## LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

## ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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## **LEGISLATIVE BILL 463**

FINAL READING

Introduced by Watermeier, 1.

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Committee: General Affairs

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to cemeteries; to amend section 12-401,
- 2 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a provision relating
- 3 to who may be appointed to certain cemetery boards; and to repeal
- 4 the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 12-401, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is

2 amended to read:

3 12-401 The mayor of any city having fewer than twenty-five thousand inhabitants, by and with the consent of the council or a majority 4 thereof, and the chairperson of the board of trustees of any village, by 5 and with the consent of the village board or a majority thereof, may 6 7 appoint a board of not fewer than three nor more than six members, to be known as the cemetery board, from among the citizens at large of such 8 city, or from among the citizens at large from the county or counties in 9 which the village is located for such village, who shall serve without 10 pay and shall have entire control and management of any cemetery 11 belonging to such city or village. Neither the mayor nor any member of 12 the council nor the chairperson nor any member of the village board of 13 14 trustees may be a member of the cemetery board. At the time of establishing such cemetery board, approximately one-third of the members 15 16 shall be appointed for a term of one year, one-third for a term of two 17 years, and one-third for a term of three years, and thereafter members shall be appointed for terms of three years. Vacancies in the membership 18 of the board other than through the expiration of a term shall be filled 19 for the unexpired portion of the term. 20

21 Sec. 2. Original section 12-401, Reissue Revised Statutes of 22 Nebraska, is repealed.