

Ordinance No. 7
Relating to Board of Health

The village council of the village of New Munich do ordain as follows:

Section I

That there is hereby created and established in and for the village of New Munich a board of health to consist of three members who shall be elected annually by the village council: provided, a vacancy in such office may be filled at any time, when the same may occur for the unexpired term. Such board of health shall have and exercise within said village the powers and duties prescribed by the general statute of this state for boards of health within this state and such other powers and duties as the village council may from time to time prescribe.

Any two of said board of health shall constitute a quorum and may transact any business authorized to be done by the board

Sec. II

It shall be unlawful for any person, company or corporation to keep or maintain within the limits of said village any nuisance, noxious, unwholesome, disgusting, or offensive yard, pen, sty, stable, sewer, privy or other building or place whatsoever name or kind, or unnecessarily for an unreasonable time to suffer, or allow any nuisance, noxious, unwholesome, disgusting or offensive dead carcass, accumulation of manure filth or other substance to be or remain upon any premises owned, occupied or controlled by such person, company or corporation, within the limits of said village to the injury, annoyance or discomfort of the public, or of any resident of said village

Sec. III

No person, company or corporation shall bring, deposit or leave any nuisance, noxious, unwholesome, disgusting or offensive dead carcass, manure

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or filth of any kind, or other substance upon or in any lake, pond, river or creek nor upon or in any street alley or public place within said village, nor upon any lands therein owned or occupied by another, nor upon any unoccupied land of another.

Sec. IV

It shall be unlawful for any person to bury the dead body of any human being, or the dead body of any animal, in any street, or alley.

Sec. V

Any person company or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of sections one two three and four of this ordinance, shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine of not less than two nor more than Ten Dollars besides the costs of the prosecution, or be committed into the county jail of Stearns County or the village jail of said village of New Munich not to exceed thirty days.

Sec. VI

Whenever complaint is made by any resident of said village to the board of health of said village, or to the health officer thereof, of the violation of any of the provisions of Sec. two three and four of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of said board of health as soon as practicable, to investigate the matter, and grounds of such complaint, and if the said complaint upon the investigation appears to be well founded it shall be the duty of the health officer to notify the party deemed to be guilty of any such violation of either of said sections, to abate any such nuisance, noxious, unwholesome, disgusting or offensive yard, pen, sty, stable, sewer, privy, or other building, kept or maintained by him or to remove any such nuisance, noxious, unwholesome disgusting or offensive dead carcass, or bring an animal within twenty four hours after being served with such notice and in case the

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party so notified shall refuse or neglect to comply with the requirements of said notice, the president of the village council or health officer of said village may thereupon procure such cleansing, removal to be done as required by such notice at the cost and expense of the party so offending, which may be recovered from such party in a civil action in favor of said village of New Munich.

Sec. VII

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption.

Adopted this 5th day of Feb. 1896

Hy. Hengen Pres.

John F. Finkler Sec.