

eral, primary, and special elections in accordance with the provisions of this charter and ordinances of the council. The Board of Supervisors of Elections shall act as a board of canvassers for all primary, general, and special elections of the city. Within forty-eight (48) hours after the closing of the polls at such elections, said board shall canvass the return of the judges of elections in the several precincts of the city and certify the results thereof to the city clerk, who shall record same in the minutes of the council. The city clerk shall issue certificates of election to the candidates who, based on the results announced by the Board of Supervisors of Elections, sitting as the board of canvassers, have been elected to office in any general election.

36. *Permanent Registration.* There shall be a registration of the voters of Salisbury on the last Monday in March and the first Monday in April, 1952, and on the same days in every year thereafter when a regular city election is scheduled. If necessary for the performance of registration or for the convenience of the citizens of Salisbury, the Board of Supervisors of Elections may designate additional days as registration days. These provisions for registration are for the purpose of keeping up to date the system of permanent registration inaugurated by the council in 1950. No person shall be allowed to vote at any municipal election unless he or she shall have been registered at the time of the original registration or on some succeeding registration day. The council is hereby authorized and empowered, by ordinance, to adopt and enforce all rules and regulations necessary for establishing and maintaining a system of permanent registration.

37. *Registrars.* It shall be the duty of the council to divide the city into such precincts as it may deem advisable from time to time. Until and unless the precincts are changed by ordinance, they shall remain as established at the time this charter becomes effective. The Board of Supervisors of Elections shall appoint such registrars as may be necessary to register all voters. All resident voters shall vote in the precincts in which they reside. All non-resident owners of property situate in Salisbury shall register and vote in that precinct wherein the city hall is located.

38. *Notice of Registration.* The Board of Supervisors of Elections shall give at least two weeks' notice in one or more papers published in the City of Salisbury of the time and place or places of the sitting of the registrars for the purpose of registration.