

ORDINANCE NO. 13,779

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Des Moines, 1991, adopted by Ordinance No. 11,651, passed April 15, 1991, and amended by Ordinance No. 11,953, passed March 15, 1993, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,100, passed October 3, 1994, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,131, passed December 19, 1994, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,304, passed February 26, 1996, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,574, passed February 9, 1998, by repealing Section 15-176 thereof and enacting a new Section 15-176, all relating to cemetery fees.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of Des Moines, 1991, adopted by Ordinance No. 11,651, passed April 15, 1991, and amended by Ordinance No. 11,953, passed March 15, 1993, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,100, passed October 3, 1994, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,131, passed December 19, 1994, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,304, passed February 26, 1996, and amended by Ordinance No. 13,574, passed February 9, 1998, by repealing Section 15-176 thereof and enacting a new Section 15-176, all relating to cemetery fees, as follows:

15-176. CEMETERIES.

CEMETERY FEES

Resident Non-Resident (20% Subsidy)

Ground Interment

Infant\$225.00\$270.00

Adult\$620.00\$745.00

Saturday Infant Interment\$430.00\$515.00

Saturday Adult Interment \$805.00\$965.00

Mausoleum Interment

Crypt-Burial\$425.00\$510.00

* Disinterment

Infant\$540.00\$650.00

Adult\$925.00\$1110.00

Ashes\$295.00\$355.00

* Scheduled only Monday - Friday (No Holidays or Saturdays)

Ashes in Containers

Mausoleum Niche\$250.00\$300.00

Ground Interment

(Monday-Friday)\$
280.00\$
335.00

(Saturday)\$365.00\$440.00

Placed in Concrete\$300.00\$360.00

Foundation Charges

Monument/Marker (sq. in.)\$.39\$.47

Extra Work/Special Care

Per Hour (1 hr. minimum)\$37.00\$ 45.00

Plus Materials

Saturday\$60.00\$ 70.00

Flower Placement Fee\$12.00\$ 14.00

Overtime Charge (per hour)

Monday-Friday\$150.00\$ 180.00

Saturday\$255.00\$ 305.00

Setting Markers

(Veteran)\$37.00\$ 45.00

(Veteran's Spouses)\$37.00\$ 45.00

Records Research

Written Response\$12.00\$ 14.00

Deed Transfer\$ 5.00\$ 6.00

Copy of Deed\$ 5.00\$ 6.00

Grave Spaces (PCM/TCM)

SSI\$110.00\$130.00

County\$110.00\$130.00

Veterans\$135.00\$160.00

Veteran Spouse (Flushmarker)\$440.00\$530.00

Thai-Dam Block

(Cremation in lot)\$85.00\$ 100.00

Single at Need (Flushmarker)

Infant\$110.00\$130.00

Adult\$360.00\$430.00

Second Named Persons at Need

Two People in Same Space\$215.00\$260.00

(ashes on same space as body)

Single Select Space (Flushmarker) - No Planting

Adult\$440.00\$530.00

Monument Lots - No Planting

Blocks R,J & 38C - Glendale \$14.30/sq. ft.** \$17.15/ s.q. ft.**

Monument Lots - Annual Planting

Block T, J - Laurel Hill \$15.35/sq. ft.**\$18.40/ sq. ft.**

Monument Lots - Perennial Planting

Glendale 28, 30B, 31, 37 \$18.55/sq. ft.** \$22.25/sq. ft.**

Laurel Hill - R \$18.55/sq. ft.** \$22.25/sq. ft.**

** All prices are total sq. feet x sq. ft. price = fee which is to be rounded to the nearest \$5 amount. Example: 8' x 11' space = 88 sq ft x \$21 = \$1848, rounded to \$1850. NOTE: 30% of all lot prices to go to perpetual care fund; amount will be rounded to the nearest \$5.

Late Charge.

A late charge fee shall be levied against any funeral home or monument company that is delinquent in payment. Such fee shall be 1% after 30 days and 1.5% after 60 days. Any account that is 90 days overdue shall be referred to the Legal Department of the City of Des Moines.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

FORM APPROVED:

Emily Gould Chafa, Assistant City Attorney

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Attest:

I, Diane Rauh, Chief Deputy City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of an ordinance (Roll Call No. 00-086), passed by the City Council of said City at a meeting held January 3, 2000, signed by the Mayor on January 3, 2000, and published as provided by law in the Business Record on January 17, 2000. Authorized by Publication Order No. 6370.

Diane Rauh, Chief
Deputy City Clerk