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House of Representatives, February 26, 1953

Referred to the Committee on Public Utilities, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Senter of Brunswick

STATE OF MAINE

**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE**

**AN ACT Relating to Number and Salary of Trustees of Brunswick and
Topsham Water District.**

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

P. & S. L., 1903, c. 158, § 5, amended. Section 5 of chapter 158 of the private and special laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 120 of the public laws of 1907 and chapter 42 of the private and special laws of 1945, is hereby further amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 5. Trustees; how chosen, number, compensation. All the affairs of said water district shall be managed by a board of trustees composed of ~~three~~ **5** members, ~~two to be chosen by the municipal officers of Brunswick, and one by the municipal officers of Topsham to be proportioned between the towns of Brunswick and Topsham on the basis of income to the district and to be chosen by the municipal officers of Brunswick and Topsham.~~ As soon as convenient after the members of said board have been chosen, said trustees shall hold a meeting at the town building at Brunswick, and organize by the election of a president and clerk, adopt a corporate seal and when necessary may choose a treasurer and all other needful officers and agents for the proper conduct and management of the affairs of said district. At said first meeting they shall determine by lot

the term of office of each trustee so that one shall serve for one year, one for two years, ~~and~~ one for three years, **one for 4 years and one for 5 years**; and whenever the term of office of a trustee expires, the body which appointed said trustee shall appoint a successor to serve the full term of ~~three~~ **5** years, and in case any other vacancy arises it shall be filled in like manner for the unexpired term. They may also ordain and establish such by-laws as are necessary for their own convenience and the proper management of the affairs of the district. The term of office of trustees shall begin on the first Monday of April, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and three. Said trustees may procure an office and incur such expenses as may be necessary. They shall make and publish an annual report, and include therein the report of the treasurer. Each member shall receive in full compensation for his services an allowance of ~~\$300~~ **\$200** per annum ~~beginning~~ **January 1, 1915.**