

**PUBLIC EVENT PERMIT APPLICATION**  
City of Somerville, Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Application #: PEL16-000190  
File #: 16-015931

**Organization name:** SHPC

**Description:** Docent available to open up cemetery,  
provide guidance & respond to questions

**Date(s):** Nov. 6, 2016

**Setup starts at (time):** 2pm

**Cleanup after the event ends at (time):** 4pm

**Attendees:**

Max attendance at one time: 20

Maximum attendees accommodated: 200

**Attendee fees or suggested donations:** 0

**Social or cultural benefits:**

Public Opening of the Milk Row Cemetery

**City Contact:**

**Organization mailing address:**

City Hall  
93 Highland Avenue  
Somerville, MA 02143

**Event name:** Public Opening of the Milk Row Cemetery

**Location:** 439 SOMERVILLE AVE 439 Somerville Ave.

**Rain date(s):** rain cancels

**Event starts at (time):** 2pm

**Event ends at (time):** 4pm

Total people attending: 25

Total Somerville residents attending: 20

**What is your budget for this event:** 0

**Financial benefits:**

0

**Contact person:**

Brandon Wilson  
Telephone: 617-625-6600 x.2532  
Email: bwilson@somervillema.gov

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Event Information	Yes/No	If yes, Describe
Food served?	No	
Alcohol served?	No	
Grill/open-flame device used?	No	
Streets blocked?	No	
Sidewalks blocked?	No	
<b>Arrangements:</b>		
Auxiliary Police?	No	
Police Detail:	No	
Parking (for Attendees)?	No	
Restrooms?	No	
Liability Insurance?	No	
Will any public parks be used?	No	
Has the event occurred in the last two years?	Yes	10/25/15
Alcohol License?	No	

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**Approval Conditions:**

**Reviewer:** David Monte, Police, Approved

**Reviewer:** John J. Long, City Clerk, Complete

**Reviewer:** Christine Morin, Public Works, Approved

**Reviewer:** John J. Long, City Clerk,

**Reviewer:** CS Traffic and Parking, Traffic and Parking, Approved

**Reviewer:** CS Mayor, Mayor's Office, Approved

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# Somerville Historic Preservation Commission

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## Historic Somerville

Present the 2016

### Milk Row Cemetery Public Openings

Thurs. Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> 5-6:30pm; Sun. Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> 2-4pm; Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 2-4pm

(heavy rain or winds cancel)



#### Wondering about the residents of this historic Cemetery dating back to 1804?

Due to its fragile condition, the site is often closed to the public, except by appointment, or during regular openings during the seasonal months. At those times, volunteer docents, often dressed in historic period clothing, will help you learn a little about the buried residents, from as far back as Revolutionary times, and their history within the community, once known as "Beyond the Neck." The grounds may also be appreciated as a peaceful retreat for reading and contemplation.

If interested in being a **Docent**, joining the **Friends of the Milk Row Cemetery**, or for more information, please contact [bwilson@somervillema.gov](mailto:bwilson@somervillema.gov) or 617-625-6600 x2532 or Barbara Mangum at [info@historicsomerville.org](mailto:info@historicsomerville.org) or 617-331-7726.

\*Also check [www.somervillema.gov/historicpreservation](http://www.somervillema.gov/historicpreservation) for other Fall 2016 openings.