

MCCUTCHANVILLE CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Costs and Other Requirements

Internment Costs 2023

Burial Plot \$1,500.00 (To Secretary/Treasurer.)

For Perpetual Care \$500.00 (By Family at Time of Burial Direct to Cemetery Association)

Two cremated remains may be buried in one plot. Use flush markers. Perpetual care imbursement applies.

One cremated remains may be buried on top of a body burial. Use flush marker. Perpetual care imbursement applies.

Opening and closing by McCutchanville Cemetery Association approved service provider only. Funeral home pays direct to service provider. (Approved service provider is Glen Schlensker phone # 812 867-5619) (This cost provided by service provider).

“The Trustees at their meeting on January 23, 1989 voted that

“All new or replaced tombstones in the McCutchanville Cemetery located on Kansas Road near the McCutchanville Methodist Church in McCutchanville, Indiana (Vanderburgh County), will require at least a 24 inch (total) deep footing of mixed, poured solid concrete beneath the tombstone to prevent settling of the stone, and also at least a two-inch border all the way around the base of the stone, and shall be set with a level and plumb bottom, with uniform thickness. Footer’s not meeting specifications will be removed at your company’s expense.”

“Burial Vault Requirement for McCutchanville Cemetery.”

By Directors Meeting 02.11.2019

All body burials in McCutchanville Cemetery must be in an underground vault. The minimum vault must be a commercially built reinforced concrete. Wood and other degradable vaults are not acceptable.

Cremations may be direct burial in a fiberglass or other non degradable container. Degradable containers such as a paper box are not acceptable.

Stone foundation rule reaffirmed of 18 inches deep with a 6 inch thick collar stone, creating a 4 inch border, and located between the stone and the foundation (poured solid concrete set level bottom). It is the owner of the plots responsibility, to reset old family stones that have fallen.

Burial vaults are to be of structurally rigid, and long-lasting material, to prevent caving-in.

Additional Commemorative Markers position: Notarized letters of permission to alter or add.

2023 *Addendums: Rulings and laws for cemetery owners in the State of Indiana of note: law states cemetery can repay original purchase price to plot holders; after 50 years, must send letter to last known address, then put advertisement in local paper, then the owner(s) have 60 days to reply.

*Indiana Court Ruling on opening/closing graves by contractors can be specified by cemetery owners, and if not approved, can be denied access to property. This is based on Indiana law for cemetery operator’s right to unencumbered upkeep of grounds in perpetuity and final say in what can be done to plots as to custom and by-laws (sic. Association).

2023 Minutes can be found on the main page with any updates.