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Ordinance (No. 15) relative to vehicle abandonment presented at the July, 1975 meeting and referred to the Sheriff's Committee was returned.

ORDINANCE NO. 15 - AUGUST 19, 1975

An ordinance relating to vehicle abandonment within Iowa County, Wisconsin, the County Board of Supervisors of the County of Iowa do ordain as follows:

1. This Ordinance shall be known as The Iowa County Vehicle Abandonment Ordinance and shall become effective from and after publication hereof.
2. It is the intent and purpose of the Board of Supervisors of Iowa County, State of Wisconsin, by this Ordinance to regulate vehicle abandonment and disposal.
3. Wisconsin State Statutes Chapter 342.40 is hereby adopted by reference.
4. Any abandoned vehicle which is determined by a duly authorized municipal or county representative to have a value in excess of \$100.00 shall be retained in storage for a period of fourteen (14) days after certified mail notice has been sent to the owner and lien holders of record to permit reclamation of the vehicle after payment of accrued charges. The vehicle shall be disposed of by the County Sheriff, if unclaimed, by sale to the highest bidder.
5. Any abandoned vehicle which is determined by a duly authorized municipal or county representative to have a value of less than \$100.00 may be disposed of by direct sale to a licensed salvage dealer upon the determination that the vehicle is not reported stolen.
6. Within five (5) days after sale or disposal of the vehicle as provided in paragraphs 4 and 5, the municipality or county shall advise the division of sale or disposition on the forms supplied by the division.

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Sup. Julian moved the Ordinance be adopted.
Sup. Martin seconded the motion. Carried.