

In 2014 the Wellington City Council added to the list of trees approved for planting at Makara Natural Burial Cemetery.

The tree of choice is provided by the WCC and included in the cost of the plot.

Families can plant the tree themselves on the day or at a later date.

| EXTENDED NATIVE PLANT LIST FOR MAKARA NATURAL BURIAL | |
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| BOTANIC NAME | COMMON NAME |
| <i>Pittosporum eugenoidies</i> | Lemonwood |
| <i>Pittosporum tenuifolium</i> | Kohuhu |
| <i>Oleria arborescences or cheesmanii</i> | Tree Daisy |
| <i>Melicytus ramiflorus</i> | Mahoe |
| <i>Cordyline australis</i> | Cabbage Tree |
| <i>Dodena viscosa or purpurea</i> | Ake Ake |
| <i>Sophora microphylla</i> | Kowhai |
| <i>Kunzea ericoides</i> | Manuka |
| <i>Myrsine australis</i> | Red Matipo |
| <i>Griselinia littoralis</i> | Kapuka |
| <i>Vitex lucens</i> | Puriri |
| <i>Libocedrus plumosa</i> | Kawaka |
| <i>Dacrydium cupressinum</i> | Rimu |
| <i>Podocarpus totara</i> | Totara |
| <i>Prumnopitys furruginea</i> | Miro |
| <i>Prumnopitys taxifolia</i> | Matai |
| <i>Metrosideous robusta</i> | Northern Rata |
| <i>Nothofagus fusca</i> | Red Beech |
| <i>Nothofagus truncata</i> | Hard Beech |
| <i>Nothofagus solandri var.solandri</i> | Black Beech |
| <i>Nothofagus menziesii</i> | Silver Beech |