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HOUSE BILL NO. 3192

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A BILL to amend and reenact § 10.1-2211.1 of the Code of Virginia, relating to the disbursement of funds appropriated for caring for Revolutionary War cemeteries and graves.

Patron—Cline

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 10.1-2211.1 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 10.1-2211.1. Disbursement of funds appropriated for caring for Revolutionary War cemeteries and graves.

A. At the direction of the Director, the Comptroller of the Commonwealth is instructed and empowered to draw annual warrants upon the State Treasurer from any sums that may be provided in the general appropriation act, in favor of the treasurers of Revolutionary War memorial associations caring for cemeteries as set forth in subsection B. Such sums shall be expended by the associations for the routine maintenance of their respective Revolutionary War cemeteries and graves and for the graves of Revolutionary War soldiers and sailors not otherwise cared for in other cemeteries, and in erecting and caring for markers, memorials, and monuments to the memory of such soldiers and sailors. All such associations, through their proper officers, are required after July 1 of each year to submit to the Director a certified statement that the funds appropriated to the association or organization in the preceding fiscal year were or will be expended for the routine maintenance of cemeteries specified in this section and the graves of Revolutionary War soldiers and sailors and in erecting and caring for markers, memorials and monuments to the memory of such soldiers and sailors. A cemetery association failing to comply with any of the requirements of this section shall be prohibited from receiving moneys allocated under this section for all subsequent fiscal years until the association fully complies with the requirements.

B. Allocation of appropriations made pursuant to this section shall be based on the number of graves, monuments and markers as set forth opposite the cemetery name, or as documented by each association multiplied by the rate of five dollars or the average actual cost of routine maintenance, whichever is greater, for each grave, monument or marker in the care of a cemetery association. For the purposes of this section the "average actual cost of care" shall be determined by the Department in a biennial survey of at least four properly maintained cemeteries, each located in a different geographical region of the Commonwealth.

IN THE COUNTIES OF:	NUMBER:
Amherst	
St. Matthews Episcopal Church	3
Augusta	
Bethel Presbyterian Church	33
Glebe Burying Ground	11
Mossy Creek Cemetery	6
Augusta Stone Presbyterian Church	44
Hebron Presbyterian Church	6
Old Providence Presbyterian Church	20
Rocky Spring Presbyterian Church	4
St. John's Reformed Lutheran Church	4
St. Peter's Lutheran Church	3
Tinkling Springs Presbyterian Church	13
Trinity Lutheran Church	8
Botetourt	
Fincastle Presbyterian Church	28
Campbell	
Callaway-Steptoe Cemetery	4
Cobbs Hall Farm	3
Concord Presbyterian Church	4
Family Cemetery at Avoca	3

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57 Mount Airy Family Cemetery3
 58 Haden Family Cemetery on Phillips Farm3
 59 Hat Creek Presbyterian Church3
 60 Clarke
 61 Old Chapel Churchyard3
 62 Culpeper
 63 Culpeper Cemetery3
 64 Masonic Cemetery3
 65 Dinwiddie
 66 Sweden Plantation3
 67 Floyd
 68 Pine Creek Cemetery4
 69 Franklin
 70 Tanyard-Benard-Hill Cemetery3
 71 Greensville
 72 Robinson Family Cemetery3
 73 Halifax
 74 Terry Family Cemetery5
 75 Hanover
 76 Spring Grove Cemetery5
 77 Henry
 78 Leatherwood Plantation5
 79 Loudoun
 80 Ketoctin Cemetery7
 81 Louisa
 82 Little River Baptist Church3
 83 Nelson
 84 Cub Creek Road Cemetery10
 85 Page
 86 Printz Family Cemetery3
 87 Pittsylvania
 88 Buckler Family Cemetery3
 89 Roanoke
 90 Walton Family Cemetery3
 91 Rockingham
 92 Dayton Cemetery3
 93 Old Peaked Mountain Church30
 94 Russell
 95 Soloman Litton Hollow Cemetery4
 96 Shenandoah
 97 St. Mary's Lutheran Church7
 98 Tazewell
 99 Thompson Family Cemetery4
 100 Washington
 101 Green Spring Church6
 102 Sinking Spring Cemetery9
 103 Wythe
 104 St. John's Lutheran Church5
 105 St. Paul's Lutheran Church4
 106 IN THE CITIES OF:
 107 Alexandria
 108 Christ Church Cemetery8
 109 Old Presbyterian Meeting House43
 110 Fairfax
 111 Fairfax City Cemetery3
 112 Pohick Church Cemetery3
 113 Washington Family Tomb3

114 Fredericksburg
 115 Fredericksburg Cemetery5
 116 Masonic Cemetery6
 117 St. George's Episcopal Church3
 118 Lexington
 119 Stonewall Jackson Memorial Cemetery19
 120 Washington and Lee University3
 121 Lynchburg
 122 Old City Cemetery3
 123 Newport News
 124 Warwick Burial Ground3
 125 Norfolk
 126 St. Paul's Cemetery3
 127 Portsmouth
 128 Cedar Grove4
 129 Trinity Episcopal Church5
 130 Richmond
 131 Hollywood Cemetery4
 132 Shockoe Hill Cemetery8
 133 St. John's Episcopal Church4
 134 Rockbridge
 135 Falling Spring Presbyterian Church6
 136 High Bridge Presbyterian Church3
 137 New Providence Presbyterian Church15
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 139 Timber Ridge Cemetery9
 140 Staunton
 141 Trinity Episcopal Church17
 142 Williamsburg
 143 Bruton Parish Church4
 144 Winchester
 145 Mount Hebron Cemetery31
 146 Old Opequon Presbyterian Church10

147 C. In addition to funds that may be provided pursuant to subsection B, any of the associations set
 148 forth in subsection B may apply to the Director for grants to perform extraordinary maintenance,
 149 renovation, repair or reconstruction of any of their respective Revolutionary War cemeteries and graves
 150 and for the graves of Revolutionary War soldiers and sailors. These grants shall be made from any
 151 appropriation made available by the General Assembly for such purpose. In making such grants, the
 152 Director shall give full consideration to the assistance available from the United States Department of
 153 Veterans Affairs, or other agencies, except in those instances where such assistance is deemed by the
 154 Director to be detrimental to the historical, artistic or architectural significance of the site.
 155 D. Local matching funds shall not be required for grants made pursuant to this section.