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Burial Fees – Wisconsin State Veterans Cemeteries Effective as of October 26, 2024

The Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs operates three State Veterans Cemeteries. There is no charge to the family for the interment of a qualified veteran, as Wisconsin receives Federal VA reimbursement for each veteran interred. The state is not reimbursed for the interment of eligible spouses and dependent children and charges the fees below for the relevant services.

To bring service fees in line with costs as permitted by VA 14.02, Wisconsin Administrative Code, the Wisconsin State Veterans Cemeteries located at Spooner, King, and Union Grove will post the new burial fee schedule below, effective on October 26, 2024.

Interment/Burial Fee: (spouse/dependent children)	\$1,700.00
Interment/Cremains Fee: (spouse/dependent children)	\$978.00
(The interment fees are not charged for the eligible Veteran)	
Disinterment Fee - casket: (Veteran/spouse/dependent children)	\$1,400.00
Disinterment Fee - cremation: (Veteran/spouse/dependent children)	\$700.00
Private Burial Vault Fee: (Veteran/spouse/dependent children)	\$2,200.00

Our cemeteries currently operate primarily from program revenue. This revenue consists of the fees listed above, a \$978 plot allowance from the Federal VA for each Veteran that is interred, donations, and funds from the Veterans Trust Fund.

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