



Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami

Memo No.
2023-M-141

Memorandum to Council

Subject:	Cemetery User Fee
Agenda Date:	July 13, 2023
Attachments:	Bereavement Authority of Ontario Chart

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council receive Memo 2023-M-141 Cemetery User Fees;

AND FURTHER THAT Council direct Staff to amend Schedule A of the Municipal User Fee and Charges By-Law 23-1667 to reflect the new fees recommended by the Whispering Pines Cemetery Board as mandated under the Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act, 2002.

INFORMATION

Through training from the Bereavement Association of Ontario facilitated by AMCTO Zone 8, the care and maintenance charges contained in our user fee By-Law are no longer compliant with provincial regulation. The changes to the care and maintenance contribution requirements became effective January 1, 2022 through regulated changes to the Funeral, Burial and Cremation services Act, 2002.

In-ground graves that are 2.23 m² (24 ft²) or larger - 40% of selling price or \$290 (whichever greater).

Niche - 15% of selling price or \$165 (whichever is greater).

Considering this, The Whispering Pines Cemetery Board passed the resolution:

MOVED BY: B. Kitts

SECONDED BY: P. Jones

BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Cemetery Board recommends that Council approve the revised Schedule A - Cemetery Fees.

Prepared by

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Reviewed by:

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Treasurer/Administrator/Acting Clerk