

CHAP. 149.
Notice given
of election.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That if at any time an election shall not be held for commissioners on the day mentioned in section four of this Act, an election may be held at any time after ten days' notice thereof shall have been given by the commissioners or a majority of them; and in case a majority of said commissioners shall become disqualified to act, or shall have failed, or shall fail to hold an election for the space of thirty days from the said fourth Monday in April, in any year, then it shall be lawful for any three or more qualified voters in said town to give notice, either by written or printed handbills, or by publication in some newspaper in Caroline county, of an election to be held on a certain day, at least ten days from the date of the publication or posting of such notice, for Commissioners of Federalsburg, and a majority of the voters present at the hour fixed by said notice for the commencement of said election shall elect three judges to hold such election.

New election
to be held.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That if at any town election two or more persons shall receive the same number of votes for commissioners of said town the judges of said election shall proceed, after having given five days' notice of the time and place to hold another election, to fill up said board of commissioners; and the person receiving the highest number of votes at said election shall, with those previously chosen, if any, constitute the Commissioners of Federalsburg.

Vacancy
to be filled.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That if any vacancy shall occur, by the death, resignation, removal or failure to act of one or more of the commissioners elected as aforesaid, the remaining commissioners, or a majority of them, shall elect a proper person to fill said vacancy.

Oath to be
taken.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That every commissioner before he proceeds to act as such, shall make oath before some justice of the peace for Caroline county, that he will diligently and faithfully, according to the best of his skill and judgment, perform the duties of commissioner, without favor, partiality or prejudice; and a certificate of such qualification shall be returned by the said justice of the peace to the commissioners, to be filed and recorded among their proceedings.

Time
and place of
meeting.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the said board of commissioners shall meet at such place as they may appoint, within said town, on the first Monday of every month, ensuing their election, and as much oftener by adjournment as they shall deem necessary.

Officers
to be elected.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners shall elect a president of the board, and appoint a secretary, a bailiff, a treasurer, and one or more assessors of taxes.