MONUMENTS AND MARKERS

Red Oak Grove Cemetery

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Installation Regulation

- Monuments and other types of markers added to any burial space must be coordinated with the Sexton of Red Oak Grove Cemetery and must be of granite material. Installation of monuments by Red Oak Grove Cemetery's installer Eric Storjohann or others via prior authorization.
- 2. All monuments and markers will be on the West end of the burial plot(s) and in line with other lot markers and monuments. All writing or inscriptions shall face East except that the family name may also be placed on the opposite side West. Female name is inscribed on the right side of the monument as you face the monument inscriptions (North side) (male on South).
- 3. All monuments and markers installed shall be **bordered** by a 4-inch-wide concrete rim flush with the surface and consistent with the contour of the land.
 - a. Each monument marker or headstone which is **over** 12 inches in height shall have a concrete base extending at least 30 inches into the ground with two post holes dug and concrete filled to another 12 inches.
 - b. Monuments, markers or headstones under 12 inches in height above ground level, shall have a 4-inch concrete mowing rim, which shall extend not less than 15 inches into the ground with two post holes concrete filled another 18 inches
 - c. Base width should not be over 24 inches wide nor longer than 44 inches long for a plot 48 inches.

ANY OF THE ABOVE REGULATIONS THAT <u>CAN NOT OR WILL NOT</u> BE MET MUST HAVE WRITTEN CLEARANCE FROM THE SEXTON BEFORE INSTALLATION

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REGULATIONS NOT ADHERED TO WILL REQUIRE INSTALLER TO REMOVE FOUNDATION AT THEIR EXPENSE

- 4. All in ground engraved markers must exceed 1 inch in height above ground level with a foundation that extends not less than 15 inches into the ground with additional two post holes 18 inches concrete filled.
- 5. Plot 4'x10' or 48"x120"- - vault 35"x92" - dig 38"x96"