



The following policies are outlined as the Rules and Regulations of Life Forest for the safety of the Life Forest community, all visitors, and contractors, and to ensure the peaceful enjoyment of the land, as well as the natural state of Life Forest. *Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.*

A. GENERAL:

1. Motor-driven bikes and off-road vehicles are prohibited on the property. No vehicles, except maintenance or other commercial vehicles involved in burial preparation or restoration, shall be driven on any part of the property.
2. Any person intoxicated, disorderly, or disturbing the quiet and good order shall be asked to leave the property.
3. Firearms shall not be discharged on the property, except for salutes at military funerals or during town-sponsored parades.
4. Children under the age of 15 are not permitted on the property unless accompanied by an adult.
5. Visitors shall use the trails and roads provided and visitors understand that Life Forest is a natural wooded burial ground and shall prepare accordingly.
6. All cremains must be interred in a purchased burial plot. It is prohibited for cremains to be scattered anywhere in Life Forest.
7. Animals are permitted in Life Forest, but the owner is responsible for keeping the animal leashed at all times and immediately picking up any droppings.
8. No Memorial Tree is to be tampered with by any person except an arborist contracted by Life Forest to ensure the health and well-being of the trees by pruning, soil testing, fertilization, etc. Our Memorial Trees are protected by cemetery law in accordance with RSA 635:6 & RSA 635:7 and any unauthorized act regarding these trees shall be penalized as provided in RSA 635:8 -

B. SALE OF PLOTS:

1. Burial plots are available in two sizes, 7' x 7' and 15' x 15'. Each size is designated by the required space for the size of the tree you wish to plant and by the number of future burial options. 7' x 7' sized plots allow for one future burial and 15' x 15' plots allow for two future burials. *During the burial, we will bury however many sets of cremated remains that you wish to add.*

2. Life Forest LLC is a Non-Denominational Burial Ground available to all who share a passion for conservation and nature.

3. Payment for a burial plot is due within 30 days from the date of billing. Payment for plots will be made to "Life Forest LLC". Upon receipt of payment, the Right to Inter Certificate will be issued directly to the owner, as well as any listed beneficiaries or trusts. No Interment shall occur until the costs of the burial space and other applicable fees have been paid in full.

C. INFORMATION FOR INTERMENTS:

1. Life Forest requires a minimum of one (1) week notice to schedule burials unless otherwise allowed by a member of the Life Forest Team.

2. Burials will not take place on holidays, and will not take place from November 1st through April 15, unless otherwise agreed upon in writing, based on weather and ground conditions.

3. When purchasing a plot for immediate need, the purchaser must decide if they want to have a burial service. A service consists of more than Five (5) people present at the time of burial. Service costs are \$500 on a weekend or \$300 Monday through Friday. All no-cost services must be held Monday through Friday and have no more than Five (5) people in attendance. *(We can also plant a tree and inter the cremains without anyone present if desired for no charge).*

4. Life Forest Staff does not officiate burial ceremonies nor are we clergy members. We are there to respectfully bury your loved one there, plant the tree, and prepare the space for your service. You must facilitate the presence of a clergy member if you wish for them to officiate the burial ceremony. If you do not have one but wish to have one, we will help arrange one for you.

5. In the event in which a tree planted by Life Forest serving as a memorial marker at a burial site dies, we will replace it free of charge, only if the tree dies within the first two (2) years from initial planting. Afterwhich, Burial Plot Owners shall retain the right to replace any tree that dies.

D. PLANTINGS AND MARKERS:

1. The Tree chosen by the purchaser for the burial plot will be the sole memorial marker for the deceased. Any stones or pieces of memorabilia resembling that of a traditional cemetery (such as a headstone) will not be allowed. Conservation and legacy protection is our mission and law restricts the removal or hindrance of any legal memorial marker which is the chosen tree.

2. We are affiliated with a local nursery, therefore only the trees that they supply will be covered under the cost of your memorial tree. If you wish to purchase a tree at any location other than our affiliated nursery, it will not be covered in the cost and you must purchase it yourself. Any tree purchased from any location other than our affiliate automatically voids Section C Paragraph 5 of our rules and regulations as stated above.

3. Life Forest will plant all Memorial Trees during burials. Spaces are limited to one planting per plot, and planting of any other trees or shrubs is prohibited. Life Forest shall have the right to remove any additional memorial markers, plantings, or such parts thereof, as are thus detrimental, dangerous, or inconvenient. Life Forest is not liable for damages to plants that are not planted by Life Forest or other placed memorial markers according to these rules.

4. *It is not permissible to place memorabilia, fences, benches, decorative landscaping, stones, bird feeders, curbs, or any other ornamental objects on any plot.* All decorative memorabilia will be removed within 30 days of interment – one (1) object is permitted with approval from a member of the Life Forest Team and must be natural in origin and biodegradable. Life Forest has the right to remove non-conforming items.

5. The placement of U.S. flags and memorial wreaths on Veteran burial plots are allowed but must be appropriately sized in accordance with a member of the Life Forest Team and will be removed at the end of the planting season. Other memorial flags are allowed with specific written Life Forest approval.

E. CONSERVATION EASEMENTS:1. Conservation easements will maintain the integrity of the Life Forest Property. These easements shall be legally binding and recorded with the deed of the land.

Life Forest LLC has the sole authority to grant exceptions to any of the rules. These rules can be revised by Life Forest at its sole discretion. Beneficiaries of purchased plots or purchasers of pre-need plots will be advised of any revision made.

Acknowledgement: I have read and understood the Life Forest terms and conditions. My signature below constitutes my acceptance of and agreement to abide by all terms and conditions set forth herein:

Signature: _____

Date _____