

General Price List

Pollock-Randall & Marysville Funeral Homes



Port Huron

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Marysville

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This General Price List is provided to you in compliance with federal regulations. However, it has always been our policy to provide full information to the public about our funeral arrangements and costs. We encourage your inquiries and questions about any items on the General Price List that you do not understand.

These prices are effective as of **January 1, 2016**, but may be subject to change without notice.

In compliance with the trade regulations of the Federal Trade Commission (16 CFR Part 453), we are required to provide you this General Price List. The goods and services shown below are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only the items you desire. However, any funeral arrangements you select will include a charge for our basic services and overhead. If legal or other requirements mean you must buy any items you did not specifically ask for, we will explain the reason in writing on the statement we provide describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Basic Services of Funeral Directors and Overhead \$2640.00

Our basic service charge includes, but is not limited to, staff to respond to initial request for service; arrangement conference with family or responsible party; preparation and filing of necessary certificates and permits; placement of obituary notices; planning of funeral arrangements; and coordination of service with cemetery, crematory, vault companies and others as required. Also included in this charge are overhead expenses relative to our facility such as insurance, maintenance and utility expenses, secretarial and administrative costs, and equipment and inventory expenses.

This fee for our basic services and overhead will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements you select. (This fee is already included in our charges for direct cremations, immediate burials, and forwarding or receiving remains.)

Embalming \$775.00

Except in certain special cases, embalming is not required by law. Embalming may be necessary, however, if you select certain funeral arrangements, such as a funeral with viewing. If you do not want embalming, you usually have the right to choose an arrangement that does not require you to pay for it, such as direct cremation or immediate burial. The law requires embalming when death was caused by certain infectious diseases, or with very limited exceptions, when the body is not taken to its final destination (such as a cemetery or crematory) within 48 hours.

Other preparation of the body \$400.00

Services provided may include (when necessary), but are not limited to, the following: restoration, cosmetology, special care of autopsied remains, washing and disinfecting when no embalming, manicuring.

Use of Facilities and Staff for Visitation at funeral home \$950.00

Use of Staff and Equipment for Visitation at other location \$1150.00

Use of reception room adjunct to chapel visitation \$400.00

(Note: Reception room usage is subject to a separate contract and some limitations. Our standard charge for facilities is for 2-4 & 7-9 p.m. Additional periods of visitation are \$100 per hour per room.)

Use of Facilities and Staff for Funeral/Ceremony/Rite/Memorial Service \$950.00

Services and Equipment for Graveside Service \$950.00

All visitations/services include the use of a coffee lounge which is shared by the public and is limited to the beverage service provided by us. Food is not permitted in our coffee lounges or chapels. If however, you would like to serve food or additional beverages (excluding alcohol) during visitation, you may rent our reception room which is set up to provide safe and sanitary food handling. The reception room may be used as a chapel (with the casket or urn present) or it may be used in addition to a traditional chapel for family meals and gathering during visitation. Food & beverages may not be carried out of the reception room or consumed in other areas of the funeral home. We can provide catering, menus and prices from local caterers and restaurants that we have approved. You can provide your own food by signing a waiver which absolves us from liability for problems with food-borne illness and allergies. A sign which states this will be displayed in the reception room. If you are interested in serving food during visitation, please discuss this with your funeral director at the arrangement conference.

AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT

All charges are for use of vehicles and staff within a 30-mile radius of the funeral home. The cost of trips outside that radius will be computed at \$3.00 per one-way mile.

Transfer of remains to Funeral Home	<u>\$375.00</u>
Funeral Coach (Hearse)	<u>\$400.00</u>
Limousine (9-passenger)	<u>Livery Charge</u>
Family Car (4-passenger sedan)	<u>\$300.00</u>
Service/Utility Vehicle	<u>\$300.00</u>
Flower delivery following service (by family request)	<u>\$300.00</u>

MERCHANDISE

Caskets

From \$135.00 to \$6850.00 A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.

Outer Burial Containers

From \$740.00 to \$9950.00 A complete price list will be provided at the funeral home.

Other merchandise available from the funeral home includes clothing, cremation urns, jewelry, religious/fraternal articles, stationery items such as register books, prayer cards, memorial folders and acknowledgments, cemetery markers, monuments and mausoleums, temporary markers. Our staff will provide price information on any items upon request.

PLEASE NOTE: Cemeteries or crematories may have certain restrictions concerning the type of burial or cremation container they will accept, may require the use of an outer burial container, and may have other rules, regulations and restrictions which may limit your choices or require you to purchase certain goods or services. We have no control over the policies of cemeteries/crematories. We will, however, advise you of the policies of cemeteries/crematories, and whether your choices of funeral goods and services are compatible with your choice of cemetery/crematory.

OTHER CHARGES

Forwarding of Remains to Another Funeral Home

\$1090.00

This charge includes the removal of remains, basic services of staff, embalming, necessary authorizations, minimum shipping container and local transportation to airport. This charge does not include mileage, visitation, rites, or ceremonies prior to forwarding of the body.

Receiving of Remains from Another Funeral Home

\$995.00

This charge includes temporary shelter of remains, basic services of staff and transportation of remains to cemetery or crematory. This charge does not include mileage, visitation, rites or ceremonies.

Immediate Burial Price Range From \$4030.00 to \$20830.00

The charge for immediate burial includes removal of remains, local transportation to the cemetery, the necessary authorizations and basic services of staff and overhead. This charge does not include embalming, the use of facilities, and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private, prior to the burial.

Immediate burial with casket provided by purchaser

\$4030.00

Immediate burial with casket selected from our funeral home (in addition to cost of casket.)

\$4030.00

GREEN BURIAL OPTIONS

This firm makes available several "green" burial options and is one of a select group of funeral providers approved by the Green Burial Council, a nonprofit organization that encourages the use of burial as a means of facilitating the restoration, acquisition, and stewardship of natural areas. For such arrangements, formaldehyde-based embalming is prohibited as is the use of metal or concrete grave-liners, burial vaults, or other permanent burial containers. Caskets, coffins or alternative containers used to enclose and transport the dead are made of bio-degradable materials and are available in a range of prices. Home wakes, public visitations, church funerals and graveside services are options that may be arranged within the time frame green burial allows. As with all of our services and merchandise offerings, detailed price information for each component is itemized on our General Price List and Casket Price List.



Cremations without services

Price Range From **\$1720.00** to **\$5712.00**

The charge for a cremation without services includes removal of remains, local transportation to crematory, the necessary authorizations and basic services of staff and overhead. This charge does not include the crematory fee or the use of facilities and staff for any visitation or ceremony, public or private. If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials (with or without an outside covering). The containers we provide are fiberboard boxes or wood cremation caskets.

Cremation (without services) with container provided by purchaser (All such merchandise must meet applicable state and crematory requirements). **\$1720.00**

Cremation (without services) with fiberboard box selected from our funeral home **\$1855.00**

Cremation (without services) with casket selected from our funeral home (in addition to cost of casket) **\$1720.00**

Welfare/Charity Package

\$4700.00

Although we are not required to do so, we remain committed to serving those in our community who are unable to afford, but desire the benefits of a traditional funeral. The family is responsible for any balance not approved or not paid by D.H.S. The funeral home is discounting our normal prices significantly. Therefore, this is a limited service that does not include all of the amenities and service items included in full-price funerals; substitutions and additions to the specified arrangements are not available. Payment of cash advances and family contribution is expected prior to funeral service.

The package includes: cloth-covered casket, removal to funeral home within 30 miles, embalming and other care of the body, limited services of funeral directors and staff, including necessary permits and authorizations, use of facilities for visitation one hour prior to service, funeral service at funeral home only scheduled at our convenience, transportation to local cemetery or crematory. This package does not include: professional hair dressing, memorial folders/ prayer cards/ acknowledgment cards, procession to cemetery, church services, use of automobiles other than removal car and hearse, mileage, coffee service during visitation or aftercare program.

A Note About Our Casket Pricing

Several years ago we recognized the consumer's dissatisfaction with the traditional practice of using a retail-style "mark-up" on caskets to cover the overhead costs involved in providing funeral services. We believe our families want to know exactly what they are paying for, to know that they are paying the lowest possible price for the casket and to make a casket selection free of real or perceived sales pressure. We sell our caskets at \$400 over their wholesale cost (the fee covers the cost of holding the inventory as well as items like freight, transfer and storage). We are happy to provide a copy of the manufacturer invoice or price list upon request.

All of our costs of doing business (personnel, facilities and vehicles) are reflected in the service charges listed in this General Price List. Many other funeral homes still have some of this overhead included in their casket prices. To accurately compare costs between funeral homes, you need both service and merchandise for a total funeral price. We advise obtaining a written estimate in all cases so that you have a clear understanding and documentation of what is and is not included in a quoted price. Our licensed funeral directors will provide this information for you at no cost or obligation in pre-need or at-need situations.