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Policy Title MEMORIAL OBJECTS FOR CEMETERIES	Date March 25, 2021	Resolution No. TBD

Policy Statement

Lacombe County recognizes that some individuals desire the opportunity to recognize deceased relatives and friends using methods other than traditional headstones. Where these methods of recognition enhance the cemetery, they may be permitted in cemeteries that are under the care and control of Lacombe County.

Guidelines/Procedures

1. Memorial objects, at the sole discretion of Lacombe County, may include benches, trees or similar objects.
2. Approval of the installation of memorial objects will be at the sole discretion of the County Commissioner **Manager** or Designate.
3. Applicants will be required to submit a plan to the County for a memorial object that includes:
 - a. A rendering or photograph of the memorial object
 - b. A plan for the installation
 - c. A cost summary for the memorial object including installation
4. Applicants will be required to sign an agreement with the County.
5. The memorial object will become property of Lacombe County once installed.
6. At the sole discretion of the County Commissioner **Manager** or Designate, the County may remove any memorial object that is in a state of disrepair, no longer compliments the aesthetics of the cemetery, or interferes with the operation and maintenance of the cemetery. The applicant will not be reimbursed for any costs in these situations.