

WESTERN DOWNS REGIONAL CEMETERIES

2025 - 2026

Register of Cost Recovery Fees and Commercial Charges

| Charges | | | | | |
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| Fee Type | Description | 2025/2026 Fee/ Charges (GST inclusive were applicable) | GST | | |
| Burial Adult, 1 st interment | First interment fees for burials undertaken on weekdays including perpetual maintenance charge and light grey granite plinth. If interment fee was pre-paid, the difference is payable. | \$2,283.00 | Υ | | |
| Burial Adult, 2 nd interment | Second interment fees for burials undertaken on weekdays including perpetual maintenance charge | \$2,254.50 | Υ | | |
| Burial - Child | Interment fees for single burial in designated children's section on a weekday, including perpetual maintenance charge and light grey granite plinth | \$1,010.00 | Υ | | |
| Burial Child - Weekend/Public Holiday | For all grave preparation and interments taking place on weekend/ public holiday. | \$2,398.00 | Y | | |
| Burial Adult 1 st Interment - Weekend/Public Holiday | First interment fees taking place on a weekend/public holiday. Including perpetual maintenance charge and light grey granite plinth. If interment fee was pre-paid, the difference is payable. | \$3,911.50 | Υ | | |
| Burial Adult 2 nd Interment - Weekend/Public Holiday | Second interment fees taking place on a weekend/public holiday. If interment fee was pre-paid, the difference is payable. | \$3,883.00 | Y | | |
| Burial - Ashes | Interment of ashes into a grave on a weekday | \$453.00 | Y | | |
| Burial - Ashes Weekend/Public Holiday | Interment of ashes in a grave taking place on Saturday, Sunday, or award holiday | \$593.50 | Y | | |
| Burial - Hand Dug Grave | Where machine and operator are unable to be utilised | POA | Y | | |
| Plot and Reserve Marking | Reserve a grave or plot for future use (immediately marked with a light grey granite plinth, in line with industry best practice) | \$258.50 | Y | | |
| Monumental - Grave Coverings | Removal of concrete covering for re-opening to allow second interment | POA | Υ | | |
| Grave Plot Purchase or Reserve - Adult | Suitable for single, double burial or triple (triple to be advised at time of first interment) | \$811.50 | N | | |
| Grave plot - Child | Suitable for burial in designated children's area | \$580.50 | N | | |

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| Exhumation - Grave | Prepare site and shore grave to ensure safety of persons entering grave and backfill site | POA | Y |
| Exhumation - Ashes | Removal of ashes from a Council interment facility | \$113.50 | Y |
| Niche - Single | Single niche in columbarium wall or garden | \$694.50 | Y |
| Niche - Double | Double niche in columbarium wall or garden | \$1,162.00 | Y |
| Interment - Ashes | Interment of ashes in columbarium wall or ashes garden taking place Monday to Friday | \$168.50 | Y |
| Interment - Ashes - Weekend/Public Holiday | Interment of ashes in columbarium wall or ashes garden taking place on Saturday, Sunday, or award holiday | \$427.50 | Y |
| Lullaby Garden | Memorial site for still-born or pre-term babies. Does not include plaque | \$66.50 | Y |
| Pallbearer Service (minimum of 4 persons required to safely carry coffin) | Where Council employees are required to assist with coffin. Charge is per person. **Subject to availability | \$117.00 | Y |
| Memorial Plaques | Inscribed plaque to Council standard for grave, columbarium, rose garden, lullaby garden and veterans memorial garden | Actual Cost + \$170.00 Admin Fee | Y |
| Services Memorial | Inscribed plaque installed on the Services memorial | \$338.50 | Y |
| Flower Vase - Grave | Council approved flower receptacle for headstone | \$245.50 | Υ |
| Flower Vase - Columbarium Wall | Council approved flower receptacle for columbarium wall | \$107.50 | Y |
| Search Fee | Undertake search of burial register - 5 or more records | \$73.00 | N |
| Private Property Permit | Application for permit to undertake burial on private property | \$128.00 | N |
| Erection of Monument | Application to erect a monument | \$142.00 | N |
| Refurbish Monument | Application to refurbish a monument | \$142.00 | N |
| Granite Plinth | Granite plinth in Monumental Cemetery or alternate granite plinth (any colour other than light grey) in Lawn Cemetery. | Actual Cost + \$170.00 Admin Fee | Y |
| Relinquish Reserve/Right of Burial, Niche or Ashes Site | Surrender of burial rights to a plot - reimbursement of 70% of original cost. Formal application to be made with permission of burial rights holder | As per description | Y |
| Scattering Ashes | Scattering of ashes in a cemetery | \$72.50 | Υ |
| Short Notice | Where two business days' notice for any interment has not been provided. In addition to standard charge. | \$206.00 | Y |

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| Funeral Service Set- Up only | The request to set-up for an ashes memorial service (no bodily burial) Includes 20 seats, 1 shade shelter and 20 umbrellas. | \$340.00 | Y |
| Interment Ashes - sustainable | Option for a sustainable ashes vessel which can be placed into any burial plot, ashes garden or general garden. (no memorial plaque is associated with this service) | \$170.00 | Υ |
| Inurnment Fee | Allows for council to complete the decanting of cremated ashes from a courier vessel (not suitable for ashes gardens or general garden plot) into a sustainable ashes vessel designed for inurnment | \$117.00 | Y |