

Council receiving the highest number of votes shall hold office for the period of two years; the three other members of the Council holding for one year; and if at this election there shall be a tie between more than two candidates with the highest number of votes, the ones to hold office for two years shall be publicly determined by lot, after due notice to the parties interested by the Judges of Election. At the election to be held in April, 1926, there shall be three members of the Council elected for a period of two years, and at the election in the year 1927, the Mayor, with two members of the Council, shall be elected for two years, and so alternately from year to year thereafter; said election shall be held annually on the first Saturday of April, at such place as shall be designated by the Mayor and Common Council, between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock P. M.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 7, sec. 68. 1870, ch. 135. 1924, ch. 437, sec. 68.

162. The Mayor shall give at least two weeks' notice of the election, and shall appoint three persons as judges of election; and the said judges shall have power to appoint a clerk, who shall keep a record of the persons voting and the persons voted for; and the persons having the highest number of votes for the several offices of Mayor and Common Council shall be declared duly elected. In case of a tie vote, at any election after the election in the year 1925, the Mayor shall give ten days' notice of the new election to decide the choice between the parties having such tie vote.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 7, sec. 69. 1870, ch. 135. 1924, ch. 437, sec. 69

163. The judges and clerk of election shall notify the persons elected of their election, and the persons so elected shall severally hold their respective offices from the first Saturday of April in each and every year next ensuing the election, for and during the term of two years (except the three members of the Council to be elected in April, 1925, who shall hold for one year), and until their successors shall be duly elected and qualified.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 7, sec. 70. 1870, ch. 135.

164. The Mayor and Common Council, or a majority of them, may meet from time to time, as the occasion may require, upon the business of the town, and not less than once in every three months; and if during the year for which they may have been elected, the mayor or any of the common council should die, resign or refuse to serve, or move from said town, or be otherwise disqualified, a majority of said body yet in their seats shall fill said vacancy, by the election of a person having the aforesaid necessary qualifications, until the next general election.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 7, sec. 71. 1870, ch. 135.

165. All ordinances passed by the Mayor and Common Council shall be entered by their clerk in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, which shall be at all times open for the inspection of any person inter-