

APRIL 8, 2020

HANCOCK, NH CEMETERY PROTOCOLS IN THE TIME OF COVID19

*The Hancock, NH cemeteries will open on **May 17, 2020** with the following provisions to prevent the spread of COVID19 virus and protect Town citizens and employees:*

Persons entering the cemetery grounds will respectfully

- Comply with all State, National, & CDC Guidelines re: COVID19 pandemic
- Maintain 6 feet distance between persons; cover face if possible
- Adhere to limit of 10 or less persons in cemetery at one time
- Comply with stay at home orders
- Limit travel including interstate travel

Cemetery Burials and Services

Full Burials

To take place on a weekday between 11AM and 4PM may be scheduled by telephone with minimum notice of 72 hours to the Town Sexton. Only one or two family members may be present at interment

Committal service to be brief

As per Town Select Board the use of DPW employees as pall bearers will not be permitted

Ash Burials

May be postponed while COVID19 virus is a threat

**Please note that the Meetinghouse, Vestry and Inn are closed.*

Lot Sales

Lot and plot sales will be limited to “*at-need only*”. Online and phone arrangements with the Sexton are strongly encouraged.

Hancock Cemetery Trustees ~ Sexton 603-525-4087
Rita Klug, Chair ~ Bob Fogg, Sr, Trustee ~ Roberta Nylander, Trustee