

## Jewish Cemetery Währing

### Data

### Description

By 1879, 8,593 people had been buried at the cemetery, which has an area of 21,497 m<sup>2</sup>. It was originally purchased by the City of Vienna in 1784 in accordance with an order of Emperor Joseph II, and subsequently enlarged following further purchases of land. Unfortunately, most of the headstones are made of Mühlendorf marble or sandstone and the inscriptions are therefore illegible. In 2012, the Tahara House standing next to the main entrance of the cemetery was restored with financial support from the City of Vienna.

Schrottenbachgasse, Semperstraße 64a, 1180 Wien, Vienna | [show on map](#)

### Area in m<sup>2</sup>

21,497

### Owner

Jewish Community Vienna

### Photos





### **Cadastral Data**

KG 1508, EZ 2232, GSt 1120/1, TZ 201/2009, protected monument

KG 1508, EZ 2232, GSt 1120/3, TZ 201/2009, protected monument

### **sub-project 3**

#### **Description**

#### **Realization**

Between March and November 2019 the following work needs to be carried out at the Jewish cemetery in Währing: Wall restoration, Archeological excavations and Architectural services;

**Date of approval**

19 Nov 2018

**Funding in €**

391,863.81

**Applicant**

IKG-Wien

**sub-project 1****Description****Clearance work, creation of a cemetery plan using aerial photography, commissioning the services of a general planner**

Clearance work will be carried out at the Jewish cemetery in Währing. This will involve the following services: clearance of shrubbery and undergrowth, removal of rootstock and horticultural maintenance. In addition a plan of the cemetery (inventory of the external facilities, tree cadaster and tree control) will be created using aerial photography. Funding was also awarded to commission the services of a general planner (to catalogue the objects and damage, for restoration measures, architectural planning services, senior management of object and damage cataloging, of the tree cadaster, tree control and the architectural planning services).

**Date of approval**

16 Nov 2016

**Funding in €**

275,494.31

**Applicant**

IKG-Wien

**sub-project 2****Description****Tree maintenance, clearance work, replacement planting**

Setting up the construction site

Tree maintenance measures priority 1–3, clearance work, felling, replacement planting, coordination.

**Date of approval**

02 Mar 2018

**Funding in €**

25,402.92

**Applicant**

IKG Wien

**Sub-project 5**

**Description**

At the Jewish cemetery in Währing, stonemasons and restorers are being funded in test areas 2 and 3. This involves the restoration of gravestones, lifting and grave numbering. In addition, funding is provided for site supervision.

**Date of approval**

27 Nov 2019

**Funding in €**

187,799.10

**Applicant**

IKG-Wien

**Sub-project 6**

**Description**

**laser scan sector 1 and 2**

Funding is provided for a 3D laser scan with field alignment in sector 1 (west of the main avenue) of the Jewish cemetery in Währing and a 3D laser scan without field alignment in sector 2 (east of the main avenue). This involves surveying and data processing, which is necessary for the continuation of the cemetery restoration.

**Date of approval**

27 Nov 2019

**Funding in €**

61,642.63

**Applicant**

IKG-Wien

## **Sub-project 4**

### **Description**

#### **Imminent danger / lifting work (stones) / manipulation by the stonemason**

Urgent measures will be carried out at the Jewish Cemetery in Währing as it is a case of so-called "imminent danger". The funding will be used for necessary lifting work and stone manipulation by the stonemason; the restoration of surfaces that had been altered by the archaeological excavations; and site supervision.

### **Date of approval**

15 Sep 2019

### **Funding in €**

81,309.73

### **Applicant**

IKG-Wien