

meanor, and upon conviction of any of such offenses shall be sentenced to undergo imprisonment for not more than one year, or pay a fine not exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or suffer both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court having jurisdiction.

(H) Nominations for Mayor and Councilmen shall be made at a meeting of citizens called by the City Clerk at the direction of the Council. Such meeting shall be held at a convenient place within the City to be designated by the Council and notice thereof shall be given through a newspaper or newspapers of general circulation within the City or by hand-bills generally distributed and posted throughout the City and the said meeting shall be held on the Tuesday evening two weeks prior to the election. The City Clerk shall preside at said meeting; a voter of the City shall be chosen as secretary of the meeting by the voters of the City present; the said secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of said meeting and file the same in the office of the City Clerk.

Each candidate for Mayor shall at the time of his nomination be not less than thirty years of age; shall have resided in the city for at least one year immediately preceding his nomination and shall be a voter of the City and a property holder therein. Each candidate for Councilman shall at the time of his nomination be not less than twenty-five years of age; shall be a voter of the City; and shall have resided in the precinct or area from which he shall be nominated for at least one year immediately preceding his nomination and be a property holder therein. Nominations of candidates for Mayor and Councilmen shall be made on motion of any voter of the City, and if such nomination is seconded by at least two additional voters of the City, and not otherwise, the person so nominated shall be considered a candidate and his name shall be placed upon the official ballot unless he shall in person file with the City Clerk within three days after his nomination.

It shall be unlawful and shall be deemed a corrupt practice for any person, association, organization, committee or corporation to publish or distribute or cause to be published or distributed any pamphlet, circular, card, dodger, poster, or advertisement, or any printed, multigraphed, photographed, typewritten or written matter or statement or any matter or statement which may be copied by any device or method now known for printing or copying or which may hereafter be used for making copies of printed or written matter in any form whatever for publication or distribution, relating to or concerning any candidate or prospective candidate for Mayor of the City of Takoma Park or Councilman of the said City,