



Application for Ellis County Pauper Cremation/Burial

Date: _____

Deceased's Name: _____

Deceased's Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Social Security#: _____ C# Veteran: _____

Date of Death: _____ Place of Death: _____

Funeral Home: / Phone: _____

How much has been agreed upon to pay the funeral home for additional services? _____

Total Monthly Income of Deceased (list all sources and amounts including cash in possession*):

Place of Employment: _____

Total monthly income of immediate family (household): _____

Are Veteran's or Social Security Benefits available? _____

Does the deceased (if a minor, do parents/guardians) own any property? _____

Does the deceased (if a minor, do parents/guardians) own a vehicle? _____

Are there any life insurance benefits available? _____

Explain why the family members are not able to provide assistance to pay for the funeral:

Next of Kin Name / Relationship / Phone Number:

Next of Kin Address:

I, the undersigned applicant, represent that all the forgoing information is true and correct

Application made by:

X _____

Printed Name / Signature

Approval by County Judge:

X _____

Approved for:

_____ Cremation _____ Burial

Date sent to Funeral Home: _____

Date sent to Purchasing with original bill from Funeral Home: _____

*(Prepared Pursuant to Texas Health and Safety Code 694.002, June 19, 2009)

“If a county discovers cash in the possession of a deceased pauper, a county may use the cash to pay the actual costs incurred by the county in disposing of the pauper’s body. If any cash remains after the county has paid the costs of disposing of the body the county shall place the cash in trust. A person having a claim to the money in trust must exercise the right to collect the money not later than the first anniversary of the date of the disposition of the pauper’s body.

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