

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundredth Legislature

OF THE

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repealing the whole or any part of any existing statute, and all the rights and duties herein mentioned shall be exercised and performed in accordance with any applicable provisions of the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapters 44 and 79, and any acts amendatory thereof or additional thereto.

Sec. 29. Local referendum; effective date. This act shall take effect 90 days after adjournment of the Legislature only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the Town of Richmond at an annual or special town meeting. Such special meeting shall be called, advertised and conducted by the municipal officers of said town according to the law relating to municipal elections; provided, however, that the board of registration in said town shall not be required to prepare for posting, nor the town clerk to post, a new list of voters, and for the purpose of registration of voters said board shall be in session on the 3 secular days next preceding such special meeting, the first and 2nd days thereof to be devoted to registration of voters and the last day to enable the board to verify the corrections of said lists and to complete and close up its records of such session. The town clerk shall prepare the required ballots on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act to Incorporate the Richmond Utilities District, be accepted?". The voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same.

This act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at said annual or special meeting; provided that in the case of a special meeting the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act at said meeting equals or exceeds 10% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in said town at the next previous gubernatorial election, but nothing in this section should be construed to prevent submitting this act for acceptance at any annual or special town meeting held within 2 years from the effective date hereof as provided in this section, notwithstanding an earlier vote against such acceptance. The result of each such vote shall be declared by the municipal officers and due certificate thereof filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 155

AN ACT Relating to Expending Aroostook County Funds for Maine Potato Blossom Festival.

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

Aroostook County funds to be expended for Maine Potato Blossom Festival. Aroostook County shall expend \$1,250 for the Maine Potato Blossom Festival to be held in Fort Fairfield in 1961, to be paid to the Town of Fort Fairfield to be expended by the Fort Fairfield Chamber of Commerce to promote said festival; and shall expend \$1,250 for the Maine Potato Blossom Festival in 1962, to be paid to the Potato Blossom Festival Committee as approved by the Maine Potato Council.

Effective September 16, 1961