

by handbill, setting forth the qualification required under this act for the eligibility of the Mayor and City Council; they shall appoint three judges and as many clerks as may be necessary to preside over said election; they shall designate the place of holding the same, and fix the hours of opening and closing the polls. The said judges shall receive the ballots of all voters above the age of twenty-one years, and citizens of the United States, who have resided in the State of Maryland one year, and been *bona fide* residents of the town for six months; and the said judges shall notify the parties having the highest number of votes for Mayor and members of the City Council of their election; and in the event of the failure or neglect or refusal of the parties named in this section to call the election as prescribed, then any five inhabitants of the town, upon one week's notice, shall proceed to call the election, and appoint the judges in the manner hereinbefore set forth.

Notify parties

SEC. 44. *And be it enacted*, That the neglect or non-user shall not work a forfeiture of this charter.

Not forfeitable.

SEC. 45. *And be it enacted*, That all acts of incorporation relating to the town of Havre-de-Grace, or amendments to any of said acts, or special acts, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Repeal.

SEC. 46. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall go into force and take effect on and after the first Monday in December, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

When effective.

Approved April 5, 1878.