

97 t. All officers and employees of the town, elected or appointed by the commissioners of Easton shall continue to hold, exercise and discharge the duties of their respective offices and positions until they shall be superseded under the provisions of this Act and their successors shall be duly qualified.

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To hold office until successor is appointed.

97 u. The Mayor and Council may provide by ordinance for the extension of the boundaries of the town, but such ordinance shall not become operative unless same shall receive a majority vote of the qualified voters of the town voting at a special or general election.

Extension of boundaries.

97 v. William H. Withgoot, Edward B. Hardcastle and Clement R. Leonard, who are the "Commissioners of Easton," shall be and remain the commissioners of Easton until the qualification of the Mayor and Council herein provided to be elected on the first Monday in May, in the year 1906, and said "Commissioners of Easton" shall have the same powers and duties as they now have, and all laws now in force dealing with the powers and duties of the commissioners of Easton and the government of Easton shall remain in full force and virtue until the said qualification of the Mayor and Council.

Commissioners of Easton.

97 w. All the powers and duties in this charter conferred upon the Mayor and Council in regard to the holding of elections hereunder shall be exercised by the present board of commissioners of Easton and the said board of commissioners shall appoint at their last regular meeting in the month of April, 1906, a board of canvassers who shall be the same in number, with like powers and perform the like duties as the board of canvassers elsewhere in this Act provided for in connection with elections, and all powers and duties relating to the preparation for and holding of the first election for Mayor and Council held under this charter prescribed for and conferred upon the town clerk, shall be exercised by the present clerk to the commissioners of Easton; and the said clerk shall receive as his compensation therefor such sum as the present commissioners of Easton shall direct, not exceeding \$50.00/100; and all election officers appointed as provided in Section 49 of this Act shall perform their duties and be subject to the same penalties as the election officers hereafter to be appointed for elections succeeding the first election. In the event of the failure or

Board of canvassers appointed.