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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 176

H. P. 138

House of Representatives, January 14, 1975
Referred to Committee on Public Utilities. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Mackel of Wells.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Amend the Charter of the Ogunquit Sewer District.

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

Sec. 1. P&SL 1963, c. 87, § 14, 4th ¶ is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

At each annual meeting of the Ogunquit Village Corporation beginning with the annual meeting for 1976, one trustee shall be elected by ballot as hereinafter provided to begin serving his term at the adjournment of the annual meeting of the district and to serve until the annual meeting of said district occurring 3 years thereafter and until his successor is elected and qualified. When any trustee ceases to be a resident of said district, he vacates his office as trustee. All trustees, if residents of said district, shall be eligible for reelection or reappointment.

Sec. 2. P&SL 1963, c. 87, § 14, 7th ¶, first sentence, is amended to read:

Within one week after each annual election meeting, the trustees shall meet for the purpose of electing a chairman, treasurer and clerk to serve for the ensuing year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Sec. 3. P&SL 1963, c. 87, § 14, 10th ¶, first sentence, is amended to read:

Vacancies in the office of trustee from whatever cause shall be filled by appointment by the remaining trustees until the next annual election meeting.

Sec. 4. P&SL 1963, c. 87, § 26, 2nd ¶ is amended by adding 2 new sentences after the first sentence to read:

The treasurer shall send out all bills for the rates, tolls, rents and other charges by January 31st of each year and all such sales, tolls, rents and

charges shall become due and payable on June 15th of the same year. The trustees may grant a 2% discount upon all rates, tolls, rents and other charges paid before March 15th of each year and there shall be a charge of 9% interest on all unpaid rates, tolls, rents and other charges after June 15th of each year.

Sec. 5. P&SL 1963, c. 87, § 26, 2nd ¶, last sentence, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

The fee to be charged by the district to the ratepayer for such notice and filing shall not exceed \$3 in addition to the fee to be charged to the district by the register of deeds for filing and recording the same.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the purpose of this Act to make necessary changes in the Ogunquit Sewer District charter.