June 15, 2022

Friends and Family of the South Dakota Veterans Cemetery,

We are sending this letter to inform you of a planned construction project that will directly affect your ability to access the cemetery via Slip up Creek Road and 477th Ave.

During the 2021 and 2022 legislative session(s) the South Dakota Department of Veterans Affairs received funding to pave the road leading to the cemetery from the south. The road will improve access to the cemetery.

To accomplish this task, all traffic going to the cemetery will need to access the cemetery entrance from the North coming off 258th Ave.

Attached you will find maps for use to access the cemetery from the North.

We hope to complete construction of the cemetery road by the end of November 2022.

Any questions about this project can be directed to Deputy Secretary Aaron Pollard (605-360-4173).

Thank you,

Aaron T. Pollard
Deputy Secretary, Dept. of Veterans Affairs

Erin Brown
Director, SD Vets Cemetery
Traveling I-90 Westbound: Take exit 402. At the intersection turn right (north). Travel northbound reaching 258th St. Turn left (west). Traveling westbound turn left at 477th Ave. (South). Follow 477th Ave. until you reach the entrance of the South Dakota Veterans Cemetery to your right.

Traveling I-90 eastbound: Take exit 399. Stay left. Travel northbound on Cliff Ave. to 258th St. At the intersection turn right (east) on 258th St. Traveling eastbound turn right at 477th Ave. (South). Follow 477th Ave. until you reach the entrance of the South Dakota Veterans Cemetery to your right.

Traveling northbound or southbound on I-29: Take exit 86. Travel eastbound on 258th St. Traveling eastbound turn right at 477th Ave. (South). Follow 477th Ave. until you reach the entrance of the South Dakota Veterans Cemetery to your right.
Traveling I-229 northbound: Continue north on I-229 until it ends and Jim Zweep Highway begins. Follow Jim Zweep Highway to 258th St. Turn right (east). Follow 258th St. until you reach 477th Ave. Turn right at 477th Ave. (South). Follow 477th Ave. until you reach the entrance of the South Dakota Veterans Cemetery to your right.