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118th MAINE LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1997

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Lucerne-in-Maine Village
Corporation.

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative POVICH of Ellsworth.
Cosponsored by Senator RUHLIN of Penobscot.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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      Sec. 1. P&SL 1927, c. 43, §7-A, 5th ¶, as enacted by P&SL 1983,

4   c. 42, §7, is amended to read:

6   Commencing at the 1984 summer meeting and for even-numbered
years thereafter, a nonresident voter shall be elected to serve a

8   3-year term as overseer. Commencing at the 1985 summer meeting
and for odd-numbered years thereafter, a resident voter shall be

10   elected to serve a 3-year term as an overseer. <u>Commencing at the
1997 summer meeting and for each year after the 1997 summer</u>

12   <u>meeting, any legal voter of the village corporation may be
elected for a 3-year term as an overseer if the election of that</u>

14   <u>overseer does not place all resident or nonresident overseers in
office at the same time. A person may run for the office of</u>

16   <u>overseer for as many terms as that person is nominated.</u> At the
first Board of Overseers' meeting following each summer meeting,

18   they shall choose a ~~chairman~~ <u>chair</u> for the ensuing year.

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SUMMARY

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        This bill amends the charter of the Lucerne-in-Maine Village

24   Corporation to provide that commencing at the 1997 summer meeting
and for each year after the 1997 summer meeting, any legal voter

26   of the village corporation may be elected for a 3-year term as an
overseer if the election of that overseer does not place all

28   resident or nonresident overseers in office at the same time.
The bill also provides that a person may run for the office of

30   overseer for as many terms as that person is nominated.