

# SALEM MUNICIPAL SERVICES

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PINE GROVE CEMETERY



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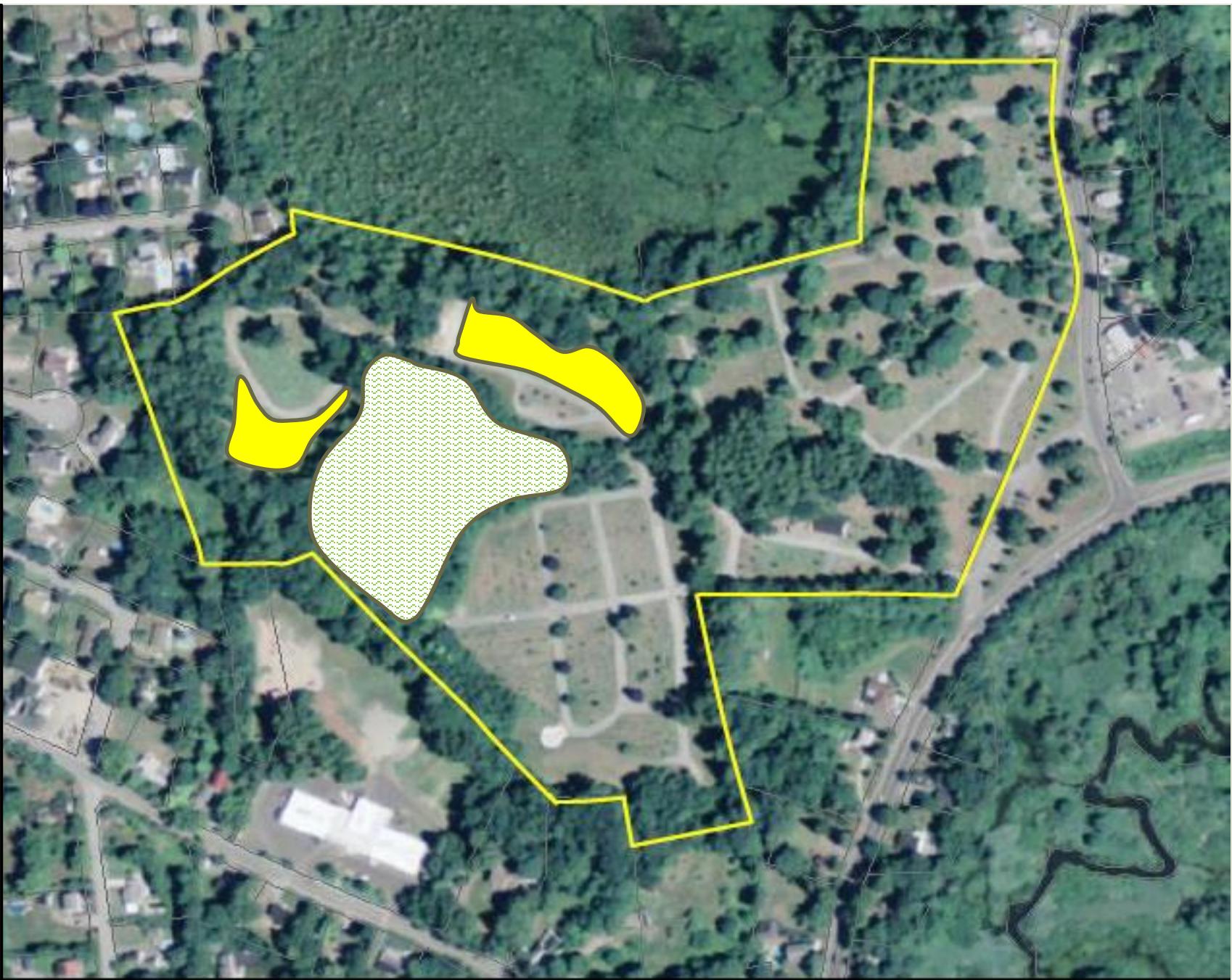
- Largest Cemetery
- 23 Acres
- 2015
  - 45 Burials
  - 46 Cremations
- 2016
  - 38 Burials
  - 18 Cremations
- 320 Remaining Plots?

# CONSIDERATIONS



Capacity Issues  
Inefficient Mapping  
Index Card Records  
Layout  
Capital Improvements  
Technology

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# EXPANSION





- New Graves
- X Plots Available
- No Formal Layout
- Plot
  - 1 Full Burial
  - 3 Cremations
  - No Pre-Sales
  - 4 Plots
  - \$400
- Cost of Burial
  - Full - \$500
  - Cremation - \$75
  - \$200 Extra Weekends/Holidays





- 2 plus acres
- Ledge issues
- Cremation Garden
- Columbarium
  - Upright Structure
  - Granite
  - Niches
  - Pre-Sales
  - Cost
- Designed
- Phased

# CREMATION GARDEN



# CREMATION SECTION



- Lower half of 2 acre section
- Grade could be raised with wall by road
- Uniformity
- Efficiency



# MASTER PLAN

- Cemeteries run out of space due to no planning and become a combination of various add on sections
- Identify build out locations and survey, map, and plan to maximize space
- Identify expansion feasibility and prioritize
- Sustain and document digitally the existing inventory and layout of cemetery graves
- Create a formal CIP
- Analyze current costs and fees for sustainability
- Purchase software that will manage the plots
- Conservation and restoration of old sections

# DISCUSSION

