Appendix E: A/01566-40 Blair Cemetery Maintenance

City of Cambridge: Capital Project Request F

Project ID/Title Blair Cemetery Restoration

Year 2025

Project TypeRenewalProject Start Date1-Jul-25DepartmentInfrastructure ServicesProject Completion Date31-Dec-25Strategic AlignmentNAProject ManagerOscar Ribeiro

PRIORITY RANKING SCORE 775

Project Details

Project Description

As the Blair Cemetery has had little resources for monument restoration and land development, the grounds currently fall below the City's and BAO's standards regarding monument safety and compliance with the Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act standards requiring restoration work.

Project Justification

In 2023 Council approved a \$60,000 budget upon transfer of the Blair Cemetery into the city's cemetery license for restoration of monuments and markers. A fruther \$16,993.88 was received from the former Blair Cemetery operating account. The transfer process was prolongued as the title on land for the Blair Cemetery needed to be verified dating back to 1899. Restoration work will need to be completed in 2025 to allow for ample time to scheduling the contractor and completing the work.

Reference Council Report: 23-024-IFS Blair Cemetery Transfer to Cambridge.

	Capital Project Budget					
	Total	2024	2025	2026	2027	
Expenditures						
Construct/Implement	77,000		77,000			
Expenditures Total						
Funding						
Cemetery Reserve Fund	60,000		60,000			
Contribution from Others	17,000		17,000			
Funding Total						
	Operating	Impact				
	Total	2024	2025	2026	2027	
Gross Expenses		-	-	-		
Gross Revenues		-	-	-		