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## ***Funeral and Cemetery Arrangements***

Jefferson Parish is advising residents that have recently experienced a death of a loved one to contact the funeral home that is making the funeral and cemetery arrangements. Most funeral homes in Jefferson Parish are open and fully operational. Funeral Directors are prepared to accommodate your families needs in a timely fashion during this very trying period. We don't want bereaved families to delay making these most important plans. Arrangements can be made through your funeral directors to allow for family and friends to gather.

Furthermore, funeral home and cemetery personnel are also requested to contact their respective homes to make arrangements to return to work.

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