



**GARDINER CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION SHEET**



Meeting Date	07/22/2020	Department	Code Enforcement
Agenda Item	4g. Request for City Council Approval to Send Direction to Ordinance Review Committee/Buildings and Grounds Request: Cemetery Ordinance		
Est. Cost	n/a		

Background Information

The Buildings and Grounds crew have the responsibility of maintaining the majority of cemeteries in the City of Gardiner. This responsibility would include mowing, maintenance, upkeep, etc.

As they take pride in their work, it has been a frustration of this department that many grave sites have items that are broken, strewn around, and even dead flowers that have been there way beyond when they should have been cleaned up. These items contribute to a piece of property that does not have a desirable appearance.

The City Council is being asked to send direction to the Ordinance Review to look at the possibility of a Cemetery Ordinance. This ordinance would address how to deal with the clean-up of items in and around headstones, fence lines, and the general cemetery.

Requested Action	'I move to send direction to the Ordinance Review Committee to consider the development of a Cemetery Ordinance.'
City Manager and/or Finance Review	The City Manager recommends the above action.
Council Vote/ Action Taken	
Departmental Follow-Up	

City Clerk Use Only	1 st Reading _____	Advertised _____	EFFECTIVE DATE _____
	2 nd Reading _____	Advertised _____ w/in 15 Days	
	Final to Dept _____	Updated Book _____	Online _____