



FRIENDS of MIDDLEBOROUGH CEMETERIES, Inc.

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Summary of our Cemeteries

The **Friends of Middleborough Cemeteries** is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. The mission of the charity is to provide assistance to all the cemeteries in Middleborough. We do not, and cannot, manage cemeteries. We were established as a means to enable individuals and organizations to help with the ongoing maintenance and preservation needs of each and every burial location in town. We provide community service opportunities. What we do depends on you.

Massachusetts State Law defines a cemetery as *“an area of land set aside and dedicated for the final disposition of the remains of a deceased person.”* Therefore, a gravesite is a cemetery as well as a location where cremains are placed.

11 Private Cemeteries - these are managed by Associations

Cemetery at The Green	Central Cemetery
Nemasket Hill Cemetery	Purchade Cemetery
Rock Cemetery	Saint Marys Cemetery
South Middleboro Cemetery	Thomastown Cemetery
Titicut Parish Cemetery *	Wappanucket Cemetery

* Titicut Parish Cemetery manages Drake Cemetery

6 Public Cemeteries - these are maintained by, but not managed by, the Historical Commission

Fall Brook Cemetery	Gammons Cemetery
Gilbert Peirce	Reed Cemetery
Tack Factory Cemetery	Warrentown Cemetery

2 Town-owned Cemeteries - at least historically they were.

Alms House Cemetery	Infirmary Cemetery
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2 Cemeteries with unknown owners

Soule Street Smallpox Cemetery	Vaughan Cemetery
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12 cemeteries on private property

Eaton North Cemetery	Eaton South Cemetery
Vernon Street Smallpox Cemetery	Susan Francis Burial Ground
Wood Cemetery	Universalist Unitarian Memorial Garden
Universalist Unitarian Memorial Garden	Deborah Cushing Gravesite
Ephraim Cobb Gravesite	Lemuel Lyon Gravesite
Marcy Tinkham Gravesite	Samuel Sampson Gravesite

1 “uncertain” cemetery - Benson Cemetery, is on the border of Middleborough and Wareham. Is it in Middleborough?