

BRUNSWICK

hold office for a term of four (4) years or until his successor is duly elected and qualified. There shall also be selected on the first Tuesday in August in the year 1956 by the qualified voters [of each of the three wards] of the Town of Brunswick [one] THREE [councilman] COUNCILMEN [from each of such wards] who shall have certain qualifications as hereinafter prescribed, and who shall hold office for a term of four (4) years, or until [his] THEIR [successor] SUCCESSORS [is] ARE duly elected and qualified; and on the first Tuesday in August in the year 1958 and on the first Tuesday in August every four (4) years thereafter there shall be selected by the qualified voters [of each of the three wards] of the Town of Brunswick [one] THREE [councilman] COUNCILMEN [from each ward, and] who shall hold office for a term of four (4) years, or until [his] THEIR [successor] SUCCESSORS [is] ARE duly elected and qualified. The Mayor and Council shall provide the official ballots [, which shall include distinct ballots for each ward in the Town,] for such election or elections, the form and arrangement of such ballot to be as they shall by order prescribe, except that all candidates for the same office shall be grouped together and the names shall be arranged alphabetically on such ballot. The Mayor and Council shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, at each polling place or at one general polling place on the day of such election to the judges of election before the opening hour, such registries of voters and sufficient number of such official ballots, not less, however, than the number of registered voters at each polling place [or ward], and one of such ballots shall be handed by the judges of election to the voters as they shall apply for them for the purpose of voting and shall be accepted by the judges and when properly marked counted in canvassing the vote; provided, that nothing herein shall be deemed to prevent candidates for the various offices to have sample ballots, to be provided at their own expense, for instructing the voters. After each name on such ballot, or after any proposition or question submitted to the decision of the voters, and to the right thereof, shall be a square upon which the voters shall make a cross mark to indicate the candidate of his choice, or whether he shall be in favor of or opposed to the question or proposition voted upon. If any voter cannot read or write, or is disabled by reason of any physical infirmity, he may ask one of the judges of election to mark his ballot as he desires. When a voter offers to vote the judges shall ascertain by reference if his name is on the registry of voters, and the clerks shall enter in poll books the names and residences of the voters [for the respective wards] as the ballots are delivered to them respectively. The Council shall also provide booths or compartments for secret voting similar to those provided under the general election law of this state and