

The committee to conduct such election shall consist of John T. Stewart, John B. Andrews, Levi Woodson, as judges of election, and Marie Hardwick, as clerk; and if any of the said committee are unable or decline to serve, the remaining members of said committee are empowered to select some citizen of the said town possessing the voting qualifications as herein prescribed to fill his or her place. The qualifications of the voters on the referendum election shall be the same as those hereinbefore set forth in regard to general elections. The said committee shall, not less than ten days before the said referendum election, publish for two days in some Negro newspaper published in the City of Washington, and post in five conspicuous places in the town, a written or printed notice notifying all legal and equitable property holders who are qualified to vote under this Act that an election will be held on the date fixed in this Act at a certain place, at a certain hour, which notice will contain said date, the hours that the polls will remain open and the location of the polling place, and a statement that the election is to be held for the purpose of deciding whether or not to form an incorporated town.

The said committee shall provide and furnish the place or places where the election shall be held, the booths, ballot boxes and sufficient number of printed ballots, upon which on one line the words "For Incorporation" shall be printed, and on another line the words "Against Incorporation," with squares opposite each.

Said election shall be conducted as nearly as practicable as set forth herein for the holding of bi-annual elections. In the event that the majority are for incorporation, this Act shall immediately become effective, and in the event that a majority of said votes are against incorporation, it shall become null and void.

SEC. 17. *And be it further enacted*, That in the event that this charter is adopted by the citizens of said Eagle Harbor under the provisions of the referendum above set forth, then the same committee who conducted the referendum election with the same powers of filling vacancies thereto shall on the second day of July hold another election for the five commissioners provided herein in the manner and form prescribed herein for general elections, except that the said committee shall canvass the votes cast and publicly announce the result thereof. The five persons having the largest number of votes shall be declared by said committee as the first Board of Commissioners for said town of Eagle Harbor, and upon their taking the oath herein prescribed shall become the Board of Commissioners for said town.