## Waco Memorial Park Chapel Hill Memorial Park

## ABBREVIATED RULES AND REGULATIONS

Thank you for choosing our Cemetery. It is our honor and privilege to serve you. As the owner of the Cemetery, we are responsible for the general care of the Cemetery grounds and interment spaces. Those who wish to be interred or entombed in the Cemetery must purchase the use of such space, otherwise known as interment rights, and abide by our rules and regulations.

Our rules and regulations were developed to preserve the beauty and dignity of the Cemetery. This is an abbreviated copy of those rules and regulations. A complete set is available for review at the Cemetery office. Should there be a conflict between this abbreviated document and the full rules, the full rules shall prevail.

Placement of fresh flowers in bronze or granite/marble vases at places of interment is permitted throughout the year. In order to properly maintain the cemetery lawns, it is necessary that all grave decorations be limited to flowers placed in approved vases with the following exceptions: potted plants, wreaths, easels and flags, which are permitted only on Valentine's Day, Easter, Mother's Day, Father's Day, Memorial Day, Veterans Day, Independence Day, Día de los Muertos and Thanksgiving Day. Placement may be made during the week prior and will be removed on the seventh day following the occasion or when they become unsightly. Christmas wreaths, potted plants and winter grave decorations may be placed any time after December 10th and will be removed by the cemetery during the second week in January.

It is the Cemetery's policy to publish a public notice, as a reminder, before the Cemetery conducts seasonal clean-up and removal of flowers and decorations. However, the notice is a courtesy and not required, and these provisions shall govern. At certain periods during the year, all flowers and other decorations must be removed from Interment Spaces. Decorations will be picked up by Cemetery staff four times per year, but Cemetery reserves the right to announce additional clean-up dates.

No entombments shall be made in any above ground crypt unless the remains of the deceased to be entombed therein have been embalmed.

Every ground interment for human remains, whether placed in a casket or for cremated remains, shall require the use of an Outer Burial Container as described in these rules and regulations. Products known as "vaults" or "grave liners," constructed of metal, concrete or polypropylene will satisfy this requirement.

All Cemetery charges and fees for interment services, Interment Rights and care and maintenance must be paid in full before an interment is made in a particular interment space within the Cemetery. All fees for disinterment must also be paid in advance. All Cemetery charges and fees for Interment Rights, memorials, endowment or perpetual care, memorial installation inspection fee and other applicable charges and fees must be paid in full before any memorial or foundation may be placed on any interment space within the Cemetery.

There shall be submitted to the Cemetery for approval a blueprint, sketch, or other adequate description of each outer burial container, memorial or foundation specifying material, size, inscription, name of manufacturer and style number prior to receiving authorization to place any outer burial container, memorial or foundation within the Cemetery.

No more than one human remains shall be interred in one interment space, unless specifically authorized in writing by the Owner and/or next-of-kin or their respective representative(s) and the Cemetery. In the event the Cemetery elects to allow the interment of more than one human remains in a particular interment space, the Cemetery shall charge a separate fee for each right of interment in a particular interment space as well as a separate fee for each interment space provided.

No hedges, fences, edging or enclosures of any kind, mulching with wood chips, rock, landscape fabric or similar items, wooden boxes, lawn ornaments, signs, sculptures, glass or ceramic containers, cans, toys, or any other unsightly objects or objects that can break will be permitted.

Only written statements expressly authorized by Cemetery management shall be binding up the Cemetery. No oral representations shall be binding. The possession or consumption of illegal drugs or alcoholic beverages within the Cemetery is strictly forbidden.

No person or persons shall be permitted to bring or carry firearms within the Cemetery.

All vehicle traffic must always remain on paved roads. Easements within the Cemetery are used solely for the day-to-day operation of the Cemetery and by Cemetery employees only.

Benches or other Monument type structures are only permitted in specifically designated areas of the Cemetery and must be authorized prior to installation.

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The Cemetery hereby reserves the right, at any time or times, with or without notice to Owner's, to adopt new Rules and Regulations, or to amend, after and/or repeal same at any time.

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