



ORDINANCE

Number 2019-012

Amend the Cemetery Regulations to Allow Non-Resident Interments and to Increase
the Number of Cremation Internments per Lot

WHEREAS, Section 5.1 of the Town Charter vests in the Town Council the powers of the legislative and governing bodies; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council is responsible for adopting and amending town ordinances and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the expansion of Forest Hill Cemetery has provided ample space to consider requests for burials from former residents and others who have had a significant connection to the Town; and

WHEREAS, no more than fifty (50) of the available lots will be given to non-residents; and

WHEREAS, the recommended policy change to allow eight cremation internments per burial plot will further expand the capacity of the cemetery;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED IN COUNCIL that the Town's Cemetery Regulations are hereby amended to authorize the Town Administrator to review and grant exemptions for burial at Forest Hill Cemetery to non-residents who have had a significant connection to community; and

FURTHER, to amend the Regulations to allow for the burial of up to eight cremation urns in a single grave lot.

This Resolution shall take effect 30 days after its passage.

Adopted: October 15, 2019

Attest:

Neil Wetherbee, Council Chair

Date: 10/17/19

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Daniel Healey, Town Clerk

Date: 10/21/19