

in writing by the managing owners or directors of said club or corporation.

SEC. 82. The said Commissioners shall, annually, designate the time and place of holding said election, and shall give at least two weeks' notice thereof by notices set up at two or more of the most prominent places in said town, and ten days prior to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in the month of January, in each year, shall appoint three persons to act as judges of said election and at the same time shall appoint two clerks for the purposes of said election; and the said judges and the said clerks, before acting as such, shall qualify before one of the Commissioners then in office by taking the oath hereinafter prescribed for Commissioners or other officers of said town; and the said judges shall open the polls of the election at 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in the month of January, in each year, and close the same at 8 o'clock P. M. on said day; and the five persons voted for at said election, who shall receive the highest number of votes, shall be Commissioners for the town for the ensuing year, and until their successors are duly elected and qualified; and the person receiving the highest number of votes shall be the presiding officer of the Board of Commissioners and shall be known as the Mayor of said town; if there should be a tie in the highest number of votes, the remaining three Commissioners shall, by a majority vote, decide which of two said Commissioners shall be the Mayor; and if more than five persons are voted for as Commissioners and there be a tie so that five Commissioners have not received a clear plurality vote, then and in that event the judges of election shall have full power and authority to decide the said tie and issue a certificate of election to such person in said tie as they may select.

SEC. 83. If after said election that a full Board of five Commissioners has not been voted for and elected, and there shall be as many as three shall be duly elected, the persons so elected shall immediately assemble and qualify as Commissioners and proceed to fill the vacancies of said Board from among the persons living in said town and eligible for Commissioners; if the persons duly elected as Commissioners, or majority of them, shall fail to assemble and qualify within a period of ten days from the date of their election the old Board of Commissioners, or any three of them, shall assemble, and proclaim a new election, giving five days' public notice thereof as provided for in the general election.