

the place or places of voting, the hours the polls are open and the names of the judges and clerks. In the event that any judge or Clerk after appointment is unable or declines to serve the remaining judges shall name some one to take his place. Suitable ballot boxes, polling places and printed ballots shall be provided by the said commissioners. Any person desiring to become a candidate for any elective office shall, at least five days before election, file, or cause to be filed with the commissioners, the chairman or clerk thereof, a petition stating that he or she is a candidate for the office, which petition must be signed by such person and endorsed by at least three persons entitled to vote in the next town election. Upon the filing of such petition the commissioners shall print such person's name upon the ballot. Immediately upon the closing of the polls the ballots shall be publicly counted and the said judges shall within two days thereafter make a true and correct return of the votes so cast in a sealed envelope to the chairman of the said commissioners, and within ten days thereafter the said commissioners shall meet and canvass said return and declare those qualified persons receiving the highest number of votes duly elected. In case two or more persons shall have received the same number of votes so that there is no choice for the office, a new election shall be immediately proclaimed by the said commissioners from among such tie candidates, which election shall be held on five days' notice and in all respects as aforesaid except as to the day of election and the convening of the commissioners.

1924, ch. 528, sec. 6.

**27.** The commissioners elected shall hold office for two years from the third Tuesday in May, except as hereinafter provided for, and any vacancy by death, resignation, removal from the said town of Berwyn Heights or otherwise shall be filled by a special election to be held after ten days' notice and in conformance with the provisions pertaining to general elections hereinabove set forth, the person or persons so elected to hold office for the period of the unexpired term. The commissioners shall serve without compensation, and shall at their first meeting after election elect one of their number to be chairman of the Board of Commissioners.

1924, ch. 528, sec. 7.

**28.** The commissioners shall meet in said town on the first Monday in June succeeding their election, and from time to time thereafter as occasion may require, or upon the call of the chairman.

1924, ch. 528, sec. 8.

**29.** The said commissioners shall annually elect a treasurer who shall also act as clerk for said commissioners, and who in addition to his or her duties as treasurer shall keep the minutes of their proceedings in a well-bound book, which shall be open to the inspection of all bona fide residents of said town, and said clerk shall perform such other duties as the commissioners may assign to him or her.