

CUMBERLAND

"THE CITY COUNCIL MAY REMOVE ANY OF SAID COMMISSIONERS DURING HIS TERM OF OFFICE FOR CAUSE, FOUR COUNCILMEN VOTING IN FAVOR OF SUCH REMOVAL AND SHALL FILL ANY VACANCY THAT MAY OCCUR ON SAID COMMISSION FOR ANY REASON FOR THE BALANCE OF THE UNEXPIRED TERM.

"The Clerk of the City of Cumberland shall act as Secretary to the Civil Service Commission and shall keep a record of all meetings of said Commission and shall otherwise perform all of the duties commensurate with the position of Secretary to the Commission as may be required for the efficient operation of the Commission."

SECTION 3: AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That subsection (k) of Section 36 of said Charter and Section 38 of said Charter be and are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

(k) No person shall be employed in any capacity in the fire or police department unless he is a citizen of the United States, and is of good moral character and can read and write the English language, and is not addicted to the use of intoxicating beverages or narcotic drugs. [All applicants for positions in the police and fire departments shall be residents of the City of Cumberland for at least six months immediately prior to the filing of such application for employment and, if appointed to either of said departments, shall remain a resident of the city as a condition of continued employment.]

Sec. 38. [For performing the duties imposed upon them by this subtitle, the members of said commission shall each be paid two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) per annum, payable monthly.] The commission may appoint such clerks, assistants and employees as may be necessary in carrying out the provisions of this subtitle and at such compensation as may be provided for in the annual appropriation ordinance, or the Mayor and City Council may assign, from time to time employees from any city department or departments to aid the commission in performing its duties.

SECTION 4: AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the date of the passage of this Resolution is August 5, 1974, and the amendments to the Charter of the City of Cumberland, hereby enacted, shall become effective on September 24, 1974, unless a proper Petition for a Referendum hereon shall be filed as provided by Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland. A complete and exact copy of this Resolution shall be continuously posted on the North Centre Street entrance