

Chapter 124

CEMETERIES AND BURIAL GROUNDS

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[HISTORY: Adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Dryden 9-9-1986. Amendments noted where applicable.]

§ 124-1. Applicability.

This chapter shall apply to that area of the Town of Dryden which is outside of the limits of the Villages of Dryden and Freeville.

§ 124-2. State legislation to prevail.

This chapter shall not apply to any burial ground or cemetery that is subject to the provisions of any state law regulating the same such as the Religious Corporations Law, Executive Law, Not-for-Profit Corporation Law or Public Health Law.

§ 124-3. Compliance required.

No person shall cause the remains of a human being to be buried, or establish a burial ground for such purpose in the Town of Dryden in any ground not set apart and recognized as a municipal, religious or not-for-profit corporation cemetery without first complying with the provisions of this chapter.

§ 124-4. Town Board approval required for burial grounds.

A place for the burial of human remains may only be established upon filing with the Town Board an application for approval of such use and upon depositing with a recognized bank adequate and appropriate funds for the perpetual maintenance of said grounds.

§ 124-5. Adoption of rules and regulations.

The Town Board shall adopt rules and regulations consistent with the provisions of this chapter and which address the form of the application, information to be required on the application, the amount of deposit to insure perpetual care of the place for the burial of human remains, the place where said deposits shall be maintained, the records to be maintained, the frequency and content of reports to the Town Board and such other information as will help the Town Board monitor the provisions and intent of the chapter.

§ 124-6. When effective.

This chapter shall take effect after adoption and upon publication and posting as required by law.