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Subject: Re: Fw: Family Burial Plots

Listed below is the opinion of the Alabama Department of Public Health General Counsel regarding family burial plots. If you have any questions, give me a call at 251-424-0762.

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Chad,

The Department of Public Health's long held position is that a family burial plot on an individual's private property is not considered to be a cemetery for the purpose of regulation under Section 20-20-4, *Ala. Code 1975* unless the county or municipality has promulgated an ordinance that may include family burial plots within the definition of cemetery.

Hope this helps. Call me if you have any questions. Greq

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