

FACTS REGARDING OUR CEMETERY

- ❑ THE CEMETERY IS LOCATED ON BANFIELD ROAD, WITHIN A 10 MINUTE DRIVE FROM THE TEMPLE.
- ❑ WHEN YOU PAY YOUR DUES, THERE IS A LINE ITEM ENTITLED CEMETERY YEAR 1, CEMETERY YEAR 2, ETC, FOR THE FIRST 10 YEARS OF MEMBERSHIP. YOU'VE PROBABLY SEEN THIS, BUT DO YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY? THE CEMETERY PORTION OF YOUR DUES ASSISTS IN PAYING FOR WATER, ELECTRICITY, INSURANCE, LAWN CARE AND SNOW REMOVAL.
- ❑ ONCE A PLOT IS NEEDED, A FAMILY MEMBER WILL CHOOSE A DESIRED LOCATION WITH THE AID OF A CEMETERY COMMITTEE MEMBER. AT THAT TIME, A \$500 PERPETUAL CARE FEE WILL BE CHARGED TO THAT FAMILY FOR THE CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF THAT PLOT. THIS IS A ONE TIME PAYMENT.
- ❑ IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS BENEFIT, YOU MUST BE A MEMBER OF THE TEMPLE IN GOOD STANDING FOR A PERIOD OF AT LEAST THREE CONSECUTIVE YEARS JUST PRIOR TO NEEDING THAT PLOT. IF YOU OR A FAMILY MEMBER CHOOSES TO BE BURIED IN OUR CEMETERY AND HAVE NOT MET THE MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENT, A \$5,000 FEE WILL BE CHARGED. THIS FEE APPROXIMATES THREE YEARS OF MEMBERSHIP INCLUDING DUES AND ALL FEES. THE \$500 PERPETUAL CARE FEE WILL STILL APPLY, AS WELL.
- ❑ ONE OF THE UNIQUE BENEFITS OF OUR CEMETERY IS THAT IT CONTAINS A JEWISH AND INTERFAITH SECTION, AS WELL AS A CHEVRA KADISHA COMMITTEE. THIS GROUP IS MADE UP OF MEN AND WOMEN RESPONSIBLE FOR RITUAL PREPARATION OF THE BODY FOR BURIAL WITHIN THE JEWISH SECTION OF THE CEMETERY, AS WELL AS JEWISH BURIALS IN THE INTERFAITH SECTION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH JEWISH LAW. THIS WORK IS CONSIDERED A GREAT MITZVAH AND WE ARE TRULY LUCKY TO HAVE SUCH A SOCIETY AS IT IS RARE FOR A CONGREGATION OF OUR SIZE TO HAVE THEIR OWN CHEVRA KADISHA. WE THANK THE MEMBERS OF THAT COMMITTEE FOR THE DILIGENCE AND RESPECT THEY HAVE SHOWN OUR LOVED ONES.