

ORDINANCE NO. 57-18

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 943.08(c) OF THE
CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MEDINA,
OHIO, RELATIVE TO THE ALLOCATION OF FUNDS
FROM COLUMBARIUM NICHE SALES.**

WHEREAS: Section 943.08(c) of the codified ordinances of the City of Medina, Ohio, presently reads as follows:

943.08 OPERATING FUND, PERPETUAL ORDINARY CARE FUND, AND CEMETERY IMPROVEMENT FUND.

All charges and fees collected from the Medina Municipal Cemeteries shall be divided into three distinct funds, namely the Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund, the Operating Fund, and the Cemetery Improvement Fund.

a) The Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund shall be funded from the sale of in ground burial lots, in ground cremains, and footer fees for the Medina Municipal Cemeteries. This money shall be placed in a permanent care fund of the Medina Municipal Cemeteries with one hundred percent (100%) of the total price of a lot and forty-five percent (45%) of the footer fees allocated to the Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund.

b) The Operating Fund money shall be placed in the General Fund of the City from which the current costs of operating and maintaining the cemetery are drawn. Fifty-five percent (55%) of footer fees and one hundred percent (100%) of burial expenses shall be allocated to the Operating Fund.

c) Funds from Columbarium Niche sales shall be distributed as follows: fifty-three percent (53%) shall be placed in the Cemetery Improvement Fund (fka Mausoleum Fund) for the building of a future columbarium wall or other cemetery improvements, thirty percent (30%) shall be placed in the Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund, and seventeen percent (17%) shall be placed in the Operating Fund. One hundred percent (100%) of Columbarium Niche interment funds shall be placed in the Operating Fund.

(Ord. 226-05. Passed 10-11-05.)

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF MEDINA, OHIO:**

SEC. 1: That Section 943.08(c) of the codified ordinances of the City of Medina, Ohio, shall be amended to read as follows:

943.08 OPERATING FUND, PERPETUAL ORDINARY CARE FUND, AND CEMETERY IMPROVEMENT FUND.

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a) The Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund shall be funded from the sale of in ground burial lots, in ground cremains, and footer fees for the Medina Municipal Cemeteries. This money shall be placed in a permanent care fund of the Medina Municipal Cemeteries with one hundred percent (100%) of the total price of a lot and forty-five percent (45%) of the footer fees allocated to the Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund.

b) The Operating Fund money shall be placed in the General Fund of the City from which the current costs of operating and maintaining the cemetery are drawn. Fifty-five percent (55%) of footer fees and one hundred percent (100%) of burial expenses shall be allocated to the Operating Fund.

c) Funds from Columbarium Niche sales shall be distributed as follows: ~~fifty-three~~ **fifty-eight** percent (**58%**) shall be placed in the Cemetery Improvement Fund (fka Mausoleum Fund) for the building of a future columbarium wall or other cemetery improvements, thirty percent (30%) shall be placed in the Perpetual Ordinary Care Fund, and ~~seventeen~~ **twelve** percent (**12%**) shall be placed in the Operating Fund. One hundred percent (100%) of Columbarium Niche interment funds shall be placed in the Operating Fund.
(Ord. 226-05. Passed 10-11-05.)

SEC. 2: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with the law.

SEC. 3: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect at the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: March 26, 2018

SIGNED: John M. Coyne, III
President of Council

ATTEST: Kathy Patton
Clerk of Council

APPROVED: March 27, 2018

SIGNED: Dennis Hanwell
Mayor