



January 10, 2024

City Council Committee Report

To: Kyle Attanasio, CAO

Fr: Greg Breen, Director, Engineering & Infrastructure

Re: 2025 Cemetery Rate Corrections

Recommendation:

That Council adopts the attached corrections to the bylaw 166-2024, effective January 1, 2025, the attached Schedule of Rates for the Lake of the Woods Cemetery; and further

That By-law Number 166-2024 be hereby repealed; and further

That three readings be given to a by-law for this purpose.

Background:

Revised 2025 Cemetery Rates were presented to Council during budget considerations in November 2024 and adopted by Council in December 2024. Following adoption, it was determined that some corrections to the rates and formatting were required.

The corrections are detailed in the attachment, but can be summarized as follows:

- Correction of Interment "Rights"
- Addition of "Surcharge" language for New Plots with Concrete Foundations
- Reverting the fee for Private columbarium to \$550.00 in accordance with Bylaw 9-2017
- Accidental removal of Double Columbarium opening/closing, with new rate of \$270.00
- Addition of Crypt opening/closing, with a rate of \$450.00
- Addition of Saturday Rate for Crypt opening and closing

Budget: N/A

Communication Plan/Notice By-law Requirements: City Clerk, Accounts Receivable, Cemeterian, public notice via renewal notices, Bereavement Authority of Ontario.

Strategic Plan or another Guiding Document:

Strategic Plan Focus Area 1 – Infrastructure and Environment

Goal 1.2 Ensure Well Maintained and Sustainably Financed City Infrastructure