

ORDINANCE NO. 2010-5-O

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF LINDON CITY, UTAH COUNTY, UTAH, AMENDING CHAPTER 8.32, SECTION 8.32.250 OF THE LINDON CITY CODE – CEMETERIES AND FUNERALS, “HOLIDAY FUNERALS”, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Council of Lindon City received a report from the Cemetery Sexton outlining the problems with allowing interments and exhumations on the Saturday preceding Memorial Day in May of each year; and

WHEREAS, the Council understands the conflict between those wishing to visit the graves of deceased relatives while an interment or disinterment is being conducted and the resulting traffic congestion; and

WHEREAS, a survey of other public cemeteries in the area revealed that the general regulation among them is that no Saturday interments or exhumations are allowed on the Saturday preceding the Memorial Day holiday; and

WHEREAS, during the City Council meeting of June 15, 2010 the Council took action to end the practice of allowing interments/exhumations on the Saturday preceding Memorial Day, and this ordinance amendment enters that action into the Lindon City Code.

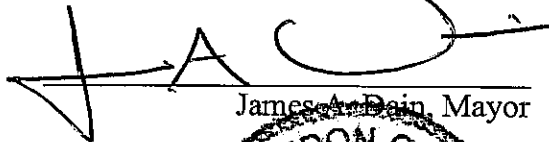
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Municipal Council of Lindon City, Utah County, State of Utah, as follows:

SECTION I: Chapter 8.32, Section 8.32.250 of the Lindon City Code is hereby amended to read in part “Interments or exhumations shall not be allowed on Christmas Day, New Year’s Day, Thanksgiving, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Sundays, or on Memorial Day weekend beginning on the Saturday preceding Memorial Day through Memorial Day; provided however, that a burial may be permitted on any of the days described above if the deceased died of a contagious disease.”


SECTION II: Provisions of other ordinances in conflict with this ordinance and the provisions adopted or incorporated by reference are hereby repealed or amended as provided herein.

SECTION III: This ordinance shall take effect upon the date of posting.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Lindon City Council on this 17 day of August, 2010.


James A. Dain, Mayor

ATTEST:


Debra S. Cullimore, City Recorder

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