

# Burial plot guidelines – lawn area

At \_\_\_\_\_ cemetery

Area/Section: \_\_\_\_\_ Row: \_\_\_\_\_ Plot: \_\_\_\_\_

The above plot is located in the non-decorated area of the cemetery and therefore the following rules apply:

1. Wreaths, flowers and adornments may be left on top of the grave for up to 14 days following an interment. After this time all adornments will be relocated to the concrete beam. Any items that do not fit on the concrete beam or are inhibiting maintenance of the area will be removed and discarded. The burial mound will then be levelled and prepared for resowing.
2. No above ground memorials, including railing or fencing of any kind can be constructed on or around the plot.
3. All flowers and adornments must be confined to approved receptacles, or kept to the concrete beam without encroaching onto the lawn area or neighbouring plots. Breakable jars, vases or receptacles are not permitted to be used as flower containers.
4. The Council may remove unapproved receptacles, ornaments or memorabilia from graves at any time to facilitate the maintenance of those graves.
5. All memorials, headstones and plaques must have an approved permit and be installed by a Monumental Mason who is registered with the Auckland Council. Once the headstone has been installed all wooden crosses and grave markers are to be removed.
6. Memorials and the associated plot must be kept in good repair by the holder of the Exclusive Right of Burial or their assignee.
7. The Council may remove any unauthorised memorials from the cemetery.
8. The Council may remove any installation of any kind that falls into a state of decay or disrepair.
9. Please book your unveiling day, date and time with the cemetery administration office, this will ensure there is no conflict with burial services.
10. Please notify the cemetery office if any of your contact details change.

## Bylaws:

This document must be read with the Cemeteries and Crematoria Bylaws.

## Agreement:

This document must be signed at time of purchase/prior to burial and in conjunction with the Burial Rights Holder Agreement and Headstone Guidelines.

Full name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

