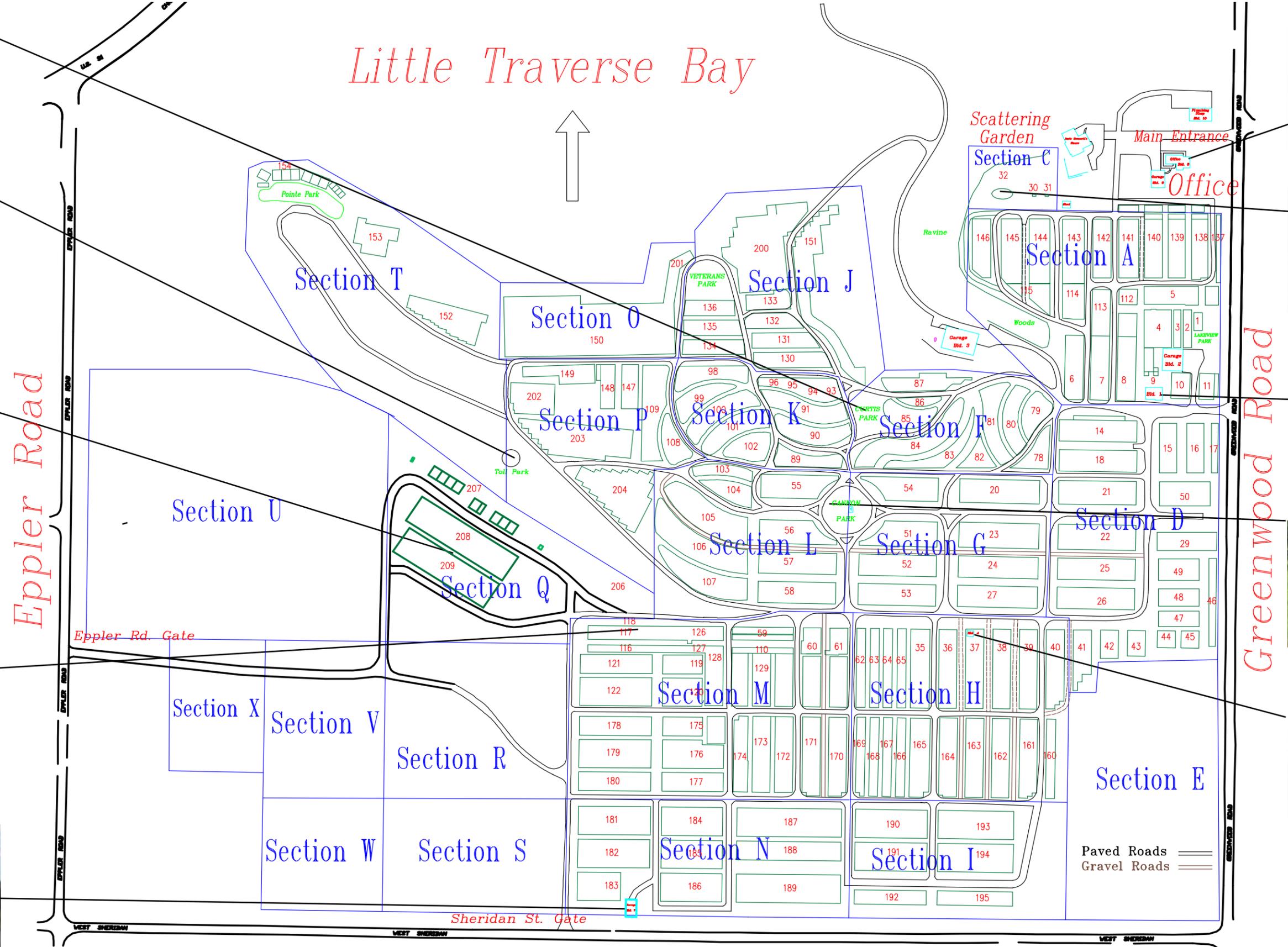


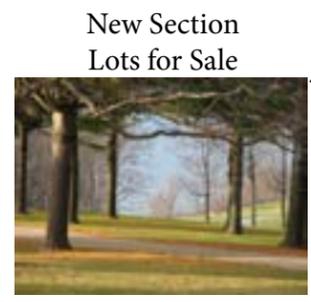
Little Traverse Bay



Purple Beech



Toll Park



New Section Lots for Sale



Columbarium



Maintenance Bldg.



New Office



Scattering Garden



Old Office



Cannon



Pump House

Scattering Garden

Main Entrance

Office

Section C

Section A

Section T

Section O

Section J

Section P

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Section F

Section U

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Paved Roads
Gravel Roads

Eppler Road

Greenwood Road

Sheridan Street

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INTRODUCTION

Greenwood Cemetery is located in Petoskey, Michigan. The property for the Cemetery was purchased in October, 1875, by Dr. William Little as the site for the fledgling community's municipal burial grounds. Unfortunately, Dr. Little became the second burial in the Cemetery when he passed away in November of that same year at 33 years of age. Since that time, more than 15,000 additional burials have been made, one after another, joining Dr. Little.

In 1897, the City of Petoskey, Bear Creek Township and Resort Township joined together to take ownership of the Cemetery. These three units of government appoint individuals to oversee the necessary operations. The Cemetery Board hires a superintendent who is responsible for the daily tasks necessary to keep the grounds in immaculate condition.



There are many options for interment at Greenwood: in-ground interment, columbariums, (a mausoleum for cremation urns), personal columbariums, personal mausoleums and a scattering garden. We would be pleased to show you the different areas of the Cemetery where lots are available for purchase.

ARBORETUM

In 2017, Greenwood received the honor of being designated an Arboretum. This means that we have achieved diversity in species of trees and shrubs within our grounds. You may find a walk through the Cemetery enlightening as you observe the various species marked by descriptive tags. It is our goal to continue to add a healthy mix of species to our urban forest to minimize the threat to any one species due to disease or predator. The new additions will also add to Spring and Fall color.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

We take great pride in the care of the grounds. One of the reasons the grounds look so nice is that we have rules and regulations governing what can be placed on a gravesite and where it can be placed. We don't make rules just for the sake of having rules but we make them to maintain a certain consistency of appearance while still allowing some freedom of expression. The full set of rules is available in the Cemetery office or on our website, but a few general rules you should be aware of are as follows:

- Statuary must not exceed 6" in height, and/or 6" in diameter and must be placed in a flowerbed or flowerpot.
- No artificial flowers or hanging pots (shepherd's hooks)
- No plantings around flush markers (See full rules for possible exceptions)
- No gravel, granite or stone chips in planting beds
- Urns and vases not in use for one year will be disposed of
- Winter decorations will be disposed of after March 1st and will not be saved
- Flower beds may not be planted behind the marker
- Trees may only be planted by the Cemetery
- ALL dogs must be on a leash
- Speed limit - 15 mph
- All statuary, small flower pots, wind chimes, personal items, trinkets, etc. must be removed by October 1st of each year and may not be replaced until March 1st of the following years. If not removed by October 1st the Cemetery will remove and dispose of them.

BURIAL LISTING

A complete listing of the burials in Greenwood is available in a mailbox next to the old office building. A listing with additional information is available at our website at www.gwood.us or you may visit the Cemetery office for that information.



Greenwood Cemetery & Arboretum

Map of Cemetery

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