

NORMAL HILL CEMETERY AND ARBORETUM RULES AND REGULATIONS

Flowers and Decorations:

1. Cut flowers may be placed upon graves in a non-breakable container any time of the year. Cut flowers in glass or other breakable containers may be removed by the city and placed directly on the grave. Such containers will not be stored by the department. The city may remove cut flowers, including burial service flowers, when they become discolored or wilted.
2. Planter boxes, toys, flags, pinwheels, balloons, and/or other decorations that are placed on or around a grave or lot that is deemed hazardous or creates a maintenance problem may be removed and disposed of by the department. Glass of any kind shall not be allowed in the cemetery.

Memorials:

1. A memorial shall rest upon a concrete foundation that is flush with the ground and extends beyond the base at least six inches (6") on all sides.
2. A headstone shall not be larger than four feet (4') wide by two feet (2') deep, which shall include a six inch (6") concrete border around the headstone. There are no height restrictions for a headstone placed in a headstone row. A headstone placed outside of a headstone row shall be flush with the ground.
3. One (1) flat marker shall be allowed at the head of a standard grave, and one (1) flat marker shall be allowed at the foot of a standard grave.

Conduct of Visitors:

1. Visitors of the cemetery shall conduct themselves in a manner that grants respect to the deceased.
2. Persons in the cemetery shall walk in the lawn area immediately in front of a headstone row or on improved roads or walkways.
3. Alcoholic beverages shall not be allowed in the cemetery.
4. Advertising, selling, or soliciting shall not be allowed in the cemetery.
5. The discharge of blank rounds from a firearm during a burial ceremony or celebration in the cemetery shall be permitted with prior approval from the director.
6. Children in the cemetery shall be supervised by an adult.
7. Domestic pets, except for service animals, shall not be allowed in the cemetery.