IVINS CITY CEMETERY RULES AND REGULATIONS

Every plot within the Ivins City Cemetery shall be subject to the Certificate of Burial Right, Ivins City Code and these Rules and Regulations.

INTERMENT

- A. <u>Prior Notice.</u> No interment shall take place unless the Superintendent is given at least 48 hours notice before any such interment, and at least 10 days notice prior to any disinterment or removal. Generally, no interments, disinterments, removals, or interment service will occur on a weekend or on a state/federal holiday.
- B. <u>Postponement by Superintendent.</u> The Superintendent may postpone an interment until a more expedient time if the remains arrive at the cemetery entrance after three o'clock (3:00) p.m., or if too many funerals arrive at the same time.
- D. <u>Nonliability of Superintendent and Ivins City for delay in case of protest to interment or noncompliance with rules.</u> Neither the Superintendent nor Ivins City shall be liable for any delay in interment, including circumstances where protest to the interment has been made or where the Ivins City Cemetery Ordinance has not been complied with. The Superintendent reserves the right, under such circumstances, to have the body placed in a receiving vault until the problems have been resolved. The Superintendent may require any protest to be in writing and to be filed in the office of the Superintendent.
- E. <u>Payment.</u> The charge for opening, closing and sodding a grave shall be paid to the City Treasurer at the time of making application for interment if not paid at the time of purchase of the plot(s). All charges for cemetery services must have been paid prior to any interment or disinterment.
- F. <u>Exclusive use of equipment and employees of Ivins City.</u> Tents, artificial grass, lowering devices, and other equipment owned by Ivins City shall be used exclusively by Ivins City employees in making interments, disinterments, and removals.
- G. <u>Limitation of number of bodies in burial lot.</u> Not more than one body, or the remains of more than one body, shall be interred in one plot unless authorized at the time the written purchase agreement is executed or by written consent of the Superintendent, provided proper identification is made of such interment or interments on one monument.
- H. <u>Right of Superintendent to select interment space in absence of proper instructions.</u>

 When an owner owns multiple plots and neither the owner nor relatives thereof have indicated the

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specific plot for interment, the Superintendent may designate the plot for interment and neither the Superintendent nor Ivins City shall be held liable for any error made thereby.

FAMILIES AND CO-OWNERS

When two or more persons own burial rights in more than one plot, they may designate one or more persons to represent plots and file written notice of designation with the Superintendent. In the absence of such notice or of written objection to its so doing, the Superintendent is not liable to any owner for interring or permitting an interment in a plot on the request or direction of any co-owner of the plot.

MONUMENTS

All monuments shall be under the direction of the Superintendent and placed by either a monument company or city personnel in accordance with the standards and specifications of the Superintendent.

- A. <u>Monuments</u>. Bronze tablets or stone monuments are allowed if set level with the ground at the head of each grave. Monuments may embrace two or more plots, double monuments may be permitted, and two or more inscriptions may be permitted on one monument.
- B. <u>Right to remove nonconforming monuments</u>. The Superintendent shall have the right to remove any monument that is determined not to be in conformance with the standards and specifications for the placement of same within the Ivins City Cemetery.
- C. <u>Charges for repairs; notice to owner</u>. If it becomes necessary to repair or reconstruct any monument which has been damaged, the Superintendent shall give written notice of the necessity for such repair to the surviving family members. The responsible party must make arrangements to repair the monument. If the responsible party fails to repair the damage within a reasonable time, the Superintendent may: 1) direct that the repairs as necessary be made and bill the responsible party for all costs incurred therefor; or 2) remove the damaged monument.
- D. <u>Notice of change of address of owner.</u> The plot owner must notify the Superintendent of any change of address. Notice sent to a plot owner at the last address on file in the office of the Superintendent shall be considered sufficient legal notice.

ADORNMENT AND DECORATION

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- A. <u>Trees and shrubs.</u> No trees or shrubs will be permitted on any lots or plots except by express permission of the Superintendent. If any tree or shrub is planted on any plot, avenue, or walk, the Superintendent reserves the right to enter said plot and remove the tree or shrub, or any part thereof.
- B. <u>Prohibition of certain articles.</u> The placing of boxes, shells, toys, metal designs, ornaments, chairs, settees, vases, glass, wood or iron cases and similar articles on plots is prohibited, and, if placed, the Superintendent may remove them. All other fittings, adornments, inscriptions, and nameplates are subject to the approval and control of the Superintendent.
- C. <u>Flower receptacles; approval of Superintendent.</u> No flower receptacles may be placed on any plot, unless approved by the Superintendent.
- D. <u>Flower Receptacles and floral arrangements; removal.</u> The Superintendent may remove and dispose of all floral designs, flowers, weeds, trees, shrubs, or plants of any kind from the cemetery as soon as, in the judgment of the Superintendent, they become unsightly or diseased, or do not conform to approved standards.

CONDUCT OF VISITORS

- A. <u>Admission of visitors.</u> Ivins City reserves the right to refuse admission to anyone not a plot owner or relative of a person interred in the cemetery, and to refuse the use of any of the cemetery facilities at any time by any person or persons whom the Superintendent has not given express prior written consent.
- B. <u>Admission of children.</u> Children under 12 years of age shall not be permitted within the cemetery, or its buildings, unless accompanied by a responsible adult.
- C. <u>Persons permitted on cemetery plot.</u> Only the plot owner and/or relatives thereof shall be permitted on any cemetery plot.
- D. <u>Opening casket after funeral</u>. After the funeral service is completed and the casket is placed in the receiving vault or other space, the Superintendent reserves the right to refuse permission to anyone to open the casket or to touch the body without the consent of the legal representative of the deceased or a court order.
- E. <u>Traffic regulations.</u> Automobiles on the cemetery grounds shall observe a speed limit of 10 miles per hour, and must be kept on the right-hand side of the cemetery roadway. Automobiles are not allowed to park or to come to a full stop in front of an open grave unless such automobiles are in attendance at the funeral. No bicycles, roller skates, roller blades, skateboards or scooters are allowed in the cemetery.

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- F. <u>Walkways & Roadways.</u> Persons within the cemetery grounds shall use the walks and roads exclusively and neither the Superintendent nor Ivins City shall be liable to any person injured while walking on the grass or any other portion of the cemetery.
- G. <u>Firearms</u>. Firearms are not permitted within the cemetery except on special permit from the Superintendent or Ivins City Public Safety Director.
- H. <u>Loitering.</u> Loitering, as well as boisterous or unseemly conduct, will not be permitted in the cemetery, or in any of the buildings.
- I. <u>Flower Removal.</u> The taking of any flowers or other objects placed on a plot by persons other than the owner, relatives thereof, or city personnel is prohibited.
 - J. Pets. Pets are not allowed on the cemetery grounds or in any of the buildings.
- K. <u>Refreshments.</u> Refreshments are not permitted within the cemetery, except as authorized by the Superintendent.
- L. <u>Litter</u>. Littering on the drives and paths, or on any part of the cemetery grounds, or in the buildings, is prohibited.
- M. <u>Peddlers and solicitors.</u> Peddling of flowers or plants, or solicitation of any kind is prohibited.
- N. <u>Opening and closing hours.</u> The cemetery grounds and buildings shall be open from dawn to dusk every day, including holidays.

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