

ORDINANCE NO 19            An Ordinance to compel property owners in the Village of Hokah to build and construct side walks and keep the same in repair.

The President and Trustees of the Village of Hokah do ordain as follows.

SECTION 1.

That all sidewalks hereafter build or constructed in the Village of Hokah shall be of the uniform width of not less than five feet. The planks to be two inches thick of square edge and laid close together on stringer four by four inches and all to be well and securing nails.

SECTION 2.

That it shall be the duty of every owner of any lots, swelling or business houses within the corporate limits of Said Village of Hokah whose lots dwellings or business houses front or about on any of the streets of said Village to furnish the materials and construct or cause to be built or constructed width of their said lots, dwelling or business houses, sidewalks of the dimensions and materials described in Section one of this Ordinance when so ordered by the Board of Trustees of Said Village.

SECTION 3.

It shall be the duty of all owners of lots, dwelling, or business houses in Said Village to keep in repair all sidewalks which have been built or which shall be hereafter built or constructed in front of or along the side of an lots, dwellings or business houses within Said Corporate Limits of the Village of Hokah,

SECTION 4.

In case the owners of any lots, dwellings or business houses in Said Village neglect or refuse to build or construct the sidewalks as provided in this Ordinance or who shall refuse or neglect to repair the sidewalks in front of or along the side thereof then and in that case or event it shall be the duty of the Said Trustees to cause the Said sidewalks to be so built constructed or repaired as the case may be and the costs and expense thereof shall be chargeable to the lots, and premises in front of or along side os which Said sidewalks may be constructed or repaired.

SECTION 5.

In all cases of the building, constructing or repairing of sidewalks by the direction or authority of Said Trustees the amount of the costs and expense of such building, constructing, or repairing of the Same unless paid by the owners of the Said lots, swelling, and business houses.. Shall be reported to the County auditor of Houston County, Minnesota and shall be levied and collected as general and special taxes are now collected upon property in Said Village of Hokah.

SECTION 6.

That whenever a suitable number of treeholders shall petition for the building of a sidewalk on any particular street then the Trustees of Said Village may so order the building of the same.

SECTION 7.

This Ordinance shall late effect and be in full force ten days after the posting of the same.

F. J Gritzinger

J.G. Groat

W.L. Weber

President of Villaeg

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Attest

A.H. Bondish

Recorder

STATE OF MINNESOTA )

COUNTY OF HOUSTON ) ss

W. F. Weber, being duly sworn upon oath says that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1877 he posted a true and correct copy of the foregoing Ordinance in a conspicuous place at the Post Office in the Village of Hokah in Said County. That the place where he posted Said Ordinance is the most public place of Said Village. W. F. Weber

Subscribed and sworn

Before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day

Of September 1877

A. H. Bondish

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