

ORDINANCE NO. 25 1921.

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING PUBLIC HEALTH.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
TOWN OF FLEMING, COLORADO:

HEALTH OFFICER--DUTIES--COMPENSATION.

SECTION 1: The Board of Trustees of the Town of Fleming shall appoint a regularly licensed physician as health officer of the said town, and shall fix his compensation. Such health officer shall have such powers, and perform such duties, as are hereinafter specified, or such as shall be required of him by the Board of Health.

The Board of Health of the Town of Fleming is hereby created, and shall consist of the Mayor, the Board of Trustees, the Health Officer, the Town Marshal, and the Town Clerk. The said Town Clerk shall also be clerk of the said Board of Health.

SECTION 2: The Board of Health, or any member thereof, shall have power to enter into any building, cellar, car, lot, or enclosure, in the Town of Fleming, for the purpose of examining any reported, or suspected nuisance, or any reported or suspected cause of disease, and may order and direct the cleaning of any premises, and the removal of all nuisances in or about any premises.

Every person being the owner, lessee, or occupant, of any premises, who shall, for twenty-four hours after being duly notified, neglect or refuse to comply with any order made by the Board of Health, or the Health Physician, respecting the abatement or removal of any nuisance situated upon his property, or property occupied, managed, or controlled by him, shall be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00), and

costs of suit; and the Town Board of the Town of Fleming may cause any such nuisance to be removed, or abated, and shall assess the expense of so doing against the lot or premises upon which said nuisance may be found in the same manner as assessments are made for the construction of sidewalks.

SECTION 3: If any cellar, vault, lot, drain, corral, or any other place within the Town of Fleming, shall be or become damp, unwholesome, offensive, or filthy, or shall be covered any portion of the year with stagnant or impure water, which shall be permitted to grow up with weeds, or other vegetation, or shall have thereon any decaying vegetable or animal matter, or shall be in such condition as to produce unwholesome or offensive odors, the Town Board of the Town of Fleming, upon the report of the Health Physician that such condition exists, that it is dangerous to the health of the town, may cause the same to be drained, filled up, cleaned, moved, or purified, or may require the owner, or occupant, or person in charge of such lot or premises, or place, to perform such duty, and the expense thereof shall be charged to the property owner, as provided by law.

Any person refusing to comply with any order of the said Board of Health, or Health Officer, concerning the removal, or abatement, of any or all of the foregoing nuisances, shall, upon conviction, be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00), and costs; and the Town Board may remove, or abate, the said nuisance, and assess the costs thereof against the premises, as provided in other cases.

Passed, approved, and adopted this 5 day of June, A. D. 1921.

W. L. Leary " *Frank S. Lufford*
----- Town Clerk. Mayor.