

MUNICIPAL CHARTERS

containing the proposed amendment.

SECTION III

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That as soon as the Charter Amendment hereby enacted shall become effective either as herein provided or following a referendum, the Chief Executive Officer of the Town of La Plata shall cause to be sent separately, by certified mail, to the Secretary of State of Maryland and to the Department of Legislative Reference the following information concerning the Charter Amendment:

- (1) The complete text thereof;
- (2) The date of the referendum election, if any;
- (3) The number of votes cast for and against each question containing the Charter Amendment, whether by the Council of the Town of La Plata or in a referendum;
- (4) The effective date of the Charter Amendment.

Approved April 25, 1974.

Charter Amendment Resolution No. 74-2

Introduced by Councilman William F. Eckman

Date Introduced 28 February 1974

Date Adopted 25 April 1974

Date Effective 14 June 1974

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND SECTION 61, PURCHASING AND CONTRACTS, OF THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF LA PLATA, CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND, TO INCREASE THE PURCHASE AMOUNT ABOVE WHICH A WRITTEN CONTRACT IS REQUIRED.

WHEREAS, inflation has caused the existing written contract criterion to be unrealistically low so as to make purchasing of many items by the Town uneconomical in view of the administrative cost of competitive bidding solicitations and accordingly the existing \$1,000 criterion is hereby changed to \$5,000, through Charter Amendment.