

FOREWORD

History

This comprises the codification of the ordinances of the Township of Ross. On January 1, 1922, Ross Township became a First Class Township, the voters having elected to assume that status at the fall election of 1921.

The Code of Ordinances of the Township of Ross was prepared by Keystate Publishers, Inc., and adopted by the Township of Ross Board of Commissioners on April 12, 2010, by Ord. 2288.

Organization

The Code contains four parts, which are: (1) the valid, current ordinances of the Township of Ross contained in Chapters 1 through 27; (2) the Appendix, which lists by abstracted title all ordinances of a temporary or "one time" nature; (3) the Table to the Disposition of each ordinance ever enacted by the Township of Ross; and (4) the Index, which is an alphabetical arrangement of subjects.

In the Code, specific ordinances can be located by subject on the contents page at the beginning of each chapter. The Index may also be used to search for a subject when one is looking for general information on a particular subject, or if it is not known in which chapter the subject might be found. The Appendix consists of several general categories containing a chronological listing of short subject descriptions along with a reference to the original ordinance and its date of enactment, if known.

The Table to Disposition indicates what action has been taken by the Township of Ross Board of Commissioners with regard to every ordinance ever enacted. An ordinance has either been: (1) specifically repealed; (2) superseded by another ordinance; (3) is located in a chapter of the Code book; or (4) is located in the Appendix. Annual tax rate and budget ordinances are located only in the Table. The Table is a cross reference to the original ordinance books of the Township of Ross and to the location within the Code of each ordinance by number.