

ORDINANCE NO. 103

An Ordinance Providing for the holding of a Town Meeting called a "Nominating Caucus", as the method for nominating candidates for the annual municipal general election.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL of the Town of Coupeville as follows:

Section 1. The City Council provides for the nomination of candidates to be elected at the general city election by a Caucus to be held therein. Notice of such Caucus shall be given by posting and publication of at least ten (10) days prior to the date fixed for the holding thereof.

Section 2. The Caucus shall be held at least 24 days prior to the general election.

Section 3. Withdrawal of Candidacy.

A person shall have the right to decline his candidacy at least twenty (20) days prior to the Town general election by notifying in writing the officer who issues the certificate of candidacy.

Section 4. Duties of the Town Clerk.

It shall be the duty of the Town Clerk to provide places for holding the municipal general election; to appoint the precinct election officers; to provide for their compensation; to provide, ballot boxes and ballot or voting machines, poll books and tally sheets, and deliver them to the precinct election officers at the polling places and to publish and post notices of calling Town general elections in the manner provided in the Laws of the State of Washington.

The Town Clerk, whenever requested by the school district officers, shall conduct the school district election in conjunc-

tion with the Town municipal general election, provided the results of each school district election shall be canvassed by the school district officers, and that school districts shall be held liable for their proportionate share of the costs of such election.

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ELMER E. CALHOUN, Mayor

ATTEST:

LORINE N. KIPPEN, Clerk