

VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY -- 1997 SESSION

CHAPTER 255

An Act to amend and reenact § 10.1-2211 of the Code of Virginia, relating to funding for Confederate graves.

[H 2299]

Approved March 11, 1997

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 10.1-2211 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 10.1-2211. Disbursement of funds appropriated for caring for Confederate 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 ~~appropriations~~ *appropriation* act, in favor of the treasurers of the Confederate memorial associations and chapters of the United Daughters of the Confederacy set forth in subsection B of this section. Such sums shall be expended by the associations and organizations for the routine maintenance of their respective Confederate cemeteries and graves and for the graves of Confederate 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 and organizations, 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 Confederate soldiers and sailors and in erecting and caring for markers, memorials and monuments to the memory of such soldiers and sailors. An association or organization 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 or organization 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 association's or organization's name, or as documented by each association or organization 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 Confederate memorial association or chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. 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:

Accomack

Robert E. Lee Chapter, U.D.C., Belle Haven 10

Albemarle

Albemarle Chapter, U.D.C. 50

Mountain Plain Cemetery, Crozet 15

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church, Esmont 10

Scottsville Chapter, U.D.C. 40

Westerly Chapel Cemetery, Free Union 15

Amelia

Grub Hill Church 10

Appomattox

Appomattox Chapter, U.D.C.	50
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Augusta

Augusta Stone Presbyterian Church Cemetery	40
Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery	37

Botetourt

Fairview Cemetery Association, Inc.	20
Glade Creek Cemetery Corporation	10

Buchanan

Ratliff	30
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Carroll

Robinson Cemetery	10
Worrell Cemetery	10

Charles City County

Salem Church Cemetery	35
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Craig

Archibald A. Caldwell Cemetery	4
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Culpeper

Culpeper Chapter, U.D.C.	10
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Dinwiddie

Dinwiddie Confederate Memorial Association	15
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Fairfax

Fairfax Chapter, U.D.C.	15
Robert E. Lee Chapter No. 56	36

Fauquier

Black Horse Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Marshall Cemetery	10
Piedmont Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Upperville Methodist Church Cemetery	10

Floyd

Floyd County Confederate Memorial Association	20
Southward Cemetery	10
Giles	
McComas Chapter, U.D.C.	15
Goochland	
Goochland Chapter, U.D.C.	15
Grayson	
A. B. Cox Cemetery	10
Atkins Memorial Cemetery	10
Bethel Church Cemetery	10
Bridlecreek Cemetery	10
Camet B. Cox Cemetery	10
Comer's Rock Cemetery	10
Cox's Chapel	10
Fellowship Baptist Cemetery	10
Fries Ridge Cemetery	10
Forest Cemetery	10
Fox Creek Cemetery	10
Funk Cemetery	10
Gold Hill Cemetery	10
Grubbs Chapel Cemetery	10
Hale Cemetery	15
Hines Branch Cemetery	10
Independence Cemetery	10
Jerusalem Methodist Episcopal Church Cemetery	10
Lebanon Cemetery	10
Liberty Hill Cemetery	15
Long Branch Cemetery	10
New Hope Cemetery	10

Oak Grove Cemetery	10
Potato Creek Cemetery	10
Pugh Cemetery	10
Rhudy Cemetery	10
Round Meadows Cemetery	10
Rugby Cemetery	10
Saddle Creek Cemetery	10
Sawyers Family Cemetery	10
Spring Valley Cemetery	10
Whitetop Cemetery	10

Greene

Gentry Methodist Church Cemetery	10
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Halifax

Grace Churchyard, Inc., Seaton	3
Halifax Chapter, U.D.C.	20
St. John's Episcopal Church	3

Hanover

Hanover Chapter, U.D.C.	20
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Isle of Wight

Isle of Wight Chapter, U.D.C.	20
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Lee

Light Horse Harry Lee Chapter, U.D.C.	100
Ely Cemetery	30

Loudoun

Ebenezer Cemetery	15
Lakeview Cemetery, Hamilton	15
Lee Chapter No. 179	10
Leesburg Union Cemetery	15
Sharon Cemetery, Middleburg	20

Louisa

Oakland Cemetery	70
Madison	
Madison Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Mecklenburg	
Boydton Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Armistead-Goode Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Montgomery	
Doctor Harvey Black Chapter, U.D.C.	10
White Cemetery, Inc..	10
Nelson	
Nelson County Confederate Memorial Association	10
Nottoway	
Confederate Memorial Board	15
Orange	
Maplewood Cemetery, Gordonsville	60
Preddys Creek Cemetery	10
13th Virginia Regiment Chapter, U.D.C..	30
Patrick	
Confederate Memorial Association	40
Pittsylvania	
Rawley Martin Chapter, U.D.C.	30
Powhatan	
Huguenot Springs Cemetery	130
Prince Edward	
Farmville Chapter, U.D.C.	50
Prince George	
City Point Chapter, U.D.C., for use at Old Town Cemetery	20
Pulaski	
Pulaski Chapter, U.D.C..	10

Roanoke

Southern Cross Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Old Tombstone Cemetery	20

Rockingham

Cooks Creek Presbyterian Church Cemetery	39
Singers Glen Cemetery	19
St. Johns Lutheran Cemetery	10

Scott

Prospect Community Cemetery	20
McKenney-Carter Cemetery Association	20
Confederate Memorial Branch, Wolfe Cemetery Association, Yuma	15
Estill Memorial Cemetery Association	35
Lawson Confederate Memorial Cemetery	10
Mount Pleasant Cemetery	20
Salling Memorial, Slant	20
Rollins Cemetery	10
Daugherty Cemetery	20
Nickelsville Baptist Church Cemetery	20

Shenandoah

New Market Confederate Memorial Association	40
Stover Camp Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Mt. Jackson-Old Soldier Cemetery	100

Smyth

Aspenvale Cemetery	10
Blue Springs Cemetery, Sugar Grove	10
Centenary Cemetery	10
Chatham Hill Cemetery	10
Greenwood Cemetery	10
Holston Chapter, U.D.C.,	20

Keesling Cemetery, Rural Retreat	10
Middle Fork Cemetery	10
Morgan Cemetery, Sugar Grove	10
Mt. Carmel Cemetery	20
Mountain View Cemetery, Chilhowie	10
Mt. Zion Cemetery	10
Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Groseclose	12
Ridgedale Cemetery, Rich Valley	10
Riverside Cemetery in Rich Valley	10
Round Hill Cemetery	20
Slemp Cemetery, Sugar Grove	10
St. James Cemetery, Chilhowie	10
South Fork Baptist Cemetery	10
Steffey Cemetery, Groseclose	10
Wassum Cemetery, Atkins	10
Zion Methodist Cemetery, Rich Valley	14
Riverside Cemetery on South Fork	10
Royal Oak Cemetery	10
St. Clairs Bottom Cemetery, Chilhowie	10
Sulphur Springs Cemetery	10
Southampton	
Southampton Chapter, U.D.C.	40
Spotsylvania	
Ladies Confederate Memorial Association	300
Surry	
General William Mahone Chapter, U.D.C.	40
Tazewell	
Maplewood Cemetery	20
Hankins Cemetery	20

Warren

Warren Rifles Chapter, U.D.C.	25
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Washington

Anna Stonewall Jackson Chapter, U.D.C.	20
Emory and Henry Cemetery	203
Greendale Cemetery	20
Warren Cemetery	20

Wise

Big Stone Gap Chapter, U.D.C.	20
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Wythe

Asbury Cemetery, Rural Retreat	10
Fairview Cemetery, Rural Retreat	10
Galilee Christian Church Cemetery	10
Grubbs Cemetery	10
Kemberling Cemetery	10
Marvin Cemetery	30
Mt. Ephraim Cemetery	10
Mount Mitchell Cemetery	10
Mountain View Cemetery	46
Murphysville Cemetery	10
St. John's Cemetery	10
St. Mary's Cemetery	10
St. Paul's Cemetery	14
St. Peter's Lutheran Church Cemetery	12
Speedwell Methodist Cemetery	10
Wythe-Gray Chapter, U.D.C.	20
Zion Cemetery	10

York

Bethel Memorial Association	20
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IN THE CITIES OF:

Alexandria

Old Dominion Rifles Confederate Memorial Association 160

Bristol

Bristol Confederate Memorial Association 60

Charlottesville

Effort Baptist Church 10

Clifton Forge

Julia Jackson Chapter, U.D.C. 15

Covington

Alleghany Chapter, U.D.C. 30

Danville

Eliza Johns Chapter, U.D.C. 201

Fredericksburg

Fredericksburg Confederate Memorial Association 200

Hampton

Hampton Chapter, U.D.C. 60

Harrisonburg

Turner Ashby Chapter, U.D.C. 60

Woodbine Cemetery 140

Lexington

Rockbridge Chapter, U.D.C. 126

Lynchburg

Lynchburg Confederate Memorial Association 30

Manassas

Ladies Confederate Memorial Association of Manassas 15

Martinsville

Mildred Lee Chapter, U.D.C. 10

Newport News

Bethel Chapter, U.D.C. 50

Norfolk

Hope Maury Chapter, U.D.C.	10
Pickett-Buchanan Chapter, U.D.C.	20

Petersburg

Petersburg Chapter, U.D.C., for Prince George County	15
Ladies Memorial Association of Petersburg	140

Portsmouth

Ladies Confederate Memorial Association	15
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Radford

New River Gray's Chapter, U.D.C.	15
Radford Chapter, U.D.C.	15

Richmond

Centennial Chapter, U.D.C.	20
Elliott Grays Chapter, U.D.C.	15
Janet Randolph Chapter, U.D.C.	15
Lee Chapter, U.D.C.	20
Richmond-Stonewall Jackson Chapter, U.D.C.	110

Roanoke

Roanoke Chapter, U.D.C.	40
William Watts Chapter, U.D.C.	40

Staunton

Confederate Section, Thornrose Cemetery	600
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Vinton

Major Wm. F. Graves Chapter, U.D.C.	40
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Williamsburg

Williamsburg Chapter, U.D.C.	125
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Winchester

Stonewall Confederate Memorial Association	180
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C. In addition to funds that may be provided pursuant to subsection B of this section, any of the Confederate memorial associations and chapters of the United Daughters of the Confederacy set forth in subsection B may make application to the Director for grants to perform extraordinary maintenance,

renovation, repair or reconstruction of any of their respective Confederate cemeteries and graves and for the graves of Confederate soldiers and sailors. These grants shall be made from any appropriation made available by the General Assembly for such purpose. In making such grants, the Director shall give full consideration to the assistance available from the United States Department of ~~Veterans'~~ *Veterans* Affairs, or other agencies, except in those instances where such assistance is deemed by the Director to be detrimental to the historical, artistic or architectural significance of the site.

D. Local matching funds shall not be required for grants made pursuant to this section.