



## 2025 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 52

*Introduced by: The Chair of the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs at the request of the Department of Veterans Affairs*

1 **An Act to authorize the expansion of the South Dakota State Veterans Cemetery, to**  
2 **make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency.**

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 **Section 1.** There is appropriated \$75,000 from the general fund, \$1,500,000 in federal fund  
5 expenditure authority, and \$75,000 in other fund expenditure authority, to the Department  
6 of Veterans Affairs, for expansion of the South Dakota State Veterans Cemetery.

7 **Section 2.** The administration of the project authorized in this Act shall be under the general  
8 charge and supervision of the Bureau of Human Resources and Administration, as provided  
9 in chapter 5-14.

10 **Section 3.** The secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs shall approve vouchers and  
11 the state auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized in this Act.

12 **Section 4.** Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated shall  
13 revert in accordance with the procedures prescribed in chapter 4-8.

14 **Section 5.** Whereas, this Act is necessary for the support of the state government and its  
15 existing public institutions, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall be in  
16 full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.