

## EAST NEW MARKET

SHALL BE SUSPENDED UNTIL APPROVED BY A MAJORITY OF THE QUALIFIED VOTERS VOTING ON THE QUESTION AT ANY ELECTION. ANY ORDINANCE, OR PART THEREOF, DISAPPROVED BY THE VOTERS, SHALL STAND REPEALED. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY TO ANY ORDINANCE, OR PART THEREOF, PASSED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF #62, LEVYING PROPERTY TAXES FOR THE PAYMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS, BUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL APPLY TO ANY ORDINANCE, OR ANY PART THEREOF, LEVYING SPECIAL ASSESSMENT CHARGES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF #92 AND 93. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE SELF-EXECUTING, BUT THE COUNCIL MAY ADOPT ORDINANCES IN FURTHERANCE OF THESE PROVISIONS AND NOT IN CONFLICT WITH THEM.

## 17. FILE OF ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCES SHALL BE PERMANENTLY FILED BY THE CLERK-TREASURER AND SHALL BE KEPT AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.

## THE MAYOR

## 18. SELECTION AND TERM.

THE MAYOR SHALL BE ELECTED AS HEREINAFTER PROVIDED AND SHALL HOLD OFFICE FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS OR UNTIL HIS SUCCESSOR IS ELECTED AND QUALIFIED. THE NEWLY ELECTED MAYOR SHALL TAKE OFFICE ON THE SECOND MONDAY FOLLOWING HIS ELECTION. THE MAYOR HOLDING OFFICE AT THE TIME THIS CHARTER BECOMES EFFECTIVE SHALL CONTINUE TO HOLD OFFICE FOR THE TERM FOR WHICH HE WAS ELECTED AND UNTIL HIS SUCCESSOR TAKES OFFICE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHARTER.

## 19. QUALIFICATIONS.

THE MAYOR MUST HAVE RESIDED IN THE TOWN FOR AT LEAST ONE YEAR IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING HIS ELECTION AND MUST BE A QUALIFIED VOTER OF THE TOWN.

## 20. SALARY.

THE MAYOR SHALL RECEIVE AN ANNUAL SALARY AS SET FROM TIME TO TIME BY AN ORDINANCE PASSED BY THE COUNCIL IN THE REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS. NO CHANGE SHALL BE MADE IN THE SALARY FOR ANY MAYOR DURING THE TERM FOR WHICH HE WAS ELECTED. THE ORDINANCE MAKING ANY CHANGE IN THE SALARY PAID TO THE MAYOR, EITHER BY WAY OF INCREASE OR DECREASE, SHALL BE FINALLY ORDAINED PRIOR TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO ELECT THE NEXT SUCCEEDING MAYOR AND SHALL TAKE EFFECT ONLY AS TO THE NEXT SUCCEEDING MAYOR.

## 21. POWERS AND DUTIES.