

ADOPT-A-SECTION AT EVERGREEN CEMETERY

"RULES OF THE ROAD"

THE ADOPT-A-SECTION PROGRAM IS EVERGREEN CEMETERY'S MAIN VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY OF THE YEAR. THE PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM IS TO ENGAGE INTERESTED MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY TO HELP CARE FOR THE SECTIONS OF THE CEMETERY DURING "GRASS CUTTING SEASON" (APPROXIMATELY MARCH 15 THRU NOVEMBER 15 OF EACH YEAR).

ACTIVITIES PERMITTED IN THE ADOPT-A-SECTION PROGRAM INCLUDE:

- Removal of debris, such as tree branches, leaves
- Removal of outdated grave decorations (*volunteer must check with the Superintendent prior to removal to be sure Cemetery policy is followed*)
- Weed whacking
- Sweeping off grave markers
- Removal of litter
- Emptying of trash cans located throughout the cemetery
- Fixing section markers
- Mowing grass, blowing grass/leaf debris
- *Any other activity approved in advance by the Superintendent*

Activities PROHIBITED include:

- Use of any cemetery equipment
- Working along-side inmate workers in any section where they are assigned
- Performing any activity with power tools, other than a mower, weed whacker or leaf blower
- Performing any activity on electrical systems
- Performing any activity that involves lifting or moving a grave stone or monument
- Performing any activity with a chain saw or ax, such as tree removal

WHEN IN DOUBT....ASK THE SUPERINTENDENT.

Please note: Any person who adopts a section and intends to work upon the premises of the cemetery must sign a Waiver of Liability form and file it with the front office.