

## 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. Ordinances shall be introduced by members of the Governing Body in either of the following ways:

A. With the recognition of the Chairman, a Board member may, in the presence and hearing of a majority of the members elected to the Board of Trustees read aloud the substance of his proposed ordinance and file a copy of the same with the Municipal Clerk for future consideration;

B. Or with the recognition of the Chairman, a Board member may present his proposed ordinance to the Clerk who in the presence and hearing of a majority of the members elected to the Board of Trustees, 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 of the methods prescribed for the introduction of ordinances. After their introduction, they shall be fully and distinctly read one (1) time in the presence and hearing of a majority of the members elected to the Board of Trustees. 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 Board. A majority vote shall be required to pass any resolution or motion. The vote on any resolution or motion shall be by roll call vote.

§1-604 ORDINANCES: STYLE. Municipal ordinances shall be:

"Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Alvo, Nebraska:" (Ref.17-6a13 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: PASSAGE. Ordinances, resolutions, or orders for the appropriation of money shall require for their passage the concurrence of the majority of the members of the Governing Body. Ordinances of a general or permanent nature shall be read by the title on three (3) different days. This requirement may be suspended by three-fourths (3/4) vote of the Board of Trustees, in such case said ordinance may be read by title or number and then moved for final passage. Three fourths (3/4) of the Board may require any ordinance to be read in full before final passage under either process. (Ref. 17-614 RS Neb.)

§1-607 ORDINANCES: PUBLICATION OR POSTING. 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.)

§1-608 ORDINANCES: CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION POSTING. The passage, approval, and publication or posting of all ordinances shall be sufficiently proven by a certificate under the Seal of the Municipality from the Municipal Clerk showing that the said ordinance was passed and approved, and when, and in what paper the same was published, or when, and by whom, and where the same was posted. (Ref. 17-613 RS Neb.)

§1-609 ORDINANCES: EMERGENCY ORDINANCES. In the case of riot, infectious or 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, 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.)