

Burial Policy and Vault Companies

At least 48 hours' notice must be given to prepare for burial including the company providing a vault if applicable. Payments for openings and required permits must be presented on arrival at the cemetery.

The vault company will be provided with the time the contractor is scheduled to dig the grave when known and requested. For convenience and safety the Cemetery Commission prefers the vault be delivered and lowered in the grave when the contractor or a town employee is on site. No vault will be installed without the contractor or town employee on site unless prior arrangements have been made with the contractor or town employee. The contractor or town employee at the time of notification shall inform the vault company of any potential concerns when the grave is opened.

Should any unsupervised vault installation cause damage to any cemetery property, the responsible company or individual shall be held accountable to pay the cost of repair. This includes both damage to gravestones and terrain or the area surrounding and including the grave itself.

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