

In the absence of any Justice of the Peace, resident in said town, the Mayor and Town Council are hereby authorized and empowered to designate any non-resident Justice of the Peace for Prince George's County to act as conservator of the peace of said town, who shall have the same power and jurisdiction to hear any and all cases involving any violation of ordinances of the Mayor and Town Council and do all things necessary to fulfill the duties of such office.

Approved April 26, 1927.

CHAPTER 545.

AN ACT to provide for an annual registration of voters in the Town of Edmonston, in Prince George's County, Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Board of Election Supervisors, provided for under Section 7, of Chapter 154, of the Laws of Maryland, 1924, shall also act as a Board of Registration. Said Board shall each year after their appointment cause to be made a complete registration of all persons entitled to vote at the town elections, and shall appoint the time and the place of registration and give public notice thereof by advertisement published in at least one newspaper in Prince George's County and also by notice published in at least five public places in said town. They shall arrange for two days of registration, the earliest of which shall be not more than forty days before the ensuing election to be held on the first Monday in July and the last of which shall not be less than thirty days before said election. On said days of registration, it shall be the duty of all qualified residents desiring to vote at the ensuing election to apply for registration, and no person not so registered shall be entitled to vote at said election. It shall be the duty of said Board of Registration and Election to register all citizens of the town of twenty-one years and upwards so applying, who at the time of application may possess the qualifications necessary to entitle them to register as legally qualified voters of the State of Maryland, and who in addition thereto, shall have resided in said town for at least one year immediately preceding such application at said annual registration.