

Ordinance #12

BE IT ORDAINED and ENACTED by the SUPERVISORS OF FAYETTE COUNTY, IOWA

Section 1. A cemetery commission is hereby established to assume jurisdiction and management of pioneer cemeteries in Fayette County, Iowa, pursuant to Section 331.325 of the Code of Iowa.

Section 2. The Commission shall consist of nine persons, residents of Fayette County, Iowa appointed by the Board of Supervisors as follows: Three of the members shall be appointed for a term expiring December 31, 1998; three expiring December 31, 1999, and three for a term expiring December 31, 2000. Their successors in all cases, shall be appointed for a term of three years, and all appointments to fill vacancies shall be for the unexpired term.

Section 3. The Commission shall select a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and such other officers as the Commission shall deem necessary.

Section 4. The Commission shall have authority to establish such rules and regulations governing its organization and procedures as it shall deem necessary.

Section 5. The Commission shall have all the powers and duties relating to pioneer cemeteries, which may otherwise be exercised by Township Trustees under the Code of Iowa, except the Commission shall not have the authority to certify a tax levy.

Section 6. The Commission shall submit a proposed budget including the amount of available funds and propose expenditures to the Fayette County Auditor no later than March 15 of each year.

Section 7. The Commission shall receive no compensation for their services as such, but may be reimbursed for mileage and phone calls incurred in their performance of their duties.

Section 8. Should any part of this ordinance be held invalid, the remaining part shall be severable and shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 9. All ordinance or parts of ordinance conflicting with the provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 10. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect after its passage and publication as required by law.

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