



**Hollis Cemetery Trustees**  
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## Important Information for Right to Inter

### Ownership

New Hampshire statutes (RSA 290:24) are quite specific regarding who owns a burial space, and as prudent Cemetery Trustees, we require proof of ownership prior to any burial. Please keep your Right to Inter, hereinafter referred to as the "Right", document up to date, and bequeath the Right (or deed, if applicable) in your will, or in a written, signed, notarized document. If the Right (or deed) is not bequeathed or accompanied by the notarized document, then the RSA states that the matter must go to probate court.

### Designations

It is highly recommended that the holder of the Right designate whom they wish to have buried in the applicable lot(s). This assists the family in making arrangements at a future date. The number of designations may be greater than the number of lots under the holder's control; burials will be permitted until the lot interment capacity has been reached. If no designations are stated and the Right has not been bequeathed as stated above, the lot(s) may not be accessed until a probate court decision has been rendered. The Cemetery Trustees are not allowed to make this determination.

### Burial Arrangements

Interment fees must be paid to the Town of Hollis at least (3) days prior to the scheduled burial. The then current fee schedule shall apply. The exact location of the grave will then be marked.

### Full body burials

These are almost always managed by a funeral home, but New Hampshire law does not mandate professional involvement. If a funeral home is not involved the Director of Public Works will have oversight of the burial. A concrete vault is required, but on request, it can be installed upside down without a cover. The fee may be paid through the funeral director or to the Town of Hollis.

### Lot Capacity

Each Cemetery lot shall be permitted one full body burial or as defined below:

- 2 (two) infant burials, or
- 4 (four) sets of cremated remains, or
- 3 (three) set of cremated remains over full burial, or
- 3 (three) sets of cremated remains over 1 (one) infant burial