

HOUSE No. 1559

By Mr. Fitzpatrick of Medford, petition of John J. Fitzpatrick for the election by proportional representation of elective municipal officers in cities having a Plan E form of city charter. Cities.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty.

AN ACT PROVIDING THE ELECTION BY PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION OF ELECTIVE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS IN CITIES HAVING A PLAN E FORM OF CITY CHARTER.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The provisions of chapter forty-three
2 of the General Laws relative to the election by propor-
3 tional representation of elective officers in cities hav-
4 ing a Plan E form of city charter which were repealed
5 by chapter six hundred and sixty-one of the acts of
6 nineteen hundred and forty-nine, are hereby revived
7 and are hereby made operative in said cities, and also
8 in any city which adopted a Plan E form of city
9 charter after the effective date of said chapter six
10 hundred and sixty-one or shall hereafter adopt such
11 charter.

1 SECTION 2. Sections one A, two and three of said
2 chapter six hundred and sixty-one are hereby repealed.

By Mr. FLETCHER, of Middlebury, in reply to a question of Mr. FLETCHER, of Middlebury, in relation to the proposed amendment to the charter of the city of Middlebury, Vermont.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE REVISION OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF MIDDLEBURY, VERMONT.

Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty.

SECTION 1. The provisions of chapter forty-three of the General Laws relative to the charter of a city shall be amended in the following manner, to-wit:

1. In section one of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

2. In section two of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

3. In section three of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

4. In section four of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

5. In section five of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

6. In section six of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

7. In section seven of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

8. In section eight of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

9. In section nine of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

10. In section ten of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

11. In section eleven of said chapter, the words "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter" shall be amended so as to read "and the city shall be organized on the first day of January next following the date of the adoption of this charter, or on such other date as shall hereafter be determined by the city council."

SECTION 2. Sections one, two and three of said chapter shall be amended in the following manner: