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Sec. 12. First election; terms of officers; annual meeting. The first election of officers shall be at the meeting at which this charter is accepted. Said officers shall hold their respective offices until the next annual meeting of the corporation, at which said meeting officers shall be elected and thereafterwards at each annual meeting, but in any event all officers duly elected shall hold office until their successors are elected and duly qualified. The annual meeting of said corporation shall be held on the last Saturday of July in each year.

Sec. 13. Procedure for acceptance of charter; subsequent meetings, how called; moderator to be chosen. This charter may be accepted at any time within two years from its approval by the governor, but only one meeting to vote thereon shall be called in any one calendar year. Harry W. Corsman, Carroll A. Deering, William O. Oliver, Augustus Perrow, Laura M. Morse, Frank A. Norton, Ruth H. Farnham and Charles F. Johanson, or either of them, may call all meetings of the corporation previous to the acceptance of the charter and the election of officers, and notify the persons entitled to vote therein to meet at some suitable time and place, in said territory, by posting of notices in two public places in said territory seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting; all subsequent meetings shall be called and notified by the overseers as town meetings shall be called and notified by the selectmen; either of the above named persons are authorized to preside at any meeting previous to the acceptance of the charter until the meeting is organized and until a moderator shall have been chosen by ballot and sworn; at all meetings of the corporation a moderator shall be chosen in the manner and with the same power as in town meetings.

Sec. 14. Act effective when approved so far as authorizing holding meeting for acceptance of charter. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor so far as to authorize the calling of a meeting or meetings of said corporation for the purpose of voting upon the acceptance of this charter, and whenever this charter shall be accepted by a majority of the voters of said corporation at a legal meeting called for that purpose, then the same shall take and have complete effect in all its parts.

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Chapter 12.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1905, c. 54, sec. 6; 1917, c. 285; 1923, c. 14; relating

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to authority of Dover- and Foxcroft Water District to issue bonds, amended. Section six of chapter fifty-four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five as amended by section two of chapter two hundred and eighty-five of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and eleven as amended by chapter fourteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, is further amended by striking out the words "one hundred and seventy-five" in the third line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words, 'two hundred and fifty,' and by inserting after the word "expedient," in the fifth line thereof, the words, 'subject to the provisions of chapter fifty-five, sections thirty-seven to thirty-nine, both inclusive, of the revised statutes of Maine, and all acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 6. Bond limit increased to \$250,000; provisions of R. S., c. 55, secs. 37 to 39 made applicable. Said Dover and Foxcroft Water District is authorized to issue its bonds in amounts not exceeding in the aggregate two hundred and fifty thousand dollars outstanding at one time, for such purposes and on such terms and conditions as it may deem expedient, subject to the provisions of chapter fifty-five, sections thirty-seven to thirty-nine, both inclusive, of the revised statutes of Maine, and all acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto. Said bonds shall have interest coupons attached. Said bonds shall be signed in behalf of said corporation by its treasurer and countersigned by its assessors, and the coupons attached thereto shall be impressed by the fac-simile of the signature of its treasurer. Said bonds shall be a legal obligation of said water district, which is hereby declared to be a quasi-municipal corporation within the meaning of section fifty-five, chapter forty-six, of the revised statutes and all the provisions of said section shall be made applicable thereto. Said bonds, it is hereby declared, shall be public funds of the state of Maine, within the meaning of section one of chapter one hundred and sixty-one of the public laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.'

Sec. 2. Existing statutes not affected; rights conferred subject to provisions of R. S., c. 55. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal or shall be construed as 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 all the applicable provisions of chapter fiftyfive of the revised statutes.

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