


## The Rural Municipality of Elton

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### **POLICY DESCRIPTION:**

Be it resolved that Council of the RM of Elton adopt the following policy for new and existing cemeteries:

- Council discourages establishment of any new cemeteries in Elton at this time due to:
  - Future potential financial and administrative burden for operation and administration on the municipality, which would bear the ultimate responsibility for any cemetery operation in the absence of a working committee;
  - Existing plot availability in the five (5) cemeteries currently located in Elton.
- Should a request for establishment of a cemetery be received, Council may consider a new cemetery provided:
  - A sufficient financial contribution is submitted to the municipality, to be held in trust and invested, with proceeds from investment to be sufficient to pay for any and all works and services that need to be performed for operation of a cemetery;
  - Fees are established for services and plot sales on a fair market value basis, to be added to the trust established for operation of the cemetery.