

CEMETERY PROVISION

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1.Introduction

North Lincolnshire Council is a burial authority by virtue of the Local Government Act 1972 s.214.

The Local Authorities Cemetery Order 1977 gives councils wide ranging powers of management for cemeteries.

The council is under no statutory duty to provide a cemetery but is required to maintain its existing cemeteries.

The council is required to make funeral arrangements under the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984.

2. North Lincolnshire Council Strategic Influences

The council is currently working on producing a Local Plan document that will identify potential sites for future developments up to 2036. North Lincolnshire Local Plan Policy specifically states that:

Policy CSC13: Burial Grounds and Cemetery provision

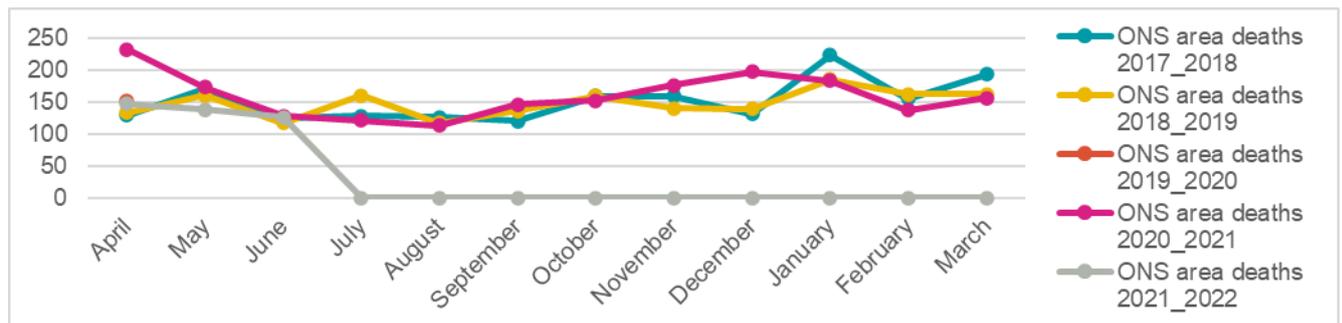
- 1.Cemetery sites are proposed at the following location:
 - a.Land at Plymouth Road, Scunthorpe
- 2.If a need is identified for any other new cemeteries or burial grounds in North Lincolnshire, sites should be located adjacent or in close proximity to existing cemetery and crematoria facilities.

The Council manage eight public cemeteries in North Lincolnshire:

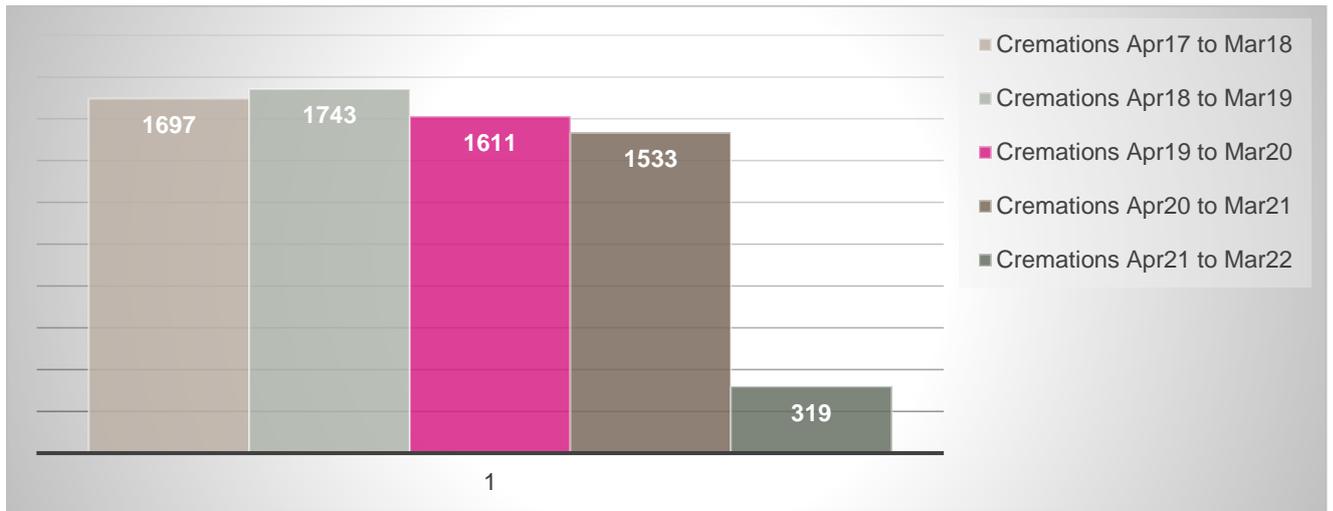
- Barrow
- Barton
- Brigg (and Cemetery extension)
- Brumby (Scunthorpe)
- Crosby (Scunthorpe)
- Frances Street (Scunthorpe)
- Scawby
- Winterton
- Wrawby-cum-Brigg (in Brigg)

3.Burial Space Data and Capacity

The current death rate continues to fall in North Lincolnshire when measured against the previous 5 years; we are recording our lowest death rate since 2018.

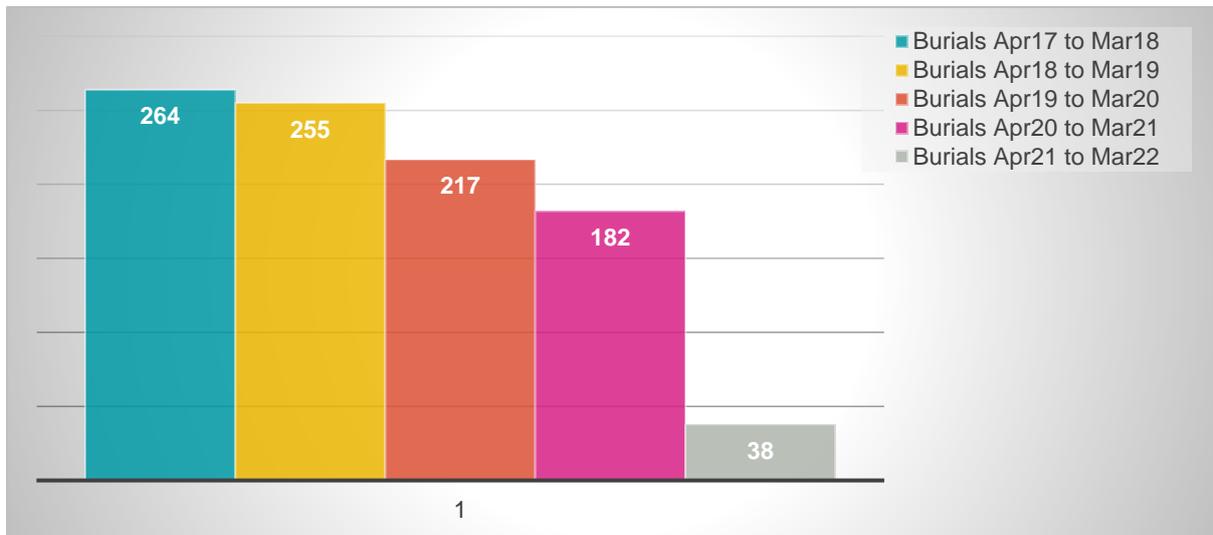


Cremations



Woodlands Memorial Park and Cemeteries (Brumby, Crosby, Barrow, Barton, Brigg, Scawby, Winterton)

There is a continual decline in the number of burials taking place in cemeteries across the county.



All cemeteries provided in North Lincolnshire have enough capacity within the plan period up to 2036. However there are a few cemeteries which require further expansion to cater for the projected capacity. These are:-

- Scunthorpe Brumby Cemetery Burial has remaining capacity for 2 years for Burial capacity therefore an extension to this cemetery has been allocated in the local plan to address this need.
- Scunthorpe Crosby Cemetery has the capacity for 1 more year for burial space. The Council will continue to inter in any pre-purchased graves or when re-opening sufficient space allows for.

- Barton cemetery has 4 years capacity remaining for cremated remains spaces therefore proposals to extend the cemetery are being considered through housing proposals close to the existing cemetery so the cemetery can be extended.

Below is the table showing the available space at the cemeteries in North Lincolnshire:-

Site	total land measue m ²	available grave space as at April2017	April16-March17	available grave space as at April2017	April17-March18	available grave space as at April2018	April18-March19	available grave space as at April2019	April19-March20	available grave space as at April2020	April20-March21	available grave space as at April2021	remaining yrs @ April20	Average useage
Scunthorpe, Brumby Cemetery BURIAL Space	29460	60	12	48	16	32	13	19	9	10	8	2	2	13
Scunthorpe, Brumby Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		16	1	15	0	15	0	15	2	13	0	13	20	1
Scunthorpe, Crosby Cemetery BURIAL Space	10990	5	1	4	2	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
Scunthorpe, Crosby Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		59	1	58	0	58	1	57	0	57	0	57	114	1
Scunthorpe, Woodlands Memorial Park BURIAL Space	109425	1158	77	1081	79	1002	73	929	82	847	79	768	12	78
Scunthorpe, Woodlands Memorial Park CREMATED REMAINS Space		405	51	354	48	306	48	258	41	217	54	163	5	47
Barrow, Barrow Cemetery BURIAL Space	21390	400	6	394	10	384	9	375	7	368	11	357	47	8
Barrow, Barrow Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		432	3	429	3	426	3	423	0	423	0	423	188	2
Barton Cemetery BURIAL Space	36250	720	23	697	16	681	26	655	20	635	31	604	31	21
Barton Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		37	6	31	6	25	5	20	5	15	1	14	4	6
Brigg, Wrawby Road Cemetery BURIAL Space	26630	369	37	332	29	303	3	300	9	291	15	276	15	20

Brigg, Wrawby Road Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		200	8	192	5	187	9	178	4	174	9	165	27	7
Scawby Cemetery - BURIAL Space	3930	203	10	193	4	189	5	184	3	181	8	173	33	6
Scawby Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		30	1	29	2	27	5	22	2	20	4	16	9	3
Winterton Cemetery BURIAL Space	12210	235	8	227	9	218	10	208	7	201	6	195	24	9
Winterton Cemetery CREMATED REMAINS Space		210	3	207	7	200	8	192	7	185	4	181	31	6

