

ORDINANCE NO. 265

AN ORDINANCE DISPOSING OF ABANDONED ITEMS

WHEREAS, from time to time town officials find abandoned items within the Town of Battle ground, Indiana;

WHEREAS, the Town of Battle Ground, Indiana by the Board of Trustees desires to set forth guidelines to dispose of said abandoned items.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF BATTLE GROUND, INDIANA, THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE IS HEREBY ADOPTED: 1.

Definition. For the purpose of this ordinance, abandoned items will mean any item located on public premises which does not have lawfully affixed thereto or displayed thereon any name or markings connecting it with another. Said items must remain unclaimed from the Clerk-Treasurer for thirty (30) days after they are found.

2. Any abandoned items shall be turned into the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Battle Ground, Indiana and shall be held for thirty (30) days. If said items are unclaimed after thirty (30) days said items will be placed in a secure facility and will be sold at public auction during the spring in the year following its discovery.

ALL OF WHICH IS ADOPTED THIS 7th day of August, 1989.

President, Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Judith E. Marks, Clerk-Treasurer