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HOUSE BILL NO. 1857

Offered January 8, 1997

A BILL to amend and reenact § 10.1-2211 of the Code of Virginia, relating to Confederate cemeteries and graves.

Patrons—Ruff and Council

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Natural Resources

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 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 Haven10

Albemarle

Albemarle Chapter, U.D.C.50

Mountain Plain Cemetery, Crozet15

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church, Esmont10

Scottsville Chapter, U.D.C.40

Westerly Chapel Cemetery, Free Union15

Amelia

Grub Hill Church10

Appomattox

Appomattox Chapter, U.D.C.50

Augusta

Augusta Stone Presbyterian Church Cemetery40

Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery37

Botetourt

Fairview Cemetery Association, Inc.20

Glade Creek Cemetery Corporation10

Buchanan

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58	Ratliff	30
59	Carroll	
60	Robinson Cemetery	10
61	Worrell Cemetery.....	10
62	Charles City County	
63	Salem Church Cemetery	35
64	Craig	
65	Archibald A. Caldwell Cemetery	4
66	Culpeper	
67	Culpeper Chapter, U.D.C.	10
68	Dinwiddie	
69	Dinwiddie Confederate Memorial Association.....	15
70	Fairfax	
71	Fairfax Chapter, U.D.C.	15
72	Robert E. Lee Chapter No. 56	36
73	Fauquier	
74	Black Horse Chapter, U.D.C.	10
75	Marshall Cemetery	10
76	Piedmont Chapter, U.D.C.	10
77	Upperville Methodist Church.Cemetery.....	10
78	Floyd	
79	Floyd County Confederate Memorial Association	20
80	Southward Cemetery	10
81	Giles	
82	McComas Chapter, U.D.C.	15
83	Goochland	
84	Goochland Chapter, U.D.C.	15
85	Grayson	
86	A. B. Cox Cemetery	10
87	Atkins Memorial Cemetery.....	10
88	Bethel Church Cemetery.....	10
89	Bridlecreek Cemetery	10
90	Camet B. Cox Cemetery	10
91	Comer's Rock Cemetery	10
92	Cox's Chapel	10
93	Fellowship Baptist Cemetery	10
94	Fries Ridge Cemetery	10
95	Forest Cemetery	10
96	Fox Creek Cemetery	10
97	Funk Cemetery	10
98	Gold Hill Cemetery	10
99	Grubbs Chapel Cemetery	10
100	Hale Cemetery	15
101	Hines Branch Cemetery	10
102	Independence Cemetery	10
103	Jerusalem Methodist Episcopal Church Cemetery	10
104	Lebanon Cemetery	10
105	Liberty Hill Cemetery	15
106	Long Branch Cemetery	10
107	New Hope Cemetery	10
108	Oak Grove Cemetery	10
109	Potato Creek Cemetery	10
110	Pugh Cemetery	10
111	Rhudy Cemetery	10
112	Round Meadows Cemetery	10
113	Rugby Cemetery	10
114	Saddle Creek Cemetery	10

115	Sawyers Family Cemetery	10
116	Spring Valley Cemetery	10
117	Whitetop Cemetery	10
118	Greene	
119	Gentry Methodist Church Cemetery	10
120	Halifax	
121	Grace Churchyard, Inc., Seaton	3
122	Halifax Chapter, U.D.C.	20
123	St. John's Episcopal Church	3
124	Hanover	
125	Hanover Chapter, U.D.C.	20
126	Isle of Wight	
127	Isle of Wight Chapter, U.D.C.	20
128	Lee	
129	Light Horse Harry Lee Chapter, U.D.C.	100
130	Ely Cemetery	30
131	Loudoun	
132	Ebenezer Cemetery	15
133	Lakeview Cemetery, Hamilton	15
134	Lee Chapter No. 179	10
135	Leesburg Union Cemetery	15
136	Sharon Cemetery, Middleburg	20
137	Louisa	
138	Oakland Cemetery	70
139	Lunenburg	
140	<i>Sons of the Confederate Veterans Old Free State Camp #1746</i>	141
141	Madison	
142	Madison Chapter, U.D.C.	10
143	Mecklenburg	
144	Boydton Chapter, U.D.C.	10
145	Armistead-Goode Chapter, U.D.	10
146	Montgomery	
147	Doctor Harvey Black Chapter, U.D.C.	10
148	White Cemetery, Inc.	10
149	Nelson	
150	Nelson County Confederate Memorial Association	10
151	Nottoway	
152	Confederate Memorial Board	15
153	Orange	
154	Maplewood Cemetery, Gordonsville	60
155	Preddys Creek Cemetery	10
156	13th Virginia Regiment Chapter, U.D.C.	30
157	Patrick	
158	Confederate Memorial Association	40
159	Pittsylvania	
160	Rawley Martin Chapter, U.D.C.	30
161	Powhatan	
162	Huguenot Springs Cemetery	130
163	Prince Edward	
164	Farmville Chapter, U.D.C.	50
165	Prince George	
166	City Point Chapter, U.D.C., for use at Old Town Cemetery	20
167	Pulaski	
168	Pulaski Chapter, U.D.C.	10
169	Roanoke	
170	Southern Cross Chapter, U.D.C.	10

171	Old Tombstone Cemetery	20
172	Rockingham	
173	Cooks Creek Presbyterian Church Cemetery	39
174	Singers Glen Cemetery	19
175	St. Johns Lutheran Cemetery	10
176	Scott	
177	Prospect Community Cemetery	20
178	McKenney-Carter Cemetery Association	20
179	Confederate Memorial Branch, Wolfe Cemetery Association, Yuma.	15
180	Estill Memorial Cemetery Association	35
181	Lawson Confederate Memorial Cemetery	10
182	Mount Pleasant Cemetery	20
183	Salling Memorial, Slant	20
184	Rollins Cemetery	10
185	Daugherty Cemetery	20
186	Nickelsville Baptist Church Cemetery	20
187	Shenandoah	
188	New Market Confederate Memorial Association	40
189	Stover Camp Chapter, U.D.C.	10
190	Mt. Jackson-Old Soldier Cemetery	100
191	Smyth	
192	Aspenvale Cemetery	10
193	Blue Springs Cemetery, Sugar Grove	10
194	Centenary Cemetery	10
195	Chatham Hill Cemetery	10
196	Greenwood Cemetery	10
197	Holston Chapter, U.D.C.	20
198	Keesling Cemetery, Rural Retreat	10
199	Middle Fork Cemetery	10
200	Morgan Cemetery, Sugar Grove	10
201	Mt. Carmel Cemetery	20
202	Mountain View Cemetery, Chilhowie	10
203	Mt. Zion Cemetery	10
204	Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Groseclose	12
205	Ridgedale Cemetery, Rich Valley	10
206	Riverside Cemetery in Rich Valley	10
207	Round Hill Cemetery	20
208	Slomp Cemetery, Sugar Grove	10
209	St. James Cemetery, Chilhowie	10
210	South Fork Baptist Cemetery	10
211	Steffey Cemetery, Groseclose	10
212	Wassum Cemetery, Atkins	10
213	Zion Methodist Cemetery, Rich Valley	14
214	Riverside Cemetery on South Fork	10
215	Royal Oak Cemetery	10
216	St. Clairs Bottom Cemetery, Chilhowie	10
217	Sulphur Springs Cemetery	10
218	Southampton	
219	Southampton Chapter, U.D.C.	40
220	Spotsylvania	
221	Ladies Confederate Memorial Association	300
222	Surry	
223	General William Mahone Chapter, U.D.C.	40
224	Tazewell	
225	Maplewood Cemetery	20
226	Hankins Cemetery	20
227	Warren	

228	Warren Rifles Chapter, U.D.C.	25
229	Washington	
230	Anna Stonewall Jackson Chapter, U.D.C.	20
231	Emory and Henry Cemetery	203
232	Greendale Cemetery	20
233	Warren Cemetery	20
234	Wise	
235	Big Stone Gap Chapter, U.D.C.	20
236	Wythe	
237	Asbury Cemetery, Rural Retreat	10
238	Fairview Cemetery, Rural Retreat	10
239	Galilee Christian Church Cemetery	10
240	Grubbs Cemetery	10
241	Kemberling Cemetery	10
242	Marvin Cemetery	30
243	Mt. Ephraim Cemetery	10
244	Mount Mitchell Cemetery	10
245	Mountain View Cemetery	46
246	Murphysville Cemetery	10
247	St. John's Cemetery	10
248	St. Mary's Cemetery	10
249	St. Paul's Cemetery	14
250	St. Peter's Lutheran Church Cemetery	12
251	Speedwell Methodist Cemetery	10
252	Wythe-Gray Chapter, U.D.C.	20
253	Zion Cemetery	10
254	York Bethel Memorial Association	20
255	IN THE CITIES OF:	
256	Alexandria	
257	Old Dominion Rifles Confederate Memorial Association	160
258	Bristol	
259	Bristol Confederate Memorial Association	60
260	Charlottesville	
261	Effort Baptist Church	10
262	Clifton Forge	
263	Julia Jackson Chapter, U.D.C.	15
264	Covington	
265	Alleghany Chapter, U.D.C.	30
266	Danville	
267	Eliza Johns Chapter, U.D.C.	201
268	Fredericksburg	
269	Fredericksburg Confederate Memorial Association	200
270	Hampton	
271	Hampton Chapter, U.D.C.	60
272	Harrisonburg	
273	Turner Ashby Chapter, U.D.C.	60
274	Woodbine Cemetery	140
275	Lynchburg	
276	Lynchburg Confederate Memorial Association	30
277	Manassas	
278	Ladies Confederate Memorial Association of Manassas	15
279	Martinsville	
280	Mildred Lee Chapter, U.D.C.	10
281	Newport News	
282	Bethel Chapter, U.D.C.	50
283	Norfolk	

284	Hope Maury Chapter, U.D.C.	10
285	Pickett-Buchanan Chapter, U.D.C.	20
286	Petersburg	
287	Petersburg Chapter, U.D.C., for Prince George County	15
288	Ladies Memorial Association of Petersburg	140
289	Portsmouth	
290	Ladies Confederate Memorial Association	15
291	Radford	
292	New River Gray's Chapter, U.D.C.	15
293	Radford Chapter, U.D.C.	15
294	Richmond	
295	Centennial Chapter, U.D.C.	20
296	Elliott Grays Chapter, U.D.C.	15
297	Janet Randolph Chapter, U.D.C.	15
298	Lee Chapter, U.D.C.	20
299	Richmond-Stonewall Jackson Chapter, U.D.C.	110
300	Roanoke	
301	Roanoke Chapter, U.D.C.	40
302	William Watts Chapter, U.D.C.	40
303	Staunton	
304	Confederate Section, Thornrose Cemetery	600
305	Vinton	
306	Major Wm. F. Graves Chapter, U.D.C.	40
307	Williamsburg	
308	Williamsburg Chapter, U.D.C.	125
309	Winchester	
310	Stonewall Confederate Memorial Association	180
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312	C. In addition to funds that may be provided pursuant to subsection B of this section, any of the	
313	Confederate memorial associations and chapters of the United Daughters of the Confederacy set forth in	
314	subsection B may make application <i>apply</i> to the Director for grants to perform extraordinary	
315	maintenance, renovation, repair or reconstruction of any of their respective Confederate cemeteries and	
316	graves and for the graves of Confederate soldiers and sailors. These grants shall be made from any	
317	appropriation made available by the General Assembly for such purpose. In making such grants, the	
318	Director shall give full consideration to the assistance available from the United States Department of	
319	Veterans' Veterans Affairs, or other agencies, except in those instances where such assistance is deemed	
320	by the Director to be detrimental to the historical, artistic or architectural significance of the site.	
321	D. Local matching funds shall not be required for grants made pursuant to this section.	