



- SITE PLAN LEGEND**
1. ENTRY GATE
 2. AMERICAN FLAG
 3. COMMEMORATIVE MEMORIAL TO THE BURIED
 4. HISTORICAL PLAQUE
 5. SITE DISPLAY STRUCTURE
 6. PREHISTORIC/NATIVE AMERICAN AREA WITH SIGNAGE
 7. CONTEMPLATIVE GARDEN
 8. BRIDGE OVER GRAVE LOCATIONS
 9. LONE SCULPTURAL USCT SOLDIER
 10. CONTINUED BRICK PAVING FROM PEDESTRIAN OVERPASS
 11. QUARTZITE COBBLES MARKING HISTORIC BOUNDARY
 12. 2' QUARTZITE MARKERS AT EACH CORNER OF BOUNDARY
 13. TRADITIONAL PICKET FENCE

THIS PROPOSAL SEEKS TO VENERATE THOSE INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE BURIED AT THIS SITE, AS WELL AS TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE SITES' HISTORICAL BACKGROUND.

THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE CEMETERY IS JUST OFF OF THE PARKWAY AT A LOCATION RECOGNIZED AS AN ORIGINAL CART. THE GATE IS RELATIVELY SIMPLE, MADE OF STONE AND BRICK PIERS WITH IRONWORK ABOVE. ON ENTERING THERE IS A GRID OF MARBLE HEADSTONES LAID FLAT ON THE GROUND, THAT ATTEMPT TO RECREATE THE INTENDED GRID OF GRAVES. THERE ARE 600 HEADSTONES, EACH REPRESENTATIVE OF 3 INDIVIDUALS, A MAN, A WOMAN, AND A CHILD, EQUALING THE 1800 OR MORE KNOWN GRAVES ON THE SITE. FURTHER DOWN THE PATH ON THE MAIN AXIS, IS A POST WITH THE AMERICAN FLAG. LOCATED TO THE RIGHT OF THE FLAG POST IS A BRONZE OR STONE COMMEMORATIVE SCULPTURE. THE MEMORIAL IS COMPRISED OF 4 STATUES OF THE UNITED STATES COLORED TROOP HOLDING UP, IN HONOR, A REPRESENTATIVE CASNET. THE PANELS ON EACH SIDE OF THE HEXAGONAL CASNET SHOW DEPICTIONS OF THE TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS OF THE PEOPLE WHO STRUGGLED TO REACH ALEXANDRIA FLEEING SLAVERY, AND THOSE WHO FOUGHT WILLINGLY IN THE CIVIL WAR. STRAIGHT PAST THE FLAG SITS A COVERED STRUCTURE INTENDED TO LOOK LIKE A CHAPEL, BUT TO BE USED AS A MULTI-PURPOSE STRUCTURE FOR DISPLAY OF THE KNOWN NAMES OF THE BURIED, AMONG OTHER THINGS ASSOCIATED WITH THE SITE. PASSING THROUGH THAT STRUCTURE THERE ARE TWO PATHS DOWN TO A CONTEMPLATIVE GARDEN AREA, WHICH PASS BY THE PREHISTORIC/NATIVE AMERICAN SITE ON THE WAY. THROUGHOUT THE SITE THE HISTORIC BOUNDARY IS DEMARCATED BY A SINGLE LINE OF QUARTZITE PAVERS, WITH 2' TALL QUARTZITE MARKERS AT EACH POINT. OUTSIDE OF THAT BOUNDARY AND ENCLOSING THE ENTIRE SITE IS A TRADITIONAL WOODEN PICKET FENCE. AN ADDITIONAL ELEMENT TO THIS PROPOSAL IS A STATUE OF A SOLEMN SINGULAR USCT SOLDIER, NEAR THE URBAN DECK, (SHOULD THE OPPORTUNITY ARISE IT COULD ALSO BE LOCATED IN THE CENTER OF THE PARKWAY).