permission of the Board.
- 3. Trees, shrubs, flowerbeds are not permitted to be planted except by the Cemetery Board.
- 4. NO GLASS CONTAINERS of any kind are allowed in the cemetery at any time.
- 5. Nails, wires, wooden crosses, articles of glass or pottery or any other material that creates a hazard to workmen and to visitors when neglected or broken are not allowed in the cemetery.
- Since borders, fences, railings, walls, cut-stone coping and hedges in or around lots become unsightly, they are prohibited.
- 7. Materials used in doing any work within the cemetery shall be removed without delay and if this is not done, the Custodian shall remove the same.
- 8. No interment rights holder shall change the grading of his lot, and in case of any such change, the Board may restore the lot to its original grade at the expense of the interment rights holder.
- No unauthorized person shall sod, move corner posts or lot markers.
- 10. The Board shall not be responsible for loss or damage to any articles left upon any lot or plot.

SECTION G: CARE OF LOTS - FLOWERS

- The Cemetery reserves the right to remove all flowers, potted plants, wreaths and baskets of flowers when they become withered or for any other reason the Custodian deems such removals to be in the best interest of the Cemetery.
- During the growing season (usually from May to October) while natural flowers are available, artificial flowers in any form, including wreaths, are not permitted on graves or lots.
- Potted plants must not be buried but must be placed on top of the ground as close to the monument base as practical.
- 4. Those who place potted plants or urns, not planted by the cemetery, are responsible for their upkeep and must remove them by September 15.

- 5. Artificial wreaths without glass or plastic covers are allowed to be placed on the lot after October 15, provided they are securely fastened to the monument, or where there is no monument, mounted on a stand of at least 76.20 cm (30") high and securely anchored to the ground.
- To preserve the proper appearance of the grounds, artificial wreaths must be removed before April 1st of each year, otherwise Cemetery authorities will remove them.

SECTION H: MONUMENTS AND MARKERS

- 1. NO monument or other structure shall be erected or permitted on a lot until accrued charges have been paid in full.
- 2. NO inscription shall be placed on any monument or marker which is not in keeping with the dignity and decorum of the cemetery.
- 3. NO monument, footstone, marker or memorial of any kind shall be placed, moved, altered or removed without permission from the Cemetery Board.
- 4. NO monument or marker will be delivered to the cemetery without the Request for Installation form containing the following information:
 - The Interment Rights owners name and address.
 - The instructions for placement of a marker or b) monument.
 - The dimensions of the base, height, width and length.
 - d) In the case of a monument:

 - the dimensions of the die, height, width, length. the dimensions of the base, height, width, length.
 - the overall size of the monument.
 - a description of the monument: colour and design.
 - the appropriate amount for the Care and Maintenance fund in relation to the size of the marker/monument as set out in the Cemeteries Act. R.S.O. 1990, must accompany the monument.
- 5. Every person installing a monument or marker in the cemetery shall pay the prescribed amount, as set out in the Cemeteries Act, to the Town of Markham Cemeteries, Care and Maintenance Fund. The interest earned from this fund will be used to maintain the markers or monuments in a safe condition.
- 6. The amounts are as follows:
 - In the case of installing a flat marker measuring at least 1116 square cm (173 square inches), \$50.00.
 - In the case of installing an upright marker measuring 1.22 meters (4 feet) or less in height and 1.22 meters (4 feet) or less in length, including the base, \$100.00.
 - In the case of installing an upright marker measuring more than 1.22 meters (4 feet) in either height or length, including the base, \$200.00.
- 7. If a monument or marker in a cemetery presents a risk to public safety because it is unstable, the Cemeteries Board shall do whatever is necessary by way of repairing, resetting or laying down the marker to eliminate risk of accident.

SECTION I: MONUMENTS

- 1. For the purpose of the regulations, a monument shall be understood to mean any permanent memorial projecting above ground level.
- 2. Minor scrapping of the base portion of the upright monuments due to the turf mowing operation is considered by the Cemetery to be normal wear.
- 3. The Cemetery will take reasonable precautions to protect the property of interment rights holders, but it assumes no liability for the loss of, or damage to, any monument or part thereof except where such damage or loss, is due to its negligence.
- 4. The Cemeteries Board reserves the right to determine the maximum size of monuments, their number and their location on each lot or plot. They must not be of a size that would interfere with any future interments.
- 5. A double lot is allowed one upright monument and only 2 footstones or 4 corner posts are allowed. Due to the work involved to keep these level, we must restrict the quantity allowed on a lot.
- 6. The maximum size monument allowed on a single lot is:

Height - 30.48cm (12 inches) from ground level Width - 60.96cm (2 feet) Base - (minimum) 30.48cm (12 inches) Die - (minimum) 15.24 (6 inches)

7. The maximum size monument allowed on a lot is:

Height - 1.22 meters (4 feet) Width - 35.56cm (14 inches) Base - (minimum) 35.56cm (14 inches) Die - (minimum) 20.50cm (8 inches)

- 8. The minimum thickness of a die should be 15.24cm (6 inches). Should the monument exceed 100cm (3 feet) overall height, the die must be 20.50cm (8 inches).
- 9. The maximum width of a base is controlled by the width of the plot or lot where it will be installed. No base shall be closer than 7.6cm (3 inches) to the lot width side lines on which it is to be installed.
- 10. The die stones must be installed on a granite base. The height of the base shall be a minimum of 20.3cm (8 inches). The top surface of the base must be both wider and longer than the die in order to provide a minimum border of 7.6cm (2 inches) of the surface of the base exposed on all sides. Bottoms of the base shall be smooth sawn.
- 11. Monuments cannot be placed "back to back" against another.
- 12. Monuments must be placed at the center of the head end of the lot except where alignment with existing nearby monuments justifies another location. Approval of the location must be obtained from the Custodian before the monument is set.
- 13. Book or pillow markers shall be allowed.
- 14. All photographs attached to any memorials or placed within the cemetery grounds shall be the sole responsibility of the owner.

- 15. All foundations for monuments and markers shall be built by, or contracted to be built for, at the expense of the interment rights holder.
- 16. The charges for the construction of foundations are set forth by monument contractor.
- 17. No foundations may be constructed after November 15th in any year and before April 1st in the following year.
- 18. The foundation shall be built in the designated space and in the proper dimensions of the monument base. If incorrect dimensions have been given on the application form, signed by the interment rights holder and/or the supplier, the foundation must be immediately removed and rebuilt by the cemetery at the expense of the interment rights holder. Foundations will be not less than 1.52 meters (5 feet) deep and they will be set at the Custodian's direction.
 - a) The required concrete mix for foundations will be:
 - 20.5 MPA
 - 75 mm slump
 - 20 mm aggregate
 - 5% +/ 1% Air Entraining agent
 - Trowel finish all edges.
 - b) The surface area shall be flush with the surrounding ground level and shall provide a level surface free of defects.
 - c) Foundations must be cured for a minimum of $48\ \mathrm{hours}$ before placing the monument.
 - d) No concrete shall be placed until a representative of the cemetery has approved the grades and all loose material is removed from the grade. The placing shall commence at the low point in the grade and the concrete shall be thoroughly consolidated to eliminate all air pockets and honeycombs. No concrete shall be placed to overlap concrete that is partially set.
 - e) Defective areas must be repaired to the approval of the Board. The finished concrete shall be protected from wind, rain or sun during curing, by covering it completely with a piece of plywood having a minimum thickness of 1.27cm (1/2 inch). All rubbish and excavated material shall be removed from the excavation site to a place designated by the Chairman of the Board.

SECTION J: MARKERS

- 1. The owner may on the receipt of his Rights Certificate, at his own expense have bronze, stone or concrete land marks 15.24cm (6 inches) square and not less than 15.24cm (6 inches) deep, dressed on all sides and bearing suitable identification permanently marked thereon, placed at the corners of the lot or lots conveyed to him, such posts to be planted flush with the ground.
- 2. Markers will be accepted for installation during regular working hours. If weather and ground conditions permit, installations will be made within 30 days after acceptance. Markers will not be accepted from any monument dealer for storage during the winter months.
- 3. Markers or Footstones of bronze, marble or granite are permitted with size and quantity restrictions according to the section of the cemetery and the regulations deemed necessary as per size of lot in that section. Its placement must not interfere with future interments.

single lot maximum 30.48 x 60.96 cm 12" x 24" double lot maximum 30.48 x 107.0 cm 12" x 42" cremation lot maximum 42.60 x 50.70 cm 16" x 20"

- 4. Flat markers are to be flat on top and set level with the ground so that a lawnmower can pass safely over them and shall be set by employees of the Board, at the expense of the interment rights holder, on payment of the fee provided in the rate of tariffs.
- 5. One marker may be placed at each grave in addition to the monument. The marker shall be placed at the end of the grave farthest from the monument and shall not exceed 42.60 x 60.96cm (16" x 24")/
- 6. Any flat marker that exceeds the standard width of 30.48cm (12 inches) can only be installed after a full interment has taken place.
- 7. The minimum thickness for all flat markers including footstones is 10cm (4 inches).
- 8. All markers and monuments shall be constructed of bronze, granite or marble. The bottom bed of all bases and markers shall be cut level and true.

SECTION K: RULES FOR MONUMENT DEALERS, CONTRACTORS & WORKERS

- l. No monument or marker will be delivered to the cemetery without the proper paper work. See Section G-5 for description of paper work.
- Monument dealers must state on each order the date they wish foundations ready and must give at least 15 working days notice before the work is required.
- 3. No monument or marker will be delivered to the cemetery until the foundation is completed and the contractor is ready to proceed with the work of erection.
- 4. No monument or marker will be removed without written permission from the Board.
- 5. All companies who do work in the Cemetery, shall have Worker's Compensation coverage for their workers as well as sufficient liability insurance.
- 6. Contractors, masons and stone-cutters shall lay planks on the lots and paths over which heavy materials are to be moved, in order to protect the surface from injury.
- 7. There shall not be a variance of more than 1.27cm (1/2") in the size of the base required as stated on the work order and the size of the monument delivered.
- 8. The demeanour and behaviour of all workmen employed by others in the cemetery, shall be subject to the control of the Custodian.
- 9. Workers shall cease work, if in the immediate vicinity of a funeral, until the conclusion of the service.
- 10. All work must be done during regular cemetery hours, unless by special permission of the Board.
- 11. No work shall be commenced on Saturday that cannot be finished and the litter and debris removed.
- 12. Heavy loads shall not be permitted in the cemetery when the roads are in unfit condition.
- 13. No monument dealer shall park on the grass unless otherwise directed to do so by the Chairman.
- 14. All implement and materials used in the performance of any work shall be placed where the Chairman may direct, and all rubbish and surplus earth shall be removed when and to where and in such manner as the Chairman may order. Otherwise, the obstructions will be removed and the expense charged to the monument dealer.

SECTION L: RULES FOR VISITORS

- 1. Visitors are always welcome at the cemetery during daylight hours. They are asked to remember the respect due to the dead.
- 2. The Board is empowered and is required to preserve order and decorum in the cemetery.
- 3. No parades, other than funeral processions shall be admitted to or be organized within the cemetery.
- 4. Children under the age of twelve years are welcome in the cemetery grounds when accompanied by an adult, who shall be responsible for their good conduct and shall see that they do not run over lots and climb upon the monuments.
- 5. Vehicles within the cemetery shall be driven at a moderate rate of speed and shall not leave the avenues or park on the grass unless directed to do so by the Board.
- 6. No pleasure ATV's (All Terrain Vehicles) or snowmobiles are allowed in the cemetery.
- 7. Proprietors of vehicles and their drivers shall be held responsible for any damage done by them.
- 8. Discharging of firearms, other than in regular volleys at burial services is prohibited in and around the cemetery.
- 9. No dogs or other pets shall be permitted in the cemetery grounds.
- 10. No picnic party shall be permitted in the cemetery grounds.
- 11. Any person who, in the cemetery, damages or moves any trees, plants, marker, fence, structure or other thing usually erected, planted or placed in a cemetery is liable to the Town of Markham Cemeteries Board and any interment rights holder who, as a result, incurs damage. The amount of the damages shall be the amount required to restore the cemetery to the state that it was in before anything was damaged or moved by the person liable.
- 12. Any complaints by interment rights holders of visitors should be made to the Board and not to workmen on the grounds and controversies with workmen or others on the grounds are to be avoided.
- 13. Rubbish shall not be thrown out on roads, walks or any part of the grounds, but must be removed by owner.
- 14. Any person disturbing the quiet and good order of the cemetery by noise or other improper conduct or who violates these by-laws, must be expelled from the grounds.
- 15. Any article which is detrimental to efficient maintenance or constitutes a hazard to machinery, employees or visitors or is unsightly, or does not conform with the natural beauty or design of the cemetery, may be removed by the cemetery. An article removed will be held at the cemetery for collection. If not collected, it will be disposed of after one month.
- 16. No tips or gratuities are to be given to cemetery workers by visitors or lot owners, nor shall any be accepted by any cemetery worker.

SECTION M: FORMS

1. Interment Rights Certificate Appendix A

2. Design of Monument or Marker Appendix B

READ A FIRST AND SECOND TIME THIS 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1993.

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