

RESOLUTION 30 - 2022

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING FERGUS COUNTY'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO INTERMENT COSTS FOR MILITARY VETERANS

WHEREAS, Montana Code Annotated §10-2-501 (2021) provides that Counties shall defer the cost of interment and headstones for military veterans; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners wishes to honor veterans by contributing to interment and headstone costs; and, the Board of County Commissioners in its FY22/23 budget, increased the contribution from \$300 to \$400; passed on September 1st, 2022,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Fergus County shall contribute \$400 to interment costs for any veteran who is a resident of Fergus County at the time of death; as described in MCA 10-2-501, MCA 13-1-112 and Ag opinion 128 M 230, 272 P2d 1003 (1954).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that such \$400 payment shall be made only upon receipt of a completed Fergus County Veteran Benefit Assignment Form that has been signed by the Veterans Burial Board;

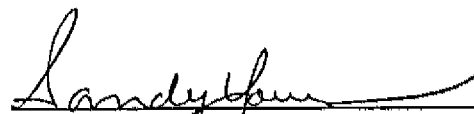
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ALSO RESOLVED, that Fergus County shall reimburse costs for shipping and raising of the headstone, up to \$100, for any veteran who is a resident of Fergus County at the time of death.

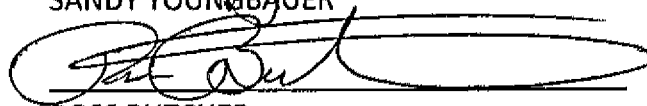
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that such \$100 payment shall be made only upon receipt of Fergus County Veteran Benefit Assignment Form that has been signed by the Veterans Burial Board.

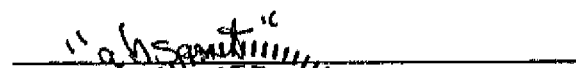
PASSED AND APPROVED this 27 day of December 2022, by the Board of Commissioners, Fergus County, Montana.

Effective date of resolution September 1, 2022

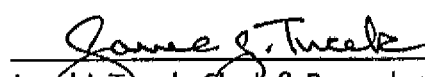
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