

RESOLUTION NO: 26

A RESOLUTION PROPOSING AND INITIATING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STAYTON, OREGON, AMENDING CHAPTER 2, SECTIONS 2, 9 and 10, OF CHARTER RELATING TO ELECTIVE AND APPOINTIVE OFFICES OF THE TOWN OF STAYTON; PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION OF SUCH AMENDMENT TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF STAYTON AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE 21st DAY OF MAY, 1954.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF STAYTON, OREGON.

Section 1. That the common council does hereby propose an amendment to Chapter 2, Section 2, 9 and 10 of the Charter of the Town of Stayton; said amendment relating to elective and appointive officers of the Town of Stayton.

Section 2. That the amendment of Chapter 2, Sections 2, 9 and 10 of the Charter of the Town of Stayton, Oregon is hereby initiated and proposed and shall read as follows, to-wit:

"AN ACT to amend the Charter of the Town of Stayton, Oregon, by amending Chapter 2, Sections 2, 9 and 10, providing and relating to the appointive and elective officials of the Town of Stayton, Oregon.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN OF STAYTON, OREGON

Chapter 2, Section 2. The elective officers of the Town of Stayton shall be a mayor and five councilmen. The mayor shall hold his respective office for the term of two years, or until his successor is elected and qualified. The councilmen shall hold their respective offices for the terms of four years, or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Chapter 2, Section 2. The appointed officers shall be a city recorder, treasurer, a municipal judge, a marshal, street commissioner, water commissioner, city attorney, surveyor, and such number of deputy marshals or policemen as the council may deem necessary, and shall be appointed by the council. There shall be a president of the council elected at the first meeting of the common council chosen from one of their number who shall preside in the absence of the mayor from council meetings and shall succeed to the office of mayor, if that office becomes vacant and shall serve in that capacity until the next general election.

Chapter 2, Section 10. The city recorder, treasurer, a municipal judge, marshall, street commissioner, water commissioner, city attorney and surveyor, shall be chosen by the council at the first regular meeting thereof in January in each year, and shall hold their respective offices for the term of one year, unless sooner removed for cause; the council shall also prescribe their duties and compensation and the council may combine any one or more of said above named offices.

Section 3. The City Attorney is hereby instructed and directed to prepare the necessary heading and ballot title under which the act for the proposed amendment to the Charter of The Town of Stayton shall be submitted to the legal voters of said town.

Section 4. The charter amendment initiated and proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the legal voters of said Town of Stayton, Oregon at the primary election to be held on the 21st day of May, 1954.

Section 5. Inasmuch as the provisions of this ordinance are such as to affect the peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the Town of Stayton, Oregon, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this resolution shall be and become effective upon its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed by the common council April - 5 -, 1954.

Signed and approved by the Mayor April - 5, 1954.

M. J. Martin
MAYOR

ATTEST:
W. A. Ingles
RECORDER