



MONTGOMERY COUNTY CEMETERY INVENTORY REVISITED

BURIAL SITE INFORMATION

Name: Lee Family Cemetery at Caverton-Galway Local Park [MNCPPC]	Inventory ID: 199
Alternate name:	
Address: 3039 Fairland Rd, Silver Spring	
Website:	
GPS coordinates: Latitude: 39.063869	Longitude: -76.949194
FindaGrave: https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/2658977	

BURIAL SITE TYPE

Category: ☐ Religious ☐ Community ☒ **Family** ☒ **African American** ☐ Other:

BURIAL SITE EVALUATION

Setting/location description: <input type="checkbox"/> Rural <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suburban <input type="checkbox"/> Wooded <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Montgomery County Park		
General condition (See conditions sheet): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> None		
Is there a formal entrance? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Accessibility: <input type="checkbox"/> Inaccessible <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By foot <input type="checkbox"/> By car	
Is cemetery active (recent burials)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Is there a cemetery sign: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Is cemetery being maintained? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Minimal <input type="checkbox"/> No (If yes, note caretaker's name below)		
Are there visible markers? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Approximate number of burials/visible markers: 1	Date ranges: 1857

Description: (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping/vegetation, fence, paths and roads, etc.)

- **Located in open field, accessible along paved pathway from parking lot.**
- **Surrounded by black aluminum fence.**
- **Two benches outside gate.**
- **Granite sign with minimal information located in center of burial mound.**

BURIAL SITE CONTACT

Name: Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MNCPPC)		
Relationship to burial site: Custodian	Advocacy contact: Jamie.Kuhns@montgomerypark.org	
Address: Parkside Headquarters, 9500 Brunett Avenue		Phone: 301-650-4362
City: Silver Spring	State: MD	ZIP Code: 20901

BURIAL SITE SURVEYOR

Name: Vivian Eicke	Survey Date: 5/21/2018	Time spent: 15 min
Email:	Photographer: Vivian Eicke	

COMMENTS

Suggestions for follow-up:

- **Reported damaged areas of fence to Montgomery Parks**

Safety issues, invasive vegetation removal, fence removal/restoration, signage, trash, erosion, vandalism:

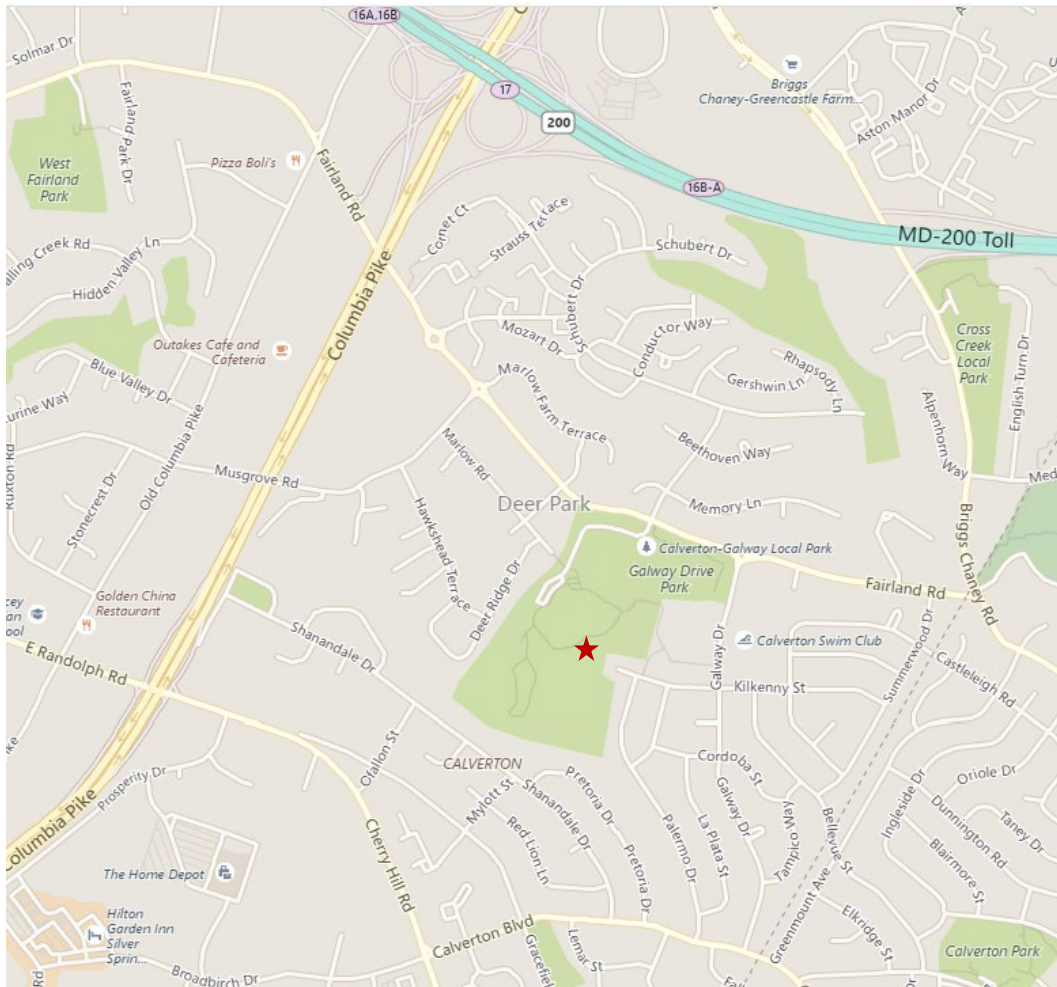
- **Very well kept.**

Anything of significance about this cemetery?

- **Cemetery located on land given to a former slave, Sarah Lee, and her family.**
- **A new cemetery sign was added at the entrance gate by Ella LaGrange (age 12) in December 2018 because people were allowing their dogs to use it as a dog park!**

SOURCES

Cite sources used and resources available:



Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory **Photograph Log**

Cemetery Name: Lee Family Cemetery		Inventory ID: 199
Photographer: Vivian Eicke		Date: 5/21/2018
Time	Photo No.	Description and direction you are facing (Ex: detail of wall around Carr plot facing North)
11:45 am	1	Approach to cemetery from parking lot, facing south-east
 	2	View toward cemetery, facing south-west
 	3	Granite marker located in the center of burial mound
 	4	Panoramic from west to north to east from marker
 	5	Panoramic from east to south to west from marker
12:00 pm	6	View from pathway toward cemetery, facing south-east
12/26/2018	7	New cemetery sign added in December 2018
12/26/2018	8	Cemetery with new sign at entrance gate



1. Approach to cemetery from parking lot, facing south-east



2. View toward cemetery, facing south-west



3. Granite marker located in the center of burial mound



4. Panoramic from west to north to east from marker



5. Panoramic from east to south to west from marker



6. View from pathway toward cemetery, facing south-east



7. New cemetery sign added in December 2018



8. Cemetery with new sign at entrance gate