

Memorial Park Bench & Tree Dedication Application

Application ID #: _____

Date of Submission: 5/4/23

Received By: _____

The Department is not responsible for the damage of benches or trees, or damaged/missing plaques. The Department reserves the right to relocate a bench if the use of the site changes or to ensure visitor safety. Trees are guaranteed for one (1) year from installation.

Donor Name: **John Montigny**

Address: **1992 Main Rd.**

City/State/Zip: **Westport Point / Massachusetts / 02791**

Phone Number: **616-558-0778**

Email: jmontigny@comcast.net

Donated in memory of/honor of: **Elizabeth "Betty" Montigny**

Text to display on plaque (optional): **In loving memory of our Mother, Elizabeth "Betty" Montigny, who found peace in nature and whose spirit resides here in her favorite place, Buttonwood Park.**

Preferred Location: **Buttonwood Park Tennis Grove Area**

Send a note of acknowledgement to:

Name: **John Montigny**

Address: **1992 Main Rd.**

Westport Point

State: MA Zip: 02791

Please select from the following:

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Tree - \$400+

Please know that the cost of your tree depends on the variety and size.



X Bench - \$850+

The style of your bench will be chosen based on the park in which it is to be located, consistent with the park's current standard.

Concerning benches, the life of your memorial is intended to correspond with the useful life of the park bench – about ten (10) years. The Department is not responsible for damaged or missing plaques.

Permanency of your memorial cannot be guaranteed, and memorials and plaques will not be replaced at the cost of the Department.



X Plaque – (optional)

With approval of the Park Board, applicants will purchase their bench plaque through the authorized vendor. Plaque material, font, and style will conform to the City standard.

In addition to or in lieu of a plaque, your generous donation will be celebrated on the City of New Bedford Parks Recreation & Beaches webpage.

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Other- (Example Picnic Table)

The style will be chosen based on the park in which it is to be located, consistent with the park's current standard.

You will receive an invoice once the request has been approved. Please make checks payable to City of New Bedford

Christine Felaccio

From: rleary@newbedford.com
Sent: Friday, May 5, 2023 8:37 AM
To: Bernadette Barreira
Cc: Mary S. Rapoza; Christine Felaccio; info prb; rleary@newbedford.com
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Montigny bench applications
Attachments: Memorials app 2023_Elizabeth Montigny_v2.pdf; Memorials app 2023_William Montigny_v2.pdf

Hi Bernadette,

I dropped these two applications off at the office yesterday. Subsequent to that I noticed that a minor change needs to be made on each application. Namely, the words Mother and Father both need to be uncapitalized. Would you like me to resubmit the applications with these corrections? If so, that will have to wait until Monday or Tuesday when I return home as I am away for the weekend and I don't have the associated Word documents with me. Or can you hand correct them? Please advise.

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Thanks,

Richard



Richard Leary, President

[Friends of Buttonwood Park](#)

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