

VA



U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

National Cemetery Administration

Fargo National Cemetery

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- Fargo National Cemetery is a new 4.82 acre Department of Veteran Affairs (VA) national cemetery located in southeast North Dakota. The cemetery will serve the burial needs of more than 30,000 Veterans, their spouses and eligible family members.
- This is the first national cemetery built in North Dakota and is part of the VA National Cemetery Administration Rural Initiative to provide access to VA burial benefits for Veterans who reside in rural areas and who have not previously had reasonable access to a national or state Veterans cemetery. The cemetery dedication will be held Sept. 7, 2019.
- VA purchased the land for \$93,445 in June 2016.
- The design-build contract was awarded in July 2017 to Valiant Construction, LLC, located at 4229 Bardstown Road, Suite 206, Louisville, Kentucky, 40218. Anderson Engineering, located in Plymouth, Minnesota, is the design consultant.
- Cemetery construction is currently underway. When completed, Phase I will offer more than 3,000 casket and cremation spaces to accommodate burials for the next 10 years. The cemetery will provide casket burials, in-ground cremation burials, columbarium niches for cremation burials, and a memorial wall.
- The North Dakota Veterans Cemetery, managed by the state, is located 200 miles away.
- Fort Snelling National Cemetery will manage Fargo National Cemetery. For more information, call Andrew Guadalupe, Cemetery Manager, Fargo National Cemetery at 701-451-4650.
- For more information about the VA National Cemetery Administration visit www.cem.va.gov.

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