

**Cemetery Conservation Program**  
Department of Cemeteries  
City of Savannah

**Objective-** The objective of this program is preserve the historical integrity of the five municipal cemeteries. The primary concern of this program is the conservation of cemetery markers, monuments and sculptures that are in danger of damage or loss of historic fabric. The secondary concern is to ensure that any objects that are in stable condition are maintained to extend the life of, and protect, those objects.

**Goals-** The goals for this program are to establish an agenda for the treatment of all cemetery art and architecture. Included in this are forty projects consisting of one mausoleum and two vaults a year.

1. Conserve all objects in danger of damage.
2. Conduct preventive maintenance preservation.
3. Conduct a detailed survey of historical properties, including mausoleums, vaults, iron fencing and details, sculpture, and monuments.
4. Create a material salvage program.
5. Create a contact list for lots with excessive damage that are out of the jurisdiction of the program