statutory provisions of the State of Maryland, pertaining to qualification of voters.

WHEREAS, municipal corporations and the Town of Williamsport in particular exerts such powers as are expressly granted or necessarily implied by the Constitution of the State of Maryland and statutory provisions granting said powers; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the State of Maryland and applicable statutory provisions pertaining to qualifications of voters are now dissimilar to those of the existing Charter of the Town of Williamsport, and it is considered desirable to amend said Charter to conform to the applicable constitutional and statutory provisions governing the qualifications of voters within the State of Maryland and the Town of Williamsport.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WILLIAMSPORT, MARYLAND, that Section 25 of the Town of Williamsport, Maryland Charter, adopted July 8, 1957, and subsequently amended, be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Registration, Nominations and Elections

## 25. Qualification of Voters:

Every person who is (a) a citizen of the United States, (b) is at least eighteen years of age, (c) has been a resident of the State of Maryland for at least thirty (30) days next preceding any Town election, (d) is a resident within the corporate limits of the Town of Williamsport as of the time for closing of registration, next preceding any Town Election, and (e) is registered in accordance with the provisions of this Charter, is a qualified voter of the Town.

Every qualified voter of the Town is entitled to vote at any or all Town elections.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That this Amendment shall be effective and shall be considered part of the Town Charter of Williamsport on the 28th day of February, 1973, as provided for in Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

RESOLUTION INTRODUCED AND PASSED JANUARY 9, 1973.