

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 229

House of Representatives, Feb. 25, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Hinckley from Committee on Legal Affairs
and ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

AN ACT to amend chapter four hundred and twenty-four of
the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and
seven as amended by chapter forty-eight of the Private and
Special Laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, changing
the time of the annual meeting of Kittery Water District.

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

P. & S. L. 1907, c. 424, amended. Chapter 424 of the
2 private and special laws of 1917 as amended by chapter 48
3 of the private and special laws of 1917 is further amended
4 by striking out "July" in the twelfth line and substituting
5 therefor the word 'January,' so that said section as amended
6 will read as follows:

'Sect. 5. Annual election of officers to be held in January
2 instead of July. All the affairs of said water district shall

3 be managed by a board of trustees composed of three mem-
4 bers, to be chosen by ballot by the legal voters within said
5 water district, the first election to be at the meeting of the
6 legal voters of the said corporation to be called to accept this
7 act, one to serve until the annual meeting to be held in nine-
8 teen hundred and eight, one to serve until the annual meeting
9 to be held in nineteen hundred and nine, and one to serve
10 until the annual meeting in nineteen hundred and ten. When-
11 ever the term of office of a trustee shall expire the legal
12 voters of the said water district shall elect a successor to
13 serve for a full term of three years, and if any other
14 vacancy occurs it may be filled in like manner for the unex-
15 pired term. The annual election of officers shall be in the
16 month of January. As soon as convenient after the board
17 of trustees has been chosen, the said trustees shall hold a
18 meeting at the office of the selectmen in the town of Kittery,
19 and organize by the election of a chairman and clerk, adopt
20 a corporate seal, and when necessary, may choose a treasurer
21 and all other needful officers and agents for the proper
22 management of the affairs of said water district. Said trus-
23 tees may procure an office and incur such expenses as may
24 be necessary. Each member shall receive in full compensa-
25 tion for his services an allowance of fifty dollars per year
26 or such other less sum as the said water district at any
27 legal meeting may prescribe. The said water district at any
28 legal meeting thereof, called for the purpose, may adopt such
29 by-laws and provisions, not inconsistent with the laws and

30 constitution of this state and the United States, as they may
31 deem expedient and necessary for the better government and
32 regulation of the municipal affairs within said water dis-
33 trict, in which case such by-laws and provisions so adopted,
34 shall extend to said water district as fully, to all intents and
35 purposes, as the other provisions of this act, subject only to
36 alterations or additions by a two-thirds vote, at a legal meet-
37 ing of the water district called for the purpose.'