

the highest number of votes for the office of Town Commissioner and the result of any vote upon ordinances or issues submitted to the voters at such election. The judge of election shall forthwith certify the results of the tabulation to the Town Commissioners which shall be filed and recorded among the proceedings of the said Town Commissioners.

(b) In the event of a tie vote for candidates for the office of Town Commissioner, a special election shall be held on the second Monday of April in the same manner as aforesaid. The Town Clerk shall cause to be published a notice of such special election in the manner set forth in Section 69, except that only one publication thereof shall be necessary.

(c) In the event of a tie vote on any ordinance or special issue submitted to the voters at any election the same shall be declared to be against such ordinance or special issue.

68. (Nominations.) Any person qualified to be a Town Commissioner who desires to be a candidate for such office shall so state his desire in writing and file the same with the Town Clerk fifteen (15) days before any general election. Any duly qualified voter of the Town who desires to present a candidate for such office shall so state his desire in writing and file the same with the Town Clerk fifteen (15) days before any general election, provided the candidate so presented is qualified to serve.

69. (Notice.) The Town Clerk shall cause to be published a notice in a newspaper printed and published in said Town at least once a week for two successive weeks preceding any general or special election setting forth the date, hours and place for holding said election, the names of the candidates for Town Commissioner so nominated as aforesaid, and the text of any ordinances or special issues to be submitted to the voters at such election.

70. (Ballots.) The Town Clerk shall cause sufficient ballots to be printed in the form to be prescribed by the Town Commissioners before the date of any general or special election.

TOWN CLERK

71. (Appointment.) The Town Commissioners shall annually appoint a Town Clerk on or before the first day of May who shall hold his office for the term of one year from the date of his appointment and until a successor is appointed