

# **CITY OF JUNEAU CEMETERY RULES**

**Adopted 10/13/15**

In order to maintain the aesthetic aspects of the cemetery and to allow for efficient maintenance, plot owners and visitors are asked to cooperate with the following regulations.

1. Anyone wishing to inter a body or cremated remains must first notify the sexton.
2. The City reserves the right to approve all monuments.
3. The City reserves the right to remove all flowers, wreaths or other decorations from lots as soon as they become unsightly. The grounds will be cleared of decorations twice a year. Spring cleanup begins the week of April 15, and fall cleanup begins the week of November 15. In order for a family to save any decorations placed on a grave, the decorations should be removed one week prior to these dates. New decorations may be placed beginning April 22 and November 22 respectively. Notification of cleanup will be published in area newspapers.
4. Enclosures around lots such as hedges, fencing, etc., will not be permitted.
5. All graves shall be headed toward the west, if practicable.
6. Perpetual care includes cutting of grass, raking and cleaning the lots, pruning and removal of trees, etc. Perpetual care does not include maintenance or repair of monuments.
7. No monument or grave marker shall be erected in the cemetery without permission of the City.
8. The City may alter and repair any structure on any lot that becomes unsightly or dangerous, the cost of which shall be paid by the owner.
9. If any tree or shrub situated on any lot shall become detrimental to any adjacent lot or street, or unsightly or inconvenient, the City has the right to remove it.
10. Shrubbery, flowers, vases, bouquets, etc. shall be planted only on the grave side of monuments and shall not extend more than eighteen (18) inches upon the grave nor exceed the width of the monument.
11. No glass or other fragile vase will be allowed.
12. No monument or grave marker shall be erected or set up without having a solid foundation of concrete with at least a five-inch wash.
13. The City shall have the right to remove all objects whose appearance and condition warrant removal and/or violate the Cemetery's rules and regulations. The Cemetery also will not be liable for any flower or decoration removed or lost by any cause.