

**VILLAGE OF CARMANGAY
IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA
BYLAW NO. 859**

**A BYLAW OF THE VILLAGE OF CARMANGAY, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, BYLAW #859 TO
REGULATE AND CONTROL THE OPERATION OF THE CARMANGAY CEMETERY**

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government Act authorizes municipalities to regulate services provided by or on behalf of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS, the Cemeteries Act requires a municipality which owns and operates cemeteries within its boundaries to operate and maintain in accordance with the Cemeteries Act and any regulations passed thereunder;

AND WHEREAS the Cemeteries Act requires every operator of a cemetery to make bylaws respecting the organization, operation, and management of the cemetery and the rights, privileges, and responsibilities of the cemetery operator.

AND WHEREAS, the Village of Carmangay is the owner of the Cemetery situated in SW 31-13-23-W4 and which is more fully described on Duplicate Certificate of Title;

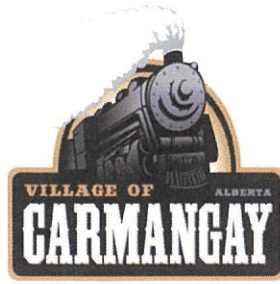
NOW THEREFORE, Council for the Village of Carmangay, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, shall enact as follows:

A. Cemetery Records:

- a. The Municipal Administrator for the Village of Carmangay shall keep all records for the Carmangay Cemetery in the prescribed manner.

B. Cemetery Plots:

- a. Single Plots:
 - i. Single plots in the Carmangay Cemetery shall be sold at a cost of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350.00) for residents of the Village of Carmangay and Vulcan County
 - ii. Single plots in the Carmangay Cemetery shall be sold at a cost of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for non-residents (see Note 1)

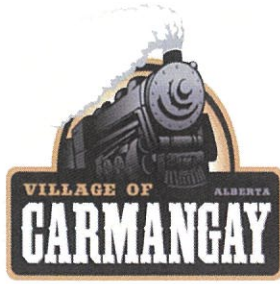


- b. Family Plots:
 - i. Family plots (16' x 16') shall be sold at a cost of nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950.00) for residents of the Village of Carmangay and Vulcan County
 - ii. Family plots (16' x 16') shall be sold at a cost of one thousand one hundred dollars (\$1100.00) for non-residents (see Note 1)
- c. Upon receipt of payment for any plot(s) within the Carmangay Cemetery, the Village of Carmangay shall issue to the purchaser a cemetery plot deed. All Carmangay Cemetery plot deeds are non-transferable.
- d. A cemetery plot may be purchased and held in reserve by any person but may not be purchased by any group, corporation, commercial venture or person for the purpose of speculation.
- e. Upon receipt of a written request from the purchaser of a plot, the Village shall cancel a reservation and refund the purchaser the amount originally paid at the time of reservation of the said cemetery plot.
- f. Should it be found that a plot(s) in the Old Section of the cemetery is no longer useable or is found to be too difficult to open and close with Village equipment, the purchaser may exchange title for the said plot(s) for an equal number of plots in the New Section of the cemetery.

NOTE 1: a “non-resident” is someone who has moved away from the Village of Carmangay or outside Vulcan County two (2) years or more prior to purchasing a plot, unless admitted to a long-term care facility.

C. Interment/Disinterment

- a. The Village of Carmangay shall be responsible for the opening and closing of all gravesites in the Carmangay Cemetery.
- b. A valid burial permit or certificate of cremation shall be presented to the Village Office prior to interment.
- c. The following rates shall be charged:
 - i. \$450.00 - for opening and closing of a gravesite between November 1 and April 30
 - ii. \$350.00 – for opening and closing of a gravesite between May 1 and



October 31.

- iii. \$225.00 – for opening a closing an urn site
 - 1. Cremated remains may be interred in an already occupied site
- iv. \$300.00 – for opening and closing a small vault
- v. If the interment involves the removal of a grave cover, the charge shall be five hundred (\$500.00) and any fees incurred by the Village for equipment and removal or disposal of grave cover.
- d. When due to location or inclement weather, the gravesite must be dug by hand or special equipment brought in, the charge for the services shall be whatever the cost incurred by the Village of Carmangay to have the site opened and/or closed.
- e. For disinterment or interment, a valid disinterment or reinterment permit must be presented to the Village Office. The costs for the service shall be determined by the costs incurred by the Village.

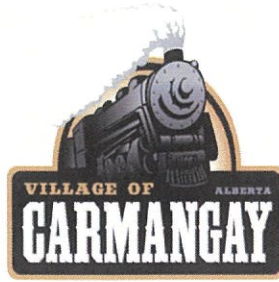
D. Monuments, Gravestone Markers and Grave Covers

- a. All gravesites must have a permanent gravestone or marker to identify the name of the deceased and the date of death, at minimum.
- b. All monuments, markers, and gravestones must be placed at the head of the Gravesite and the placement of them in any other area is prohibited.
- c. No monuments, markers, gravestones or grave covers shall be erected or placed or any concrete work done without notifying the Village Office during normal business hours.
- d. All debris, litter, rubbish arising or resulting from work done on any plot must be cleaned up and removed from the cemetery and the plot(s) left in a clean and tidy manner.

A copy of this bylaw shall be given to each person arranging for burials in the Carmangay Cemetery as requested.

Bylaw #765 shall be repealed with the passing of Bylaw #859.

This bylaw shall take effect on the date of the third and final reading.



READ a first time this 15th day of July, 2025.

READ a second time on this 15th day of July, 2025.

By unanimous consent of Council, permission granted for a third and final reading.

READ a third and final time this 15th day of July, 2025.



Mayor Kym Nichols



CAO Kelly McLeod