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WORCESTER'S FIRST GARDEN CEMETERY

Presented by William D. Wallace

Executive Director, Worcester Historical Museum

Worcester Historical Museum • 30 Elm Street • Worcester MA

Sunday, October 18th, 2015 at 2 p.m.

Explore the early history of Rural Cemetery and the beginnings of the garden cemetery movement in Worcester as drawn from Edward D. Bangs' inspirational Lyceum lecture of November 1837 and the never-published manuscript for a Rural Cemetery guidebook, ca. 1860, both in the collections of Worcester Historical Museum.

Bill Wallace, Executive Director of Worcester Historical Museum, is also a co-founder of the Friends of Hope Cemetery and the current chairman of the City's Hope Commission.

The lecture is free and open to the public.

A reception with refreshments will follow the lecture.



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