

**CITY OF NIAGARA FALLS**

**By-law No. 2003 - 104**

A by-law to amend By-law No. 2000-254, as amended, being a by-law to establish rules and regulations for the City of Niagara Falls Municipal Cemeteries.

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NIAGARA FALLS ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. Section 1.1 of By-law No. 2000-254, as amended, is amended by inserting the following:

““columbarium” means a structure designed for the purpose of interring cremated human remains in sealed compartments;”

2. Section 2.10 of By-law No. 2000-254, as amended, is deleted and the following substituted therefor:

**“2.10 Staff Requirements**

Only City staff or persons authorized by the Superintendent may perform interment services, open niches, seal niches, mark out graves and install monument foundations within the Cemeteries.”

3. The following is inserted after Article 6 of By-law No. 2000-254, as amended:

**“Article 6.1: INURNMENTS**

**6.1.1 Columbarium Fees Schedule**

The purchase price of inurnment rights, services and supplies, and all administrative charges shall be set forth in a Columbarium Fees Schedule, attached hereto as Schedule “B1”, and forming part of this by-law.

**6.1.2 Perpetual Care and Maintenance Fee**

A perpetual care and maintenance fee shall be charged in accordance with the Act, and shall be set out in the Columbarium Fees Schedule.

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**6.1.3 Payments - Cemetery Office**

All payments shall be made at the Cemetery Office at Fairview Cemetery.

**6.1.4 Payment - Inurnment Services and Supplies**

No inurnment services or supplies shall be furnished until all required payments have been received in full by the City.

**6.1.5 Payment - Certificate of Inurnment Rights**

No Certificate of Inurnment Rights shall be issued until thirty (30) days after payment has been received in full. A Certificate of Cremation is required before an inurnment may be conducted.

**6.1.6 Memorialization**

All memorialization for the columbaria shall be purchased exclusively from the City, and shall consist of solid, sand cast bronze in the form of a wreath.

**6.1.7 Niches - Urn Size**

Niches measure 12" x 12", and urns shall be no larger than 11.5" in height.

**6.1.8 Niches - Urn Number**

Each niche may contain a maximum of two (2) urns.

**6.1.9 Floral Arrangements**

Each funeral service will be permitted a maximum of three (3) floral arrangements at the time of the inurnment service. City staff shall remove any floral arrangements when deemed appropriate. No other floral arrangements or tokens of remembrance shall be permitted on, at, or near the columbarium niche."

4. The following Article is inserted after Article 9 of By-law No. 2000-254, as amended:

**"Article 9.1: COLUMBARIUM FEES SCHEDULE**

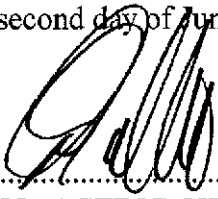
**9.1.1 Adoption - By Council**

Subject to the Act and the Regulations thereto, Council may from time to time adopt a Columbarium Fees Schedule to regulate the fees and charges to be paid by persons

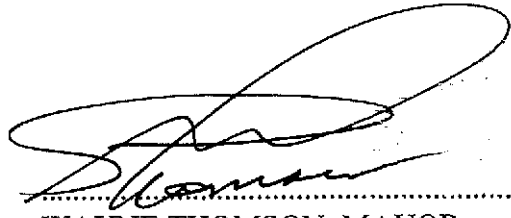
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purchasing inurnment rights in the City Cemeteries, or requiring services to be performed.”

Passed this second day of June, 2003.



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R.O. KALLIO, ACTING CITY CLERK



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WAYNE THOMSON, MAYOR

First Reading: June 2, 2003.  
Second Reading: June 2, 2003.  
Third Reading: June 2, 2003.

**SCHEDULE "BI"**

**Parks, Recreation & Culture  
Cemetery Services**

**2003 Columbarium Fee Schedule  
Effective July 1, 2003**

**INURNMENT RIGHTS**

**RESIDENT**

Niche Level	Cemetery Fee (80%)	Care & Mtnc. (20%)	Total Fee	Federal 7% GST	TOTAL CHARGE
A	800.00	200.00	1,000.00	70.00	1,070.00
B	880.00	220.00	1,100.00	77.00	1,177.00
C	1,000.00	250.00	1,250.00	87.50	1,337.50
D	1,000.00	250.00	1,250.00	87.50	1,337.50
E	880.00	220.00	1,100.00	77.00	1,177.00
F	800.00	200.00	1,000.00	70.00	1,070.00

**NON-RESIDENT**

Niche Level	Cemetery Fee (80%)	Care & Mtnc. (20%)	Total Fee	Federal 7% GST	TOTAL CHARGE
A	1,200.00	300.00	1,500.00	105.00	1,605.00
B	1,320.00	330.00	1,650.00	115.50	1,765.50
C	1,500.00	375.00	1,875.00	131.25	2,006.25
D	1,500.00	375.00	1,875.00	131.25	2,006.25
E	1,320.00	330.00	1,650.00	115.50	1,765.50
F	1,200.00	300.00	1,500.00	105.00	1,605.00

**OPENING & CLOSING SERVICE**

Opening & Closing	Resident	GST	Total Charge Resident	Non-Resident	GST	Total Charge Non-Resident
Single Inurnment	150.00	10.50	160.50	225.00	15.75	240.75
Double Inurnment*	50.00	3.50	53.50	50.00	3.50	53.50

\* Administration fee for the second inurnment.

**PRODUCT LIST**

Product	Charge	GST	PST	Total Charge
Bronze Wreath*	300.00	21.00	24.00	345.00

\* Includes inscription & installation