

CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON COUNCIL

BEREAVEMENT SERVICES

CEMETERY AND CREMATORIUM FEES & CHARGES - Effective from 1st January 2021

<u>BURIAL FEES</u>	£
PRIVATE GRAVES	1. (a)* Exclusive Right of Burial for 75 years, for persons 18 years and over. 2030.00 (b) Premium Burial Fee (50%) 1015.00 (c) Additional fee for purchasing the Exclusive Right of Burial as for 1. (a), when a burial is not imminent ('reserving a grave'- One grave allowed per family) 150.00 (d) Interment fees (for first and subsequent burials) 1040.00 Interment of non-resident into a pre-purchased grave when it is not the owner – Premium Fee (50%) 520.00
RENEWAL OF EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL FOR FURTHER 25 YEARS	(e) if burial space remains 660.00 (f) if no burial space remains inc. Babies graves 150.00

CHILD UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE ON ANY SECTION, IN ANY CEMETERY (in a single depth grave)	2. (a) Exclusive Right of Burial for 75 years for a child under 18 years of age, including stillborns, babies and children Free (b) Interment fee (includes babies cremated remains) Free (Maximum coffin size for all Babies sections: 4' x 1'8" - Aged less than 18 years)
	(c) Interment of Non- Viable Foetus In NVF section only per individual casket (No memorials permitted) Free
N.B. No adult cremated remains can be buried in a Babies Memorial Grave (BMG). A new memorial feature is available on the NVF section at Bushbury Cemetery	

PUBLIC GRAVES (Danescourt only)	3. (a) Burial of a person who has died after reaching 18 years of age 1 Coffin Depth 1040.00

NATURAL BURIAL AREA (BUSHBURY) – No memorials allowed (single depth only) Biodegradable coffin or Casket only	4. (a)* Exclusive Right of Burial in Natural area for 75 years (18 years and over) 1100.00 (b) Premium Burial Fee (50%) 550.00 (c) Interment fee 690.00

VAULT	5. (a)*Exclusive Right of Burial (for Beacon Hill Chambers)	2350.00
	(b) Premium Burial Fee (50%)	1175.00
	(c) Vault reservation fee as per (1c)	150.00
	(d) Interment fee for any subsequent burial in a vault. - Old type Bilston & Merridale	325.00
	- Beacon Hill Chambers (size restrictions on headstones apply)	600.00
BRICKED GRAVES (Double & Single Walled Chamber) (A construction service is <u>not</u> available. Funeral Directors should organise a contractor direct).	6. (a)*Exclusive Right of Burial	1950.00
	(b) First interment fee	
	1 Coffin Depth	325.00
	2 Coffin Depth	325.00
	(c) Subsequent interments in existing bricked grave	325.00

BURIAL OF CREMATED REMAINS		£
	7. (a)* Exclusive Right of Burial of cremated remains for 75 years for persons 18 years and over.	1150.00
	(b) Premium Burial Fee (50%)	575.00
	(c) Additional fee for purchasing the Exclusive Right of Burial as for 7. (a), when a burial is not imminent (reserving a grave)	80.00
	(d) Exclusive Right of Burial of cremated remains for 75 years, for a child under 18 years of age	Free
	(e) Interment fee for first and subsequent burials (Not witnessed) (see also 7 (h))	325.00
	(f) Interment fee for burial of cremated remains of a child under 18 years of age (no additional fee to witness)	Free
	(g) Interment fee for burial of two sets of cremated remains at the same time, In one container	325.00
	In two separate containers	380.00
	(h) Interment fee when burial takes place in full earthen grave at: 5' Depth to allow for one further full burial	1040.00
	6'6" Depth to allow for two further full burials	1040.00
	NB. Not applicable at Bushbury extension as the CRs are buried in the grave channel (see (e) above). CRs to be placed before a memorial is erected.	
	(i) Witness Fee	35.00
	(j) Remains from away to be placed in WG or GOR only	80.00
	(k) Placing cremated remains loosely in graves (no further interments will be allowed)	80.00
RENEWAL OF EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL OF CREMATED REMAINS FOR FURTHER 25 YEARS	(l) if burial space remains	385.00
	(m) if no burial space remains	150.00

CHARGES MARKED WITH * MAY BE SUBJECT TO A “NON- RESIDENT FEE”. PLEASE REFER TO YOUR “PREMIUM BURIAL FEE POLICY DOCUMENT” FOR CLARIFICATION

<u>CREMATION FEES</u>		£
8. (a) Cremation of: (incl Crem Certificate)	Adult (18 years and over) Including Cremation Certificate	880.00
	Adult (18 years and over) with extended chapel service	990.00
	Non- Viable Foetus, organs and other body parts removed during post mortem (9.15am service only) per casket	110.00
	Child (under 18 years of age)	No Charge

EXHUMATIONS		£
9. (a) Exhumation of coffin from grave:	Adult (18 and over)	2100.00
	Child (5 – up to 18 Years of age)	660.00
	Child (under 5 years of age)	220.00
	Non-Viable Foetus	90.00
(b) Exhumation of cremated remains in a CR grave (up to 2 sets)	Exhumation of cremated remains in a CR grave (up to 2 sets)	360.00
	Exhumation of cremated remains from full grave (up to 2 sets)	750.00
	Exhumation from memorial features eg GX, NRB, Vaults, Kerbs	90.00

OTHER FEES & CHARGES

10	(a) Use of Crematorium chapel(s) for burial services	125.00
	(b) ** Excess charge for a late arrival at cemetery	80.00
	(c) ** Excess charge for a late notice of coffin size	80.00
	(d) ** Excess charge for incorrect information supplied by funeral directors - coffin sizes and late delivery of forms	80.00
	(e) ** Excess charge for services over-running allotted time at Cemeteries & Crematorium	80.00
	(f) Transfer of ownership of ‘The Exclusive Right of Burial’ (no charge for transfer to spouse or if grave is full)	35.00
	(g) Fee for search of burial registers (per 1/2 hr of officer’s time)	15.00
	(h) Cremation disposal certificate	Free
	(i) Transfer of grave location – Administrative charge	60.00
	(j) Replacement Deed	12.00

**** Waiving of any of the above charges is at the discretion of the Bereavement Services Manager and any appeals to such charges must be made in writing.**

MEMORIAL APPLICATION FEES FOR MONUMENTAL MASONS

11. Permission to erect the following memorials where they are permitted:

(a) New memorials incl flat stones and kerbing from 01/01/2021	100.00
(b) Headstone/flat-stone/other sculptural skills pre - 01/04/1998	150.00
(c) Vase – no inscription	35.00
(d) Additional inscription- including vases	55.00
(e) Babies public graves	35.00
(f) Babies Memorials	100.00
(g) Refurbishment and/or re-gilding	35.00
(h) Replacement/Amendments to memorial	40.00
(i) Breach of the City Council’s Memorial Regulations	80.00

Where incidents arise that vary from the above norm, please contact the Memorial Officer at Bereavement Services on 01902 554997. (Version 07/01/2021)
