



**HERITAGE  
COUNCIL**  
OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

### Register Entry

1. **DATA BASE No.** 04647
2. **NAME** *Early Graves, Guildford Cemetery (1888+)*  
**FORMER NAME (or OTHER NAMES)** Guildford Cemeteries, South Guildford Cemetery
3. **LOCATION** Kalamunda Road, South Guildford
4. **DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY**  
Those portions of Lots 501 and 502 on Deposited Plan 52282, being part of Reserve 21697 and part of the land contained in Crown Land Title Volume 3146 Folio 639 and Volume 3146 Folio 640 respectively and together as shown on Heritage Council Curtilage Map P4647-A.
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** City of Swan
6. **OWNER AT REGISTRATION**  
State of Western Australia (Management Order to Metropolitan Cemeteries Board)
7. **HERITAGE LISTINGS**

• Register of Heritage Places:	Interim Entry	02/09/1998
	Registered	14/06/2021
• National Trust Classification:		30/08/2017
• Town Planning Scheme:		-----
• Municipal Inventory:	Exceptional Significance	15/12/2010
• Register of the National Estate:		-----
• Aboriginal Sites Register		-----
8. **ORDERS UNDER SECTION OF THE ACT**  
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9. **HERITAGE AGREEMENT**  
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## 10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

*Early Graves, Guildford Cemetery* (1888+), a small section of a large operational cemetery that comprises graves, headstones, and monuments (including relocated monuments) in an un-vegetated setting, has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:

the place includes the earliest burials of the wider cemetery site, and the monuments are reminders of notable early settlers, convicts, Guildford identities, government administrators, and their contribution to the development of the Swan River Colony;

the place includes bodies and monuments relocated from the Anglican East Guildford Cemetery in c.1890s;

the early headstones, plot surrounds and memorials display the creative skills and achievements of the monumental masons, particularly during the earliest development phase of the wider cemetery site; and,

the place is a good representative example of the earliest burial sections of a municipal cemetery.