

and Town Council, such ordinance shall be immediately suspended, and the Mayor and Town Council shall reconsider it, and if it be not repealed, the Mayor and Town Council shall submit it to a vote of the duly qualified voters of said Town at the next election; provided, however, that if the next election shall occur more than ninety days after the date of passage of said ordinance, the Mayor and Town Council shall call a special election for the purpose of deciding whether said ordinance shall or shall not become a law, and the same shall become operative or repealed by the majority of the votes cast in this election.

217. If any clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this sub-title shall, for any reason, be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such adjudication shall not affect or impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph or section thereof so found unconstitutional or invalid. If any clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this sub-title shall, for any reason, be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, in any particular application, and the clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this sub-title shall be constitutional and valid when otherwise applied, such adjudication shall not affect, impair or invalidate said clause, sentence, paragraph or section, but shall be confined to the particular application so found unconstitutional or invalid.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall not become effective until it shall have been submitted to the qualified voters of the Town of Cheverly, in Prince George's County, at the next regular municipal election, or at a special election to be held on such date as shall be determined by the Mayor and Town Council; there shall be printed on the ballots to be used at said election, the title of this Act and underneath said title on separate lines, a square or box to the right of and opposite the words "For Charter Adoption", and a corresponding square or box to the right of and opposite the words "Against Charter Adoption", so that the voters shall be able to designate by a cross mark in the proper square or box his or her decision for or against said Proposed Charter. If it shall appear, from the results of said election, that a majority of the votes cast are "Against Charter Adoption", then this Act shall not become effective and it shall be null and void, but if a majority of the votes cast are "For Charter Adoption", then this Act shall immediately become effective.