

**RESOLUTION 2015-15**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LAKE WALES, FLORIDA,  
PROVIDING FOR MUNICIPAL CEMETERY RATES, PROVIDING  
FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City intends that municipal cemetery fees will fund all, or a portion of, the costs relating to perpetual care for the municipal cemeteries.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF LAKE WALES, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. AUTHORITY.** This Resolution is adopted pursuant to Ordinance 2015-05; Chapter 2 – Administration, Article VI. – Cemetery Administration, Section 2-616; and all other applicable provisions of law.

**Section 2. FINDINGS.** The above stated recitals are hereby incorporated as part of this Resolution.

**Section 3. MUNICIPAL CEMETERY RATES.** The City’s municipal cemetery rates are as follows:

**LAKE WALES CEMETERY AND WILLOW LAWN CEMETERY**

Interment Right in Burial Spaces

	Resident	Other Nonresident
Cemetery Grave Space		
Baby Land	\$ 210.00	\$ 420.00
Adult Space	625.00	1,250.00
Cremation Space	210.00	420.00
Mausoleum Crypt		
Double	3,700.00	7,400.00
Collected at time of sale		
Ground Lot Marker	5.00	10.00
Collected at time of interment		
Vault & Casket ID	5.00	10.00
Tags		
Grave Locating Fee	75.00	150.00
Memorial Brick	50.00	75.00
Foundation Permit Fee	25.00	35.00

## LAKE WALES MEMORIAL GARDENS CEMETERY

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	Interment Right in Burial Spaces	
	Resident	Other Nonresident
Cemetery Grave Space		
Adult	\$ 1,300.00	\$ 1,600.00
Child/Infant	400.00	500.00
Cremation	500.00	625.00
Collected at time of sale		
Ground Lot Marker	5.00	10.00
Collected at time of interment		
Vault & Casket ID	5.00	10.00
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Grave Locating Fee	75.00	150.00
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Note: The City of Lake Wales does not perform grave openings and closings. Prices shown above for the purchase of interment rights in burial spaces do not include the cost of openings; closings, vaults, monuments, crypt lettering, or similar items.

In accordance with section 2-616(a), Lake Wales Code of Ordinances, the schedule of fees shall be automatically adjusted annually, beginning on October 1, 2016, to reflect an increase based on June's annual CPI or two and one-half (2.5%) percent, whichever is greater.

**Section 4. SEVERABILITY.** It is the intent of the City Commission of the City of Lake Wales that if any section, sentence, clause, phrase or provision of this Resolution is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not be construed as to render invalid or unconstitutional the remaining provisions of this Resolution.

**Section 5. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

**THIS RESOLUTION INTRODUCED AND PASSED** by the City Commission of the City of Lake Wales, Polk County, Florida, at its regular meeting on August 4, 2015.

  
Eugene Fultz, Mayor

Attest:

  
Clara VanBlargan, MMC, City Clerk