

which the municipal elections in the City of Annapolis are to be held. Such municipal elections shall be held on the third Tuesday in May in every fourth year, beginning with the year 1953. The mayor and aldermen elected at each such municipal election shall qualify in the manner prescribed by Section 18 of this Charter, and shall take office on the second Monday in June of the year in which they are elected and shall hold office until the second Monday in June in the fourth year following, or until their successors shall be elected and qualified. All provisions as laid down in Article 33, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume) and its amendments shall apply to all municipal and primary elections held in the City of Annapolis; provided however, that those portions of Article 33 which relate to something other than municipal elections are not applicable herein and further, provided however, that absentee voters may vote in municipal and primary elections in the City of Annapolis.

SECTION II.—AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis that the date of adoption of this Resolution is 8th March, 1971, and the amendment of the Charter of the City of Annapolis, hereby enacted shall become effective on 28th April, 1971, unless a proper petition for referendum hereon shall be filed as permitted by law, provided a complete and exact copy of this Resolution shall be continuously posted on the bulletin board in the City Hall, until 18th April, 1971, and provided further that a copy of the title of this Resolution shall be published in the "Evening Capital," a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Annapolis, or in any other newspaper of such general circulation, once in each of the weeks, 3-15-71, 3-22-71, 3-29-71, 4-5-71 and 4-12-71.

SECTION III. AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor is hereby specifically commanded to carry out the provisions of Section II hereof, and, as evidence of such compliance, the Mayor shall cause to be affixed to the Minutes of this meeting appropriate certificates of publication of the newspaper or newspapers in which the title of this Resolution shall have been published and shall declare the Charter change hereby enacted to be effective on 28th April, 1971, or following a favorable referendum thereon, by affixing his signature hereto in the space provided on the effective date of change.

SECTION IV. AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that as soon as the Charter amendment hereby enacted shall become effective, either as herein provided or following a referendum, the Mayor shall send separately by registered mail, to the Secretary of State of Maryland and to the Department of Legislative Reference of Maryland a clear certified copy of this Resolution showing the number of Aldermen voting for and against it and a report on the votes cast for or against the amendment hereby enacted at any referendum thereon and the date of such referendum.

The above Charter Amendment was enacted by the foregoing Resolution which was passed at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis, the Mayor and eight (8) Aldermen voting in the affirmative and 0 Aldermen voting in the negative, and the said Resolution become effective in accordance with law on the 28th day of April, 1971.

MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE
CITY OF ANNAPOLIS

By: Roger W. Moyer, Mayor

ATTEST:
Margaret D. Burket, City Clerk