

# **PART 11 – PARKS, RECREATION AND CEMETERY**

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## **CHAPTER 1**

### **PARKS, RECREATION AND CEMETERY**

#### **SECTION — DESCRIPTION**

- 11-101 Cemetery established, board, rules, fees
  - 11-102 Perpetual Care Fund
  - 11-103 Motel Tax
  - 11-104 Rules and Regulations
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#### **SECTION 11-101 CEMETERY ESTABLISHED, BOARD, RULES, FEES**

\$25.00 of each lot sold is to be placed in a savings toward land purchase.

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#### **SECTION 11-102 PERPETUAL CARE FUND**

A. Such a fund will be created and all monies will be held in a trust-bearing account with the Bank NA, McAlester, OK, separate and segregated from all other cemetery funds. The fund will hold monies donated, deposited and/or made by bequest for the special care of specified lots, monuments or mausoleums in any city-owned cemetery or any other related purpose specified by the donor.

B. The principal amounts held in the fund may not be accessed. Only interest derived from the investments made into the fund shall be used.

(Approved: August 25, 2008)

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#### **SECTION 11-103 MOTEL TAX**

A. Hotel/motel tax was passed by the voters in 2008. One-third (1/3) of the five percent (5%) of the hotel/motel tax collected is to be put into the cemetery fund.  
(Effective date: August 29, 2008)

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## **SECTION 11-104 RULES AND REGULATIONS**

A. The cemetery rules and regulations are as follows:

- Each lot will be 6' by 20'.
  - No above-ground lot markers, other than the standard type of headstone grave markers.
  - No above-ground border markers, steel pipe, chain, poles, or fences.
  - If a lot is sold it will be sold back to the Town of Kiowa at cost.
  - No donations for cleaning of specified lots will be accepted.
  - No person will be buried in the cemetery or headstone set without permission from City Hall.
  - Old flowers will be removed as needed for mowing within 60 days after Memorial Day.
  - Temporary markers will be removed after headstones are set. You can pick these up at City Hall.
  - No trees, shrubs or bushes are to be planted on or around graves.
  - No decorative rock or gravel is to be placed on or near graves.
- (Effective date: June 26, 2000)
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## **CHAPTER 2**

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