



## PARKS, TREE & RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

### AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date:	May 11, 2022	Division:	Parks Division	Item:	Presentation
Title:	Presentations related to City of Laramie Greenhill Cemetery Columbarium project.				

**Recommended Board Motion:**

No motion, presentation only.

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**Administrative or Policy Goal:**

To support the approach of providing an area to inter cremains and add a valuable visiting area to the Laramie community.

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**Background Information:**

Greenhill Cemetery is one of the very few cemeteries in Wyoming that does not currently have a columbarium option available to the citizens. Cremation is currently surpassing vault burials and is continuing to trend upwards as the more desirable and economical form of putting loved one's to rest. Greenhill Cemetery has decided that block 123 is one of the less desirable locations in the Cemetery. It is our goal to use the design and concept of a columbarium area to attract citizens to that section and garner more use of the space not only visually, but financially.

The design has been established in a way that it can be built as the budget allows. Although this is not a cheap item, the Greenhill Cemetery will surely benefit from this idea and I believe it will bring a sense of joy and peace to this less desirable section of the Cemetery as well as create a space for general services and gatherings.

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**Legal/Code/Statutory Authority:**

N/A

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**Fiscal Information:**

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**Attachments:**

C1.1 Concept Plan