

Ordinance No. 16.

Providing for Labor on the Streets and Alleys of the Village of South Jacksonville, Illinois.

Introduction and Passage of Ordinances

Section I. Be it Ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of South Jacksonville, That every able-bodied male inhabitant of the village of South Jacksonville above the age of twenty-one years and under the age of fifty years (except paupers, idiots, lunatics and such others as are exempt by the law), shall labor on the streets and alleys of said village of South Jacksonville for the period of two (2) whole days in each year; provided, however, that a commutation of such labor may be had by payment to the village of South Jacksonville, for such two days' labor at the rate of seventy-five (75) cents per day.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the village clerk on or before the first of April of each and every year to compile and make up a list of the names and street addresses of all persons within the Village of South Jacksonville, who are subject to the provisions of the foregoing section, and he shall, on or before the day of May of each year, collect said sum of seventy-five (75) cents per day for the commutation of such two days' labor on the streets and alleys from any and all such persons subject thereto as aforesaid, as may desire to pay the same, and on the first day of May, the said village clerk shall prepare a list of all delinquents and certify the same to the chairman of streets and alleys of the village of South Jacksonville, stating the name and place of residence of each person subject to the provisions of this ordinance, who had not by the payment of said sum of seventy-five cents per day for two days commuted the labor required of him under the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. That all moneys collected by the village clerk in commutation of the labor on streets herein provided for shall be turned over to the village treasurer and kept by him as a special fund for the uses and purposes of cleansing and keeping in repair and the general maintenance of the streets and alleys of the village of South Jacksonville.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the chairmen of streets and alleys, upon receiving from the village clerk the delinquent list certified, as provided in Section 2 hereof, to require every person whose name has been so certified to labor upon the streets of the village of South Jacksonville, for two days of such year, as hereinabove provided, and shall have the authority of calling upon any of such persons at any time intervening between the first day of May and the first day of September, of such year, for the performance of such work; and he shall prescribe the work to be done by such person and shall superintend the doing of the same, and he is hereby charged with the duty of full compliance with the provisions of this section.

Sec. 5. Any person failing to perform the two days' labor required or paying to the village of South Jacksonville, the sum of seventy-five (75) cents per day in commutation of the two days' labor herein required, on or before the dates specified in this ordinance, or refusing in any manner to comply with the requests of the chairman of streets and alleys in the

performance of such labor, as required by the provisions of this ordinance, shall be subject to a fine of not less than five (\$5.00) nor more than twenty (\$20.00) dollars for each offense.

Passed at an adjournment meeting of the Village Board this 10th day of January, A.D. 1912.,

Approved this 10th day of January, A.D. 1912.

HERMAN WEBER, President.

(L.S) Attest:

CHAS. W. BOSTON, Clerk.

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