

ORDINANCE NO. 3762

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN FEES FOR THE
NEW CASTLE SOUTH MOUND CEMETERY AND WESTLAWN ADDITION THERETO
AND ESTABLISHING ADDITIONAL VETERANS BURIAL SPACES
IN THE WESTLAWN ADDITION

WHEREAS, Section 90.01(b) establishes certain fees and costs for the New Castle South Mound Cemetery and its Westlawn Addition; and,

WHEREAS, it has been determined that these fees are no longer adequate and must be increased; and,

WHEREAS, the City has previously established an area known as "Legion Hill" for the burial of veterans; and,

WHEREAS, there are no longer spaces to allow for the burial of veterans on Legion Hill in Southmound and a newly established veteran's burial area must be established in the Westlawn Addition to the South Mound Cemetery.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW CASTLE that Title IX, Chapter 91 of the New Castle City Code shall be amended as follows:

1. New Castle City Code Section 90.01(b)(1) shall be amended as follows:

(a) Each gravesite without a foundation shall be priced at \$650.00.

(b) Each gravesite with a foundation shall be priced at \$850.00.

(c) Costs of space in "baby land": \$125.00

2. New Castle City Code Section 90.01(b)(2) shall be amended as follows:

(a) In ground burials (opening and closing): \$650.00

(b) In ground cremains (opening and closing): \$350.00

(c) Burial in "baby land" (opening and closing): \$150.00

3. New Castle City Code Section 90.01(b)(3) shall be amended as follows:

Saturday burials:

(a) Cremains opening and closing before noon: \$400.00

(b) Opening and closing cremains after 12:00 p.m.: \$500.00

(c) Burials before noon: \$950.00

(d) Burials after 12:00 p.m.: \$1,000.00

No Sunday or holiday burials shall be permitted.

4. A late fee charge of \$250.00 shall be assessed for any payment not timely made pursuant to this Chapter.

II. The following provisions shall be added as paragraph (H) to New Castle City Code Chapter 91.01. Said new paragraph shall be as follows:

(H) The City of New Castle in honor of its veterans who have given faithful service and sacrifice to this city, county, state and country, hereby set aside Block H consisting of thirteen (13) rows and four hundred and thirty-seven (437) plots in the Westlawn Addition of the South Mound Cemetery. Upon presentation to the City of proper documents from the United

States Military showing that the decedent was a veteran of a branch of the United States Military he/she shall be provided with a lot in this section at no charge.

Any provision of Section 91.01 of the New Castle City Code not changed or amended by this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

REPEALER: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SEVERABILITY: Any provision herein contained which is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unlawful or which by operation shall be inapplicable, shall be deemed omitted but the rest and remainder of this ordinance, to the extent feasible, shall remain in full force and effect.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage and publication as provided for by law.

ADOPTED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW CASTLE THIS DAY OF _____, 2016.

Greg York, Presiding
Officer, Common Council, City
of New Castle, Indiana

ATTEST:

Clerk-Treasurer

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APPROVED BY ME THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2016.

Greg York, Mayor of the City
Of New Castle, Indiana