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RE: VANDALISM, ABANDONMENT AND MONUMENT REPAIR OR
REMOVAL FUND: APPROPRIATION AND ANTICIPATED PAYMENTS
IN FY 2021-22

DATE: July 13, 2021

The following is a brief summary of collected fees and payments of funds granted from the Vandalism, Abandonment and Monument Repair or Removal Fund. The vast majority of monies are collected concurrent with the submission of annual reports, generally filed within the first three months of the calendar year.

2021 calendar year vandalism collections are \$565,893. Assessment collections are \$317,922. Fiscal year collections from April 1, 2021 are: Vandalism \$134,068. Assessment \$74,997.

Payments from the \$2,000,000 2021/22 Vandalism Fund appropriation include the first 25% payments for the five applications approved so far totaling \$48,845.22.

There remains \$114,187.28 of funds committed for 2018/19 and 2019/20 applications and \$233,769.98 committed for applications approved in the 2020/21 fiscal year. Currently there is one application in the pipeline for approval totaling \$67,247.97. Additionally, there is one application on the agenda for this meeting totaling \$32,319.33.

Summary of Applications Granted FYE 3/31/2022:

• 0	Vandalism applications	-	\$ 0
• 5	Restoration applications	-	\$ 195,380.86
• 0	Abandonment applications	-	<u>\$ 0</u>
			\$ 0

2020 Annual report submission total: 1,283 received
461 On-line 36% of total received



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