Section 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council, that a fair summary of this Resolution and the Charter Amendment hereby proposed be published not fewer than four (4) times at weekly intervals in a newspaper of general circulation within the Town of Bladensburg: that a complete and exact copy of the proposed charter amendment shall be posted in the Town Municipal Building, 4229-Edmonston Avenue, for a period of not less than forty (40) days from date of adoption of this resolution, and that a public hearing will be held on this resolution and the charter amendment on JANUARY 6, 1969, 8:00 P.M., at the Town Municipal Building, 4229-Edmonston Avenue, Bladensburg, Md., the charter amendment proposed by this Resolution shall become a part of the Town Charter according to the terms as herein provided, and in all respects shall be observed and effective as such upon the Fiftieth (50th) day after the adoption of this resolution.

Unless on or before the fortieth (40th) day after being adopted and enacted there shall be submitted to the Mayor and Council a petition signed by twenty (20) percent or more of the persons who are qualified and registered to vote in the Town elections requesting that the proposed amendment be submitted to referendum to the voters of the Town, all as provided for by Section 13, Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and if the petition submitted complies with all the requirements of said section 13 of Article 23A, the Mayor and Council shall by resolution specify the date, time and places for the referendum concerning the question on the Charter Amendment.

The referendum will be held within a period of not less than forty (40) days nor more than sixty (60) days after the passage of the resolution providing for the referendum. Should a petition for referendum not be received by the Mayor and Council within the specified time forty (40) days, the proposed Charter Amendment shall in all respects become effective and be observed as such upon the sixth (6th) day of January, 1969, providing this Charter Amendment Resolution is adopted and enacted.

Read and adopted for the 1st reading on October 7, 1968, at the public meeting of the Mayor and Council.

Ordered to be published no fewer than four (4) times in the Prince George's Post Newspaper on November 7-14-21-and 28th, 1968.

Next Public Meeting on this Resolution is to be held on *January* 6th, 1969.

Charter Amendment.

Signed: Francis C. O'Donnell, Mayor

ATTEST:

Elsie S. Morrison, Clerk

Voting on the Resolution

Councilwoman Susanna K. Cristofane

Councilman John P. Campbell

Councilman Josef B. Brown

Councilman Benjamin J. Patterson