

VILLAGE OF RIPLEY, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 1015

AN ORDINANCE ABOLISHING THE BOARD OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF RIPLEY AND PROVIDING FOR THE ASSUMPTION OF THE DUTIES OF THE BOARD OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES BY THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE VILLAGE OF RIPLEY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 759.20 provides that the Mayor of a village owning a public burial ground or cemetery may appoint a board to be known as the board of cemetery trustees, and

WHEREAS, the Village of Ripley now has, and has had for many years, a board of cemetery trustees appointed pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 729.20; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of now believes that it would be in the best interests of the inhabitants of the Village of Ripley if the board of cemetery trustees were to be abolished and the duties thereof performed by the Village Administrator of the Village of Ripley,


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Ripley, two-thirds (2/3) or more of all members thereof concurring as follows, that:

SECTION 1. The board of cemetery trustees of the Village of Ripley shall be abolished effective midnight of December 31, 1995.

SECTION 2. Effective January 1, 1996, the Village Administrator the Village of Ripley shall assume the duties of and carry out the functions of the board of cemetery trustees, as provided by law or otherwise.

SECTION 3. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the Village of Ripley and more particularly for the reason that it would be a more efficient expenditure of time and money if the board of cemetery trustees of the Village of Ripley were to be abolished and the Village Administrator the Village of Ripley were to assume such duties and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

Adopted this 12th day of December, 1995.

  
Larry D. Fulton, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Hilda Frebis, Clerk