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MAYSVILLE CITY COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 2010 - 3

An Ordinance to provide requirements for the burial of human remains, to repeal conflicting ordinances, to provide for severability, to provide for penalties, to provide for an effective date, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Maysville is authorized by the Constitution of the State of Georgia to enact ordinances for the health, safety, and welfare of the general public; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Maysville, Georgia, desires to adopt an Ordinance concerning the burial of human remains;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Maysville, Georgia, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of same, as follows:

Section I. Any remains of human beings being buried in any cemetery maintained by the City shall be placed in a coffin and the coffin shall be placed in a sealed vault.

Section II. Effective date. The effective date of this Ordinance shall be the date of final passage.

Section III. Severability. If any portion of this Ordinance should be declared invalid or unconstitutional, such invalidity shall not be construed to affect the portions of this Ordinance not so held to be invalid or unconstitutional. Any Ordinance in direct conflict with this Ordinance is repealed, and this Ordinance shall control over all prior Ordinances in conflict herewith. However, to the extent possible, all prior Ordinances shall be construed to be consistent with this Ordinance.

Section IV. Penalties. Violation of this Ordinance shall be a misdemeanor and shall subject the violator upon conviction to a fine not to exceed the maximum penalty for

violation of City Ordinances as set out in the Maysville City Charter or determined by applicable general law.

This 15th day of February, 2010.

MAYSVILLE CITY COUNCIL

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Attested:

Barbara Thomas

City Clerk

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