

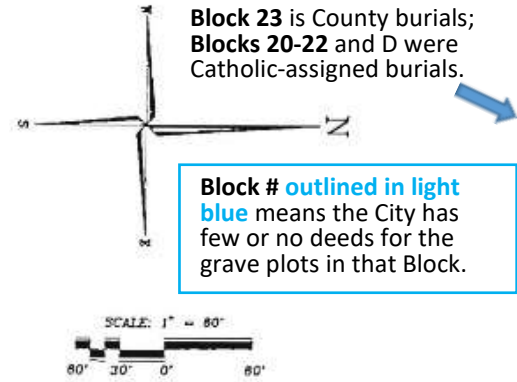
Row #s (assigned in GIS mapping and mentioned in many OnBase documents in LE – Cemetery Deeds) start with the number 1 on the eastern edge of each Block.

Drive 7 is steep, gravelly and rutted between Drives D and E. Drive 7 continues west/downhill into a staging area restricted to Parks and Recreation Department use; no public access.

The actual layout along Drive F is different than shown here. Drives 3-8 stop when they reach Drive F. At its southernmost boundary Drive F bends around into Drive 3, and then continues southward with Block 18 to its right/west and Block 19 on its left/east.

Block	#Docs
1	245
2	18
3	300
4	103
5	16
6	6
7	69
8	278
9	98
10	21
11	47
12	13
13	63
14	133
15	369
16	145
17	26
18	0
19	347
20	381
21	72
22	43
23	0
24	399
25	248
26	223
27	225
28	349
28A	0
29	237
30	210
31	184
32	432
33	364
33A	162
34	73
40	39
41	346
42	154
42A	96
42B	130
43	88
44	5
All:	6,757

To the left is a count of the current # of electronic documents in the City's On-Base system documenting the appropriation of cemetery plots.



Block 23 is County burials; Blocks 20-22 and D were Catholic-assigned burials.

Block # outlined in light blue means the City has few or no deeds for the grave plots in that Block.

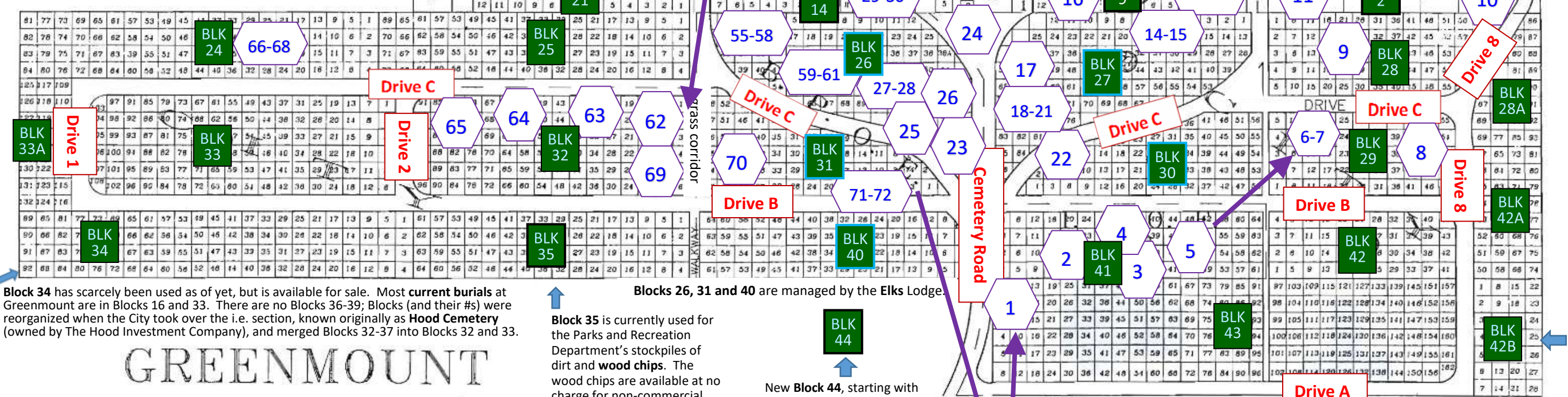
Nobody seems to know the meaning of "Graceland." Do you?

The City has sold grave plots in aisles, such as the N-S alleyway that divides Block 20.

Cemetery staff refers to the (mostly vacant) portion of the GAR section in Block 13 as "The Triangle." The GAR called Drive D "Sheridan" and Drive 5 "Grant" after the Civil War Generals.

The Lot #s for Block 25 as shown here are wholly incorrect. They start with 116 in the NW.

South



Block 34 has scarcely been used as of yet, but is available for sale. Most current burials at Greenmount are in Blocks 16 and 33. There are no Blocks 36-39; Blocks (and their #s) were reorganized when the City took over the i.e. section, known originally as Hood Cemetery (owned by The Hood Investment Company), and merged Blocks 32-37 into Blocks 32 and 33.

Blocks 26, 31 and 40 are managed by the Elks Lodge.

Block 35 is currently used for the Parks and Recreation Department's stockpiles of dirt and wood chips. The wood chips are available at no charge for non-commercial use. Wood chip mulch is a useful means of improving water retention and soil conditions, especially given the clay soils around here.

New Block 44, starting with the veterans monument as you first get up the hill; includes grave sites for US veterans. This veterans section is managed similar to a national cemetery; the DD214 discharge document is a requirement for its use.

On 12/12/2017 the City purchased 9.75 acres directly to the north of Block 1 from the Elks for \$400,000, as open space, giving the City future possibilities for burials at Greenmount.

The actual Lot #s in Block 1 are somewhat different than this. They go to Lot 75.

North

The actual layout of Drive 8 is different than drawn. It doesn't angle over; it is pretty much a straight line between Drives A & F.

Block 42B is numbered this way because it is where babies are interred.

Block 43 is strictly for cremations, except for some above-ground vaults in its upper portion.

Moore Parks Shop (opened in 2019)

Start & End Here Visitor Parking

PREPARED BY GOFF ENGINEERING  
NOVEMBER 1991

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GREENMOUNT  
CEMETERY



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