



**IDFPR**

Illinois Department of  
Financial and Professional Regulation

Division of Professional Regulation

# **Qualifications for Licensure:**

## **Cemetery Manager (253)**

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## READ ME FIRST

The Division of Professional Regulation hopes that you will find the below useful in successfully applying for a license in the State of Illinois. Carefully review this information as it will assist you in applying for your license and eliminate any processing delays.

### Important:

- An application is active for three years from the date of receipt by the Department.
- Before contacting the Department, please review our FAQs for answers to most questions. <http://www.idfpr.illinois.gov/About/FAQ.html>
- If your question is not addressed in our FAQ's, please contact the department at 1-800-560-6420.

## LICENSE QUALIFICATIONS

### Education:

- You must verify the successful completion of high school, the General Education Development (GED) tests, or possession of a High School Equivalency Diploma (HSED)

### Certification:

- A successfully completed or will successfully complete within one year of filing this application a certification program approved by the Department.

### Criminal Background Check:

- All individuals applying for licensure as a Cemetery Manager in Illinois must submit to a criminal background check.

## REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

### You must submit the following (if applicable):

- **Official Certification**-If you have already completed the certification program, you must submit a copy of your certificate of completion.

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ONCE LICENSED**

- All Cemetery Manager licenses expire on August 31<sup>st</sup> of each even-numbered year, regardless of issuance date.
- It is your responsibility to update your contact information including email address with the Department to ensure that you receive all courtesy renewal email reminders and other notifications.