

ORDINANCE NO. 695

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2.44.130 FENCES, STRUCTURES AND OTHER IMPROPER ITEMS, TO INCLUDE FURTHER GUIDANCE FOR SECURED DECORATIONS/STRUCTURES THAT MAY BE PERMITTED ON CEMETERY LOTS OR GRAVES

WHEREAS, the Town of Odessa Town Council deems it necessary to add the following amendment to include another paragraph to the Odessa Municipal Code in Chapter 2.44.130 to make clear what may be permitted on cemetery lots and graves related to secured decorations/structures.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ODESSA, LINCOLN COUNTY, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT:

Section 1. Amend section 2.44.130 to include the following after the last paragraph to read: Secured decorations/structures may be permitted as long as a family member maintains the area by keeping the grass trimmed at least one foot from and around the decorations/structure allowing the maintenance equipment to move freely without having to maneuver or come to a complete stop. If the area is not maintained then the secured decorations/structures will be placed behind the chapel for owner pick up.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of the ordinance or its application to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance, or the application of the provisions to other person or circumstances, shall not be affected.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE ODESSA TOWN COUNCIL, THIS 11th DAY OF JUNE, 2018

William F. Crossley, Mayor

ATTEST:

Denise Snead, Clerk-Treasurer

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