

Denton Muslim Cemetery





History

- Purchased on February 6, 1991
- 10.9335 Acre
- Website: www.dentonmuslimcemetery.com
- Address: 1590 Ripy Road, Highway 380 West, Krum, TX 76249
- Grave Capacity: 3,206
- Existing Graves: Approximately 925
- Cost of Graves:
 - Adult: \$500
 - Child (under 12 years): \$150
 - Fee is waived 100% for those who can not afford

Current Board Members (Since Feb 2015)

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| • Tanveer Qureshi | President | Denton Masjid |
| • Amer Shakeel | Vice President | Carrolton Masjid |
| • Asif Hasan | Treasurer | East Plano Masjid |
| • Shumsur Rahman | Secretary | West Plano Masjid |
| • Irfan Ali | Member | Denton Masjid |
| • Yusuf Ali | Member | Lewisville Flower Mound |
| • Emad Ismail | Member | McKinney |

- Team meets 1st Saturday of Every Month
- Meetings are at the participating Masjids
- Every other month, meetings are at the Denton Cemetery



Facilities

- 1,460 square feet office and service building since 2010
- Restroom, storage shed, wudu area and water well supply
- 12 light poles installed free of charge by CoServe
- Five water hydrants were installed at \$8,000 in 2011
- 70 trees were planted in May of 2013. Additional 70 trees have been planted in May of 2016. Trees are irrigated by underground sprinklers
- Two reflection areas have been developed in May of 2016. Section A and D
- Parking Space: Planned 54. 5 are in place as of now

Recurring Maintenance Cost

• Building Insurance	\$197 per month
• Septic Tank Cleaning	\$250 per month
• Electricity (Average)	\$300 per month
• Mowing/Weed Control	\$1,000 per month (March – September)
• Toilet Supplies	\$100 per month
• Cushion Sand	\$440 per month
• Custodial Service	\$100 per month
• Miscellaneous Repair	\$150 per month
• 140 Trees+600 Bushes Maintenance	\$400 per month
Total	\$3,037 per month



Recently Completed Major Projects

- 8,615 Square Feet Sidewalk in Section C \$44,880
 - Completed 4/15/2016
- 70 Trees with sprinkler \$42,000
 - Completed 4/22/2016
- 600 Bushes with Sprinkler \$18,850
 - Completed 4/22/2016
- 3,600 Linear Feet Metal Edge installation \$8,000
 - Completed 4/29/2016

Current Projects

- 6-year-old 1.5HP pump has been replaced by a new 3HP pump to improve existing 24/7 irrigation system. \$6,000. 11/19/2016
- New Water well & all plumbing is working as usual and irrigating 140 trees and 600 bushes as daily basis routine
- Sand test will be done in few days to determine type & size of filter
- Previously MCI water well was producing water with out filtration system. This is our first filtration to control and improve water quality
- One 3' metal bigger DIA pipe need to be replaced to maintain increasing flow at additional cost
- Last thing will be plumbing insulation to prevent pipe bust during freezing weather conditions
- Old 1.5HP water pump is in working condition and has been stored in Equipment Room



Continuous Improvement Projects

- Priority 1 Get tap water connection from Bolivar Water Supply, Estimate: \$8,000
- Priority 2 Regenerate 2017 Master Plan
- Priority 3 Develop future grave plan and standardize grave design
- Priority 4 Build main gate Estimate: \$2,000
- Priority 5 Build side walks and more landscaping in Section A Estimate: \$100,000
- Priority 6 Develop Section E (North End) Estimate: \$5,000–10,000
- Priority 7 Establish office & equipped with essentials such as phone, computer, and furniture Estimate: \$1,500
- Priority 8 Build parking lots Estimate: TBD
- Priority 9 Study & generate policies & record keeping procedures

Other- Facts

- Visionary members of our extended community took the initiative 25 years ago to purchase this land
- The entire Texas community has been blessed to use this facility as a cemetery
- Many Muslim communities in the USA do not have their own cemetery. We are truly blessed
- Restland – number of plots in Islamic Garden is now less than 80
- Farmersville Cemetery – Alhamdulillah work in progress but not ready yet
- Community loses an average 15 to 20 loved ones each month. 6 to 10 are being buried in Denton each month
- While Denton still has roughly 2,000 more grave plots, not all areas are developed to claim them
- Support from community members like you have sustained Denton Cemetery for 25 years
- Maintenance of the cemetery requires ongoing support so that it may serve the community



May Allah (swt) reward you for taking care of this important need for our community

Please donate generously