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Introduced 01/31/11, by Rep. Frank J. Mautino

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

65 ILCS 5/11-51-1

from Ch. 24, par. 11-51-1

Amends the Illinois Municipal Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning cemetery removal.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Municipal Code is amended by
5 changing Section 11-51-1 as follows:

6 (65 ILCS 5/11-51-1) (from Ch. 24, par. 11-51-1)

7 Sec. 11-51-1. Cemetery removal. Whenever any ~~any~~ cemetery
8 is embraced within the limits of any city, village, or
9 incorporated town, the corporate authorities thereof, if, in
10 their opinion, any good cause exists why such cemetery should
11 be removed, may cause the remains of all persons interred
12 therein to be removed to some other suitable place. However,
13 the corporate authorities shall first obtain the assent of the
14 trustees or other persons having the control or ownership of
15 such cemetery, or a majority thereof. When such cemetery is
16 owned by one or more private parties, or private corporation or
17 chartered society, the corporate authorities of such city may
18 require the removal of such cemetery to be done at the expense
19 of such private parties, or private corporation or chartered
20 society, if such removal be based upon their application.
21 Nothing in this Section limits the powers of the City of
22 Chicago to acquire property or otherwise exercise its powers
23 under Section 15 of the O'Hare Modernization Act.

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1 (Source: P.A. 93-450, eff. 8-6-03.)