

1 **BY AUTHORITY**

2 ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

3 SERIES OF 2014

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:

4 Health, Safety, Education & Services

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6 Discussed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2014

7 **A B I L L**

8 **for an ordinance amending Sections 24-189 “Territory Within Which Burials are**  
9 **Prohibited” of Article VI of Chapter 24 of the Revised Municipal Code of the**  
10 **City and County of Denver to add an additional provision clarifying where any**  
11 **human remains may be buried or deposited.**  
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13 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:**

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15 **Section 1. That Section 24-189, “DIVISION 3. – TERRITORY WITHIN WHICH**  
16 **BURIALS ARE PROHIBITED,” of the Revised Municipal Code is hereby amended by adding**  
17 **language underlined and deleting language stricken as follows:**

18 **Sec. 24-189. – Territory within which burials are prohibited.**

- 19 (a) It shall be unlawful for any person or any of the agents, ~~servants~~ or employees
- 20 thereof, to bury or deposit in any vault, or to cause or permit to be buried or
- 21 deposited in any vault, any dead body, in any of the following described areas in
- 22 the city:
- 23 (1) The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 1, Township 4
- 24 South, Range 68 West, of the Sixth Principal Meridian;
- 25 (2) The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 2, Township 4
- 26 South, Range 68 West of the Sixth Principal Meridian;
- 27 (3) The north one-half of the southeast quarter, Section 2, Township 4 South,
- 28 Range 68 West of the Sixth-Principal Meridian;
- 29 (4) A tract of land commencing at the southeast corner of the southeast
- 30 quarter of the northeast quarter, Section 27, Township 4 South, Range 68
- 31 West; thence running west 208.71 feet to a point; thence, at right angles,
- 32 north 104.35 feet; thence at right angles, east 208.71 feet to the eastern
- 33 boundary line of the said Section 27; thence, at right angles, south along
- 34 said eastern boundary line 104.35 feet to the place of beginning.
- 35 (5) Any place in the City other than a “cemetery” legally established under
- 36 Former Chapter 59 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code or the Denver
- 37 Zoning Code.
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COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE:

MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE:

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL \_\_\_\_\_ 2014

\_\_\_\_\_ - PRESIDENT

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_ - MAYOR \_\_\_\_\_ 2014

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ - CLERK AND RECORDER,  
EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE  
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL \_\_\_\_\_ 2014; \_\_\_\_\_ 2014

PREPARED BY: Martina Hinojosa – SPECIAL COUNSEL, CITY ATTORNEY’S OFFICE – March  
\_\_\_\_, 2014

Pursuant to section 13-12, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the office of  
the City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form, and have no legal objection to the proposed  
ordinance. The proposed ordinance is submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to §3.2.1  
of the Charter.

D. Scott Martinez, City Attorney for the City and County of Denver

BY: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ City Attorney

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_