

three hours, between nine o'clock A. M., and twelve o'clock noon, at the Council Chamber in said City, to receive nomination papers of candidates for the several elective offices to be filled at the next ensuing election, and they shall give at least two weeks' previous notice of the time and place of said sitting in two newspapers if so many be published in said City. The manner of nominating candidates shall be as follows:—Every candidate for the office of Mayor, or some one in his behalf, shall on or before the time of the sitting aforesaid present to the Board of Supervisors his nomination for said office in writing, signed by at least thirty of the qualified voters of said City, and no signature shall be counted if it shall appear on the nomination paper of more than one candidate for Mayor, and if it appears more than once on the same paper it shall be counted but once. And in like manner every candidate for the office of City Councilman, or for any other elective office, now or hereafter to be created under this charter, or some one in his or their behalf, shall on or before the time of the sitting aforesaid present to the Board of Supervisors in writing his or their nomination for said office, signed by at least twenty of the qualified voters of said City, and no name shall be counted if it shall be upon the nomination papers of more candidates than the number required to fill the vacancies in the offices for which said candidates are nominated.

1916, ch. 680, sec. 282.

**275.** The Board of Supervisors of Election shall provide all ballot boxes and ballots and all registry books, poll books, tally sheets, blanks and stationery of every description, necessary and proper for the registry of voters and for the conduct of elections, and the expense thereof shall be paid by the Mayor and City Council of Havre de Grace. It shall be the duty of the said Mayor and City Council to allow the reasonable use of the City Council Chamber for the said Board or to provide other suitable and proper accommodations for said Board, and in all proper ways to facilitate said Board in the discharge of their duties as such Supervisors.

1916, ch. 680, sec. 283.

**276.** On or before the third Monday in April in each year in which a municipal election is to be held the Board of Election Supervisors shall appoint three Judges of Election and two Clerks, all of whom shall be registered voters of said City. It shall not be necessary to appoint new or special Judges or Clerks of Election for any election not held on the first Monday in May, whether general, or special, but the Judges and Clerks appointed under this Section for the preceding general or municipal election shall discharge the duties of said Judges and Clerks of Election respectively. Each Judge and Clerk shall be a man of good character, able to read, write and speak the English language and not holding any other office under the City Government. Provided, however, that in the event of a special election being called by the Mayor and City Council