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### Green Lawn Planting Policy

Green Lawn Cemetery prides itself in preserving a remnant of Ohio's native mixed-oak forest and being both a registered arboretum and part of an Audubon Important Bird Area. Nature is truly part of what makes Green Lawn a special place, and our policies are designed to ensure that special beauty is maintained.

Please review the rules for decorating lots before you plant anything to make sure you know what type of plants, if any, are allowed on your lot.

If plants are allowed, we strongly encourage you to use native plants suitable for the amount of sunlight your lot receives and taking into consideration that many lots have fairly dry soil in the summer. Your nursery can recommend appropriate plants, and there are many online guides including suggestions for natives that take the place of many ornamentals.

If you are considering a shrub or tree, it is encouraged that you request a consult with the cemetery staff who are happy to review your lot and recommend some great choices.

Native or otherwise we want your plants to please you and be compatible with the cemetery.

Below is a list of plants that ARE NOT permitted at Green Lawn. These plants will be immediately removed if found on the grounds:

#### Non-native Invasive Species (Banned from Planting on Property)

1. Japanese Honeysuckle – *Lonicera japonica*
2. Japanese Knotweed – *Polygonum cuspidatum*
3. Japanese Barberry – *Berberis thunbergii*
4. Autumn Olive – *Elaeagnus umbellata*
5. Buckthorns – *Rhamnus frangula*, *R. cathartica*
6. Purple Loosestrife – *Lythrum salicaria*
7. Common Reed or Phragmites – *Phragmites australis*
8. Reed Canary Grass – *Phalaris arundinacea*
9. Garlic Mustard – *Alliaria petiolata*
10. Multiflora Rose – *Rosa multiflora*
11. Bush Honeysuckles – *Lonicera maackii*, *L. tatarica*, *L. morrowii*
12. Callery Pear – *Pyrus Calleryana* – includes ALL varieties of pear trees
13. Tree of Heaven - *Ailanthus altissima*
14. Burning Bush - *Euonymus alatus*
15. Wintercreeper - *Euonymus fortunei*
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