

**RULES AND REGULATIONS SET FORTH BY AMERICAN LEGION, WILLIAM MCKINLEY POST 106
FOR THE VETERANS' SECTION OF THE NILES CITY CEMETERY**

ANY HONORABLY DISCHARGED AMERICAN VETERAN may be buried in the Veterans' plots at the Niles City Cemetery. The Veterans' plots are deeded to the William McKinley Post 106 of the American Legion as a resting place for any Honorably Discharged American Veterans.

The family must agree to the following rules and regulations:

1. The City of Niles Cemetery sexton and the Cemetery Committee of the William McKinley Post 106 will enforce these rules.
2. **Memorial tributes may be placed on graves ten (10) days prior to a Nationally Recognized Holiday and must be removed ten (10) days after the holiday.** Any memorial tributes left standing after this time period will be subject to removal by Niles City Cemetery personnel, in accordance with the Cemetery Committee of the William McKinley Post 106.
3. Two weeks before Memorial Day, Post 106 of the American Legion will place an American Flag and a Trumbull County Veteran's Medallion on each grave. The flags and medallions will be removed the weekend after the Fourth of July.
4. The grave markers will conform to those at Arlington National Cemetery. The markers (which are free) may be secured through the Cemetery Committee of the William McKinley Post 106, or preferably the Funeral Directors.
5. The Cemetery Committee of the William McKinley Post 106 and the Funeral Directors must see the DD214 of the deceased Veteran. The family **must** agree to abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the Cemetery Committee of the William McKinley Post 106, **must** sign the agreement, and a copy **must** be on file at the American Legion, William McKinley Post 106.
6. There will be a \$100.00 installation fee, established by the American Legion, William McKinley Post 106, for the marker (all markers must have a footer). Only the Cemetery Committee of Post 106 or Cemetery personnel will place the head stones. Discharge papers, agreement and the \$100.00 installation fee for the placement of the head stone must be turned in no later than 24 hours prior to burial.
7. The City of Niles and its Employees have the right-of-way to all cemetery plots.

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____