

[ballots] *votes cast at the election* shall be declared duly elected **[as Mayor for the ensuing two years, or until his successor is duly elected and qualified.]** *to the office of Mayor. At the election held during every even-numbered year, the two candidates for Councilman receiving the highest number of votes cast at the election shall be declared duly elected to the office of Councilman, and at the election held during every odd-numbered year, the three candidates for Councilman receiving the highest number of votes cast at the election shall be declared duly elected to the office of Councilman. In the event that vacancies on the Council would require that one or more additional Councilman be elected at an annual election to a one-year term to maintain a full five-man Council, the candidate or candidates for Councilman receiving the next-highest number of votes cast at the election, after those candidates elected to the regular two-year terms on the Council, shall be declared elected [as Councilman for a one-year term on the basis of highest number of votes received in the general election.] *to the office of Councilman for the one year term or terms. In the event of a tie vote for any elective office, a run-off election between the tied candidates shall be conducted not later than thirty days from the date of the election in which the tie vote occurred.**

[6d.] 7e. Corrupt [practices.] Practices. All the provisions of the Public General Laws of **[this State]** *Maryland* now in force or hereafter enacted relating to the determination of elections, providing penalties for illegal registration, illegal voting, corrupt practices and requiring reports of the expenditure of money in connection with any election shall be and hereby are made applicable to all elections held under the provisions of this Charter.

New Carrollton Charter Amendment No. 71-3

An amendment to the Charter of the City of New Carrollton, Prince George's County, Maryland, to amend Section 11 of the Charter entitled "General Powers" to add specific provisions for the adoption of ordinances, to add provisions for the veto of ordinances, and to remove provisions pertaining to Community Antenna Television Systems; to combine with said provisions the provision of Section 24, entitled "Ordinances: Violations," and Section 25 entitled "Same: Certified Copies," and to renumber Section 11 as Section 10.

SECTION **[11.]** 10. GENERAL POWERS.

a. *Ordinances and Licenses.* The **[Mayor and]** Council shall have the power to enact all just and reasonable ordinances, *resolutions, and other regulations* consistent with the laws of **[this State,]** *the State of Maryland,* to make effective all of the provisions of this Charter, to provide the **[Town]** *City* with good government, to preserve the public order, and to safeguard the health, morals, and general welfare of **[its citizens;]** *the citizens of the City.* **[to]** The Council may license, in a manner and in such incidents consistent with the Public General and Public Local Laws of Maryland, for the purposes of **[regulations]** *regulation* and/or revenue and to protect the health, safety, and morals of the citizens of the **[Town]** *City,* all and every kind of business transacted or carried on within the **[Town]** *City,* and to fix the rate of licenses upon the same and to provide for the collection thereof by suit or otherwise.

b. *Ordinances: Adoption and Amendment.* Any proposed ordinance or proposed amendment to an existing ordinance shall be introduced for