

CHAPTER 1

ADMINISTRATIVE

ARTICLE 6. ORDINANCES

1-601 ORDINANCES; GRANT OF POWER. The Governing Body shall have the responsibility of making all ordinances, by-laws, rules, regulations and resolutions not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Nebraska as may be necessary and proper for maintaining the peace, good government and welfare of the Municipality and its trade, commerce and security. (Ref. 17-505 RS Neb.)

1-602 ORDINANCES; INTRODUCTION. Ordinance shall be introduced by members of the Governing Body in either of the following ways:

1. With the recognition of the Chairman, a member of the Governing Body may in the presence and hearing of a majority of the members elected to the Board read aloud the substance of his or her proposed ordinance and file a copy of the same with the Municipal Clerk for future consideration or,
2. With the recognition of the Chairman, a member of the Governing Body may present his or her proposed ordinance to the Clerk who is in presence and hearing of the majority of the members elected to the Board shall read aloud the substance of the same and shall file the same for future consideration.

1-603 ORDINANCES; RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS. Resolutions and motions shall be introduced in one (1) of the methods prescribed for the introduction of ordinances. After their introduction, they shall fully and distinctly read one (1) in the presence and hearing of majority of the members elected to the Governing Body. The issue raised by said resolutions or motions shall be disposed of in accordance with the usage of parliamentary law adopted for the guidance of the Governing Body. A majority vote shall be required to pass any resolution or motion and shall be by roll call vote.

1-604 ORDINANCES; STYLE. The style of all Municipal Ordinances shall be: "Be it Ordained by the Chairman and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Brady, Lincoln County Nebraska (17-613 RS Neb.)

1-605 ORDINANCES; TITLE. No ordinance shall contain a subject not clearly expressed in its title. (Ref. 17-614 RS Neb.)

1-606 ORDINANCES; HOW ENACTED;TITLE. All ordinances and resolutions or orders for the appropriation or payment of money shall require for their passage or adoption the concurrence of a majority of all members elected to the board of trustees. Ordinances of a general or permanent nature shall be read by title on three different days unless three-fourths of the board of trustees vote to suspend this requirement, except that such requirement shall not be suspended for

any ordinance for the annexation of territory. In case such requirement is suspended, the ordinances shall be read by title and then moved for final passage. Three-fourths of the board of trustees may require a reading of any such ordinance in full before enactment under either procedure set out in this section. (Ref. 17-614 RS Neb.)

1-607 ORDINANCES; CONTRACTS; APPOINTMENTS; VOTE; RECORD. On the passage or adoption of every bylaw or ordinance, and every resolution or order to enter into a contract by the board of trustees, the yeas and nays shall be recorded. To pass or adopt any bylaw, ordinance, or any such resolution or order, concurrence of a majority of the whole number of members elected to the board of trustees shall be required. All appointments of the officers by any trustees shall be made by viva voce; and the concurrence of a like majority shall be required, and the names of those, and for whom they voted, on the vote resulting in an appointment, shall be recorded. The requirements of a roll call or viva voce vote shall be satisfied by a village which utilizes an electronic voting device which allows the yeas and nays of each member of the board of trustees to be readily seen by the public. (Ref. 17-616 RS Neb.)

1-608 ORDINANCES; PUBLICATION. All ordinances of a general nature shall be published one (1) time within fifteen (15) days after they are passed in some newspaper published in the Municipality or, if no paper is published in the Municipality, then by posting a written or printed copy thereof in each of three (3) public places in the Municipality. (Ref. 17-613 RS Neb.)

1-609 ORDINANCES; EMERGENCY ORDINANCES. In the case of riot, infectious contagious diseases or other impending danger, failure of a public utility or other emergency requiring its immediate operation, such ordinance shall take effect upon the proclamation of the Chairman of the Governing Body and the posting thereof in at least three (3) of the most public places in the Municipality. Such emergency notice shall recite the emergency and be passed by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of the Governing Body and entered upon the Municipal Clerk's minutes. (Ref. 17-613 RS Neb.)

1-610 ORDINANCES; AMENDMENTS AND REVISIONS. No ordinance or section thereof shall be revised or amended unless the new ordinance contains the entire ordinance or section as revised or amended and the ordinance or section so amended shall be repealed. (Ref. 17-614 RS Neb.)