

# Steamboat Springs Cemetery

## History of Cemetery

The Steamboat Springs Cemetery has been around since 1882. The first recorded burial was Belle Cantrell; she died September 4, 1882. The early land records show that Isaac Calder received the land from the government in 1891. In 1929 Kemmer sold 20 acres to the Cemetery Association. In 1939 the Steamboat Springs Cemetery sold the land back to the Town of Steamboat and was transferred back to the Steamboat Springs Cemetery District in 1961.

This cemetery is a wealth of knowledge and history for this area. It includes the graves of James Crawford and his wife who founded Steamboat. There are many early pioneers well known and some not so well known. The head stone of William E. Harvey, 1839-1914, tells of his success as a local hunter, he killed 56 bears here in Routt County. Most importantly there are many veterans buried in the Steamboat Springs Cemetery. We have veterans from the Civil War, WWI, WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. Plus all of the veterans' graves are marked so you won't miss them.

