

# **Application to Reserve a Grave or Ashes Site**

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1. Cemetery l	Detail									
□ Cooroy	□ Pomona			No further plots av				ts avai	ilable at Tewantin	
□ Grave Site	Do you wish to have a fut			ure monumental headstone? Y/N				Ashes site		
2. Applicant de	etails									
Details of applicant:										
Surname			Given names							
Date of birth	e of birth		Place of birth				1	Male / Female		
Residential/Pos	tal address	5								
Suburb				State Postcode						
A/H phone				Mobile						
Email address										
Details of 2 <sup>nd</sup> o	occupant o	f site (	if known):							
Surname				Given names						
Date of birth Place			e of birth			Ma			/ Female	
Residential/Pos	tal address	3								
Suburb Sta		State				Postcode				
A/H phone				Mobile						
Email address										
3. Site selection	n and fees	;								
Burial Right for Burial site reservation - \$1008.00				Burial Right for Ashes site - \$598.00						
(Excludes interment fee and GST)				(Excludes interment fee and GST)						
□ Lawn				□ Nich	ne wall				Tree	
Monumental – only full monuments can be placed in a monumental section of the				□ Garden				Lawn		
Cemetery.				☐ Yes / No						
Do you wish to meet on site to select a position?  Yes / No  4. Declaration of applicant										
			information provide	nd to mo o	on the otto	shad infe	ormotion	oboot		
I have read and I understand the information provided to me on the attached information sheet.  Signed Date										
Signed			Name						oale	
5. Payment op	tions									
Internet ☐ Please send me tax invoice via email to make payment – email address is as follows:										
In person	□ Noosa Council Tewantin office: 8.30 am to 4.30 pm Monday to Friday (excludes public holidays).									
By Mail	By Mail   An invoice will be mailed to you and a cheque can be made payable to: Noosa Council									
OFFICE USE C	NLY									
Application:			Amount Paid:		Receipt No:		Da	ate:		
Cemetery:			Section:		Row: Site:		te:			

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## Information Sheet – Application to reserve a grave or ashes site

#### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

People have many questions when it comes to reserving a grave or ashes site in one of the Noosa Council cemeteries.

The questions below represent the most frequently asked, however should you have a question or query not listed, please contact the Noosa Council on (07) 5329 6500 or email mail@noosa.qld.gov.au

#### 1. RESERVATION FEE

The reservation fee holds the plot until the time of interment only. The reservation fee paid is a one-off fee, and the fee is non-deductable from the interment fee. (Additional fees apply at time of interment).

#### 2. What does my site reservation cover?

Your site reservation covers the costs associated with reserving the site until date of use only.

#### 3. Can I pre-purchase my grave or ashes site?

No. You can only reserve a grave or ashes site.

### 4. Does my site reservation include the headstone or memorial?

No. At the time of interment there will be additional fees including interment fee and memorialisation fee.

#### 5. I would like my partner placed in the same site as myself, is this possible?

Yes, in most circumstances all interment positions are prepared for 2 burials. Some restrictions apply in certain cemeteries, but this is advised at the time of reservation. If required there will be a fee for additional burial/interment.

#### 6. Do I own my grave or ashes site?

No, you reserve the Burial rights to that grave or ashes site, therefore, becoming the burial/ashes rights holder. The land remains in the administration of the Noosa Council, however, only the burial/ashes rights holder can authorise burials or ashes and memorial additions.

## 7. Am I able to choose the location of my grave or ashes site?

Yes. A council officer can meet you onsite to discuss the available locations.

#### 8. Can I sell the rights of my grave or ashes position to another person?

No, your position may only be returned to council. You are not able to sell your position to another person.

#### 9. When I pass away what is required for my family to use my site?

At the time funeral arrangements are completed, a copy of the "Reservation Certificate" is required to be forwarded to the council office for verification. This can be done through your funeral director.

## 10. Why should I reserve a grave or ashes site?

The reservation of a grave or ashes site removes the burden on your family to choose a location for your burial.

#### 11. Doesn't my prepaid funeral plan already cover this cost?

We cannot advise you regarding the numerous funeral plans available. You would need to contact the insurance company/funeral company direct to confirm exactly what is covered by your individual plan.

## 12. RSL site – I would like to reserve a site in the RSL section of the cemetery?

All RSL reservations must be applied for via the relevant RSL Sub Branch.