

SURVEY FOR

Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery preliminary concept master plan

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Your community feedback will help shape the future of Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery, ensuring it reflects the needs and expectations of the Ipswich community as a respectful, inclusive, and peaceful place of remembrance.

Provide your feedback through our short survey below. Once completed, please return this survey by the closing date of 29 August 2025. Surveys can be returned by:

- Posting to PO Box 191, Ipswich QLD 4305 (Attn: Community Engagement team)
- Dropping off in person at 1 Nicholas Street, Ipswich
- Scanning a copy and emailing communityengagement@ipswich.qld.gov.au

Learn more about this project at www.shapeyouripswich.com.au/warrill-park-lawn-cemetery

Tell us about your experience with Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery

1. Have you visited Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery in the past 12 months?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Yes
<input type="radio"/>	No

2. If you answered yes to the above question, what was the purpose of your visit?

Select all that apply	
<input type="radio"/>	Attending a service
<input type="radio"/>	Visiting a loved one
<input type="radio"/>	Other (please specify)

3. Do you or your family have loved ones buried or memorialised at Warrill Park?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Yes
<input type="radio"/>	No
<input type="radio"/>	Unsure

4. How likely is it that you would consider Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery for future burial or memorial needs?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Very unlikely
<input type="radio"/>	Unlikely
<input type="radio"/>	Unsure
<input type="radio"/>	Likely
<input type="radio"/>	Very Likely

Natural Burial Areas

A natural burial area allows for burials using biodegradable materials in a bushland setting. This option supports environmentally conscious practices and provides an alternative to traditional burial methods.

5. Would you support the introduction of a natural burial area at Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Yes
<input type="radio"/>	No
<input type="radio"/>	Unsure

6. If you answered yes to the above question, what features would you like to see in a natural burial area?

Select all that apply.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Native vegetation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Biodegradable materials
<input type="checkbox"/>	Minimal or natural headstones
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please tell us your ideas)

Outdoor pavilion

An outdoor pavilion would serve as a sheltered space for family gatherings, quiet reflection and could also be used for small services. It would provide a functional area for visitors to use during various weather conditions.

7. How likely are you to use an outdoor pavilion for services or gatherings at the cemetery?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Very Unlikely
<input type="radio"/>	Unlikely
<input type="radio"/>	Unsure
<input type="radio"/>	Likely
<input type="radio"/>	Very Likely

8. If you answered likely or very likely to the above question, what features would you like to see at an outdoor pavilion?

Select all that apply.	
<input type="radio"/>	Shade
<input type="radio"/>	Seating
<input type="radio"/>	Accessibility
<input type="radio"/>	Other (please tell us your ideas)

Memorial gardens and walks

Memorial gardens and walking paths provide dedicated spaces for ashes placement and remembrance. These areas are designed to support quiet reflection and respectful visitation, offering a structured and accessible way for families to honour loved ones over time.

9. How important is it to have landscaped memorial gardens or walking paths for ashes placement?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Not important
<input type="radio"/>	Somewhat important
<input type="radio"/>	Neutral
<input type="radio"/>	Important
<input type="radio"/>	Very important

10. If you believe memorial gardens to be important, what design elements would you value most in a memorial garden?

Select all that apply.	
<input type="radio"/>	Quiet seating areas
<input type="radio"/>	Placement areas for ashes
<input type="radio"/>	Accessibility
<input type="radio"/>	Water features
<input type="radio"/>	Native gardens
<input type="radio"/>	Other (please tell us your ideas)
<input type="radio"/>	

Tree bosques

Tree bosques are small groves of trees that could be used for burials or ashes placement. This option provides a natural setting for memorialisation with minimal built infrastructure.

11. What is your level of interest in seeing tree bosques introduced as a setting for burials or ashes placement?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Very uninterested
<input type="radio"/>	Uninterested
<input type="radio"/>	Neutral
<input type="radio"/>	Interested
<input type="radio"/>	Very interested

Rehabilitation of Existing Burial Areas

Some older burial areas have plaques that sit below ground level and can become submerged during wet weather. Rehabilitation would involve raising plaques and improving the ground surface to enhance access and visibility.

12. Do you support the rehabilitation of older burial areas?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Yes
<input type="radio"/>	No
<input type="radio"/>	Unsure

13. If you answered yes to the above question, what improvements would you like to see?

Select all that apply.	
<input type="radio"/>	Concrete lawn beams
<input type="radio"/>	Edging and decorative stones
<input type="radio"/>	Other (please tell us your ideas)

Monumental graves

A monumental grave area would allow for traditional graves covered by masonry. This option provides families with the opportunity to create more permanent and personalised memorials.

14. Would you be interested in an area for monumental graves?

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Yes
<input type="radio"/>	No
<input type="radio"/>	Unsure

15. If you answered yes to the above question, what style or features would you expect to see?

Select all that apply.	
<input type="radio"/>	Raised full slab masonry coverings
<input type="radio"/>	Space for flower vases
<input type="radio"/>	Customisable inscriptions and epitaphs
<input type="radio"/>	Use of premium materials (e.g., granite, marble)
<input type="radio"/>	Incorporation of religious or cultural symbols
<input type="radio"/>	Other (please tell us your ideas)

General feedback

16. What other ideas or features would you like to see included in the future development of Warrill Park Lawn Cemetery?

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About you

We want to make sure we are hearing from people of all backgrounds. Please complete these questions to help us know who has or has not been represented through this survey

17. Gender

Select one answer only	
<input type="radio"/>	Male
<input type="radio"/>	Female
<input type="radio"/>	Non-binary/Gender diverse

18. What year were you born?

19. Suburb

20. Country of birth

21. Relationship to Ipswich City Council

Select all that apply.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Work in Ipswich
<input type="checkbox"/>	Live in Ipswich
<input type="checkbox"/>	Visit Ipswich
<input type="checkbox"/>	Own a business in Ipswich
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pay rates in Ipswich
<input type="checkbox"/>	No relationship to Ipswich
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other

22. Do you identify as any of the following

Select all that apply.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	A person of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent
<input type="checkbox"/>	A person with a disability, inclusive of mental illness
<input type="checkbox"/>	A person identifying as LGBTIQ+
<input type="checkbox"/>	A person speaking English as a second language
<input type="checkbox"/>	None of the above

Thank you for completing this survey and helping to shape this project.

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