

DECORATION OF PLOTS

1. ELMHURST reserves the right to regulate the method of decorating plots, lots and graves in the Cemetery so that a uniform beauty may be maintained.
2. The placing of boxes, shells, toys, metal designs, ornaments, chairs, vases, glass, wood or iron cases, and similar articles upon plots shall not be permitted, and if so placed, ELMHURST reserves the right to remove the same.
3. No enclosure of any kind, such as a fence, curb, hedge, or ditch shall be permitted around any grave or plot. Grave mounds shall not be allowed, and no plot shall be raised above the established grade.
4. All flowers shall be placed in flower CONTAINER approved by ELMHURST. The flower containers shall be of approved materials, design, and size. When not in use, a flower container on a grave shall be contained in its own receptacle set wholly beneath the level of the lawn and shall be set within the uniform lines as prescribed by ELMHURST.
5. The digging of holes by anyone other than Cemetery personnel for any purpose is prohibited.
6. ELMHURST shall have the authority to remove all floral designs, flowers, weeds, trees, shrubs, plants, or herbage of any kind, from the plot as soon as, in ELMHURST's judgment they become unsightly, dangerous, detrimental, or diseased, or when they do not conform to the standards maintained. ELMHURST shall not be responsible or liable for floral pieces, baskets, or frames in which or which such floral pieces are attached beyond the acceptance of such floral pieces for funeral services held in the Cemetery. ELMHURST shall not be responsible or liable for frozen plants, or herbage of any kind, or for planting damaged by the elements, taken or damaged by thieves or vandals, or by any other causes beyond ELMHURST's control.
7. ELMHURST reserves the right to prevent the removal of any flowers, floral designs, trees, shrubs, or plants or herbage of any kind, unless ELMHURST gives its consent. This Regulation preventing the removal of trees includes the right of ELMHURST to protect the life of existing trees in the Cemetery that may be part of a plot. There could be situations where ELMHURST shall prohibit the making of an interment in order to protect the life of a tree either on the plot or immediately adjacent thereto. In the event a tree located on a plot becomes diseased and must be removed, ELMHURST reserves the right to replace the tree in the same locations as removed from.

8. Each year the CEMETERY undergoes a Spring and Fall cleanup. No decorations are permitted March 15-31 and October 15-31. If you wish to save your decorations, be sure to remove them prior to cleanup start dates. All decorations left on graves during these cleanup periods will be removed by Cemetery staff.