



State of Tennessee

PRIVATE CHAPTER NO. 29

HOUSE BILL NO. 2624

By Representative Halford

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2648

By Senator Stevens

AN ACT to amend Chapter 133 of the Private Acts of 1994; as amended by Chapter 8 of the Private Acts of 1997; Chapter 92 of the Private Acts of 2008 and Chapter 29 of the Private Acts of 2013; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the charter of the town of Rutherford.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 133 of the Private Acts of 1994, as amended by Chapter 8 of the Private Acts of 1997, Chapter 92 of the Private Acts of 2008, Chapter 29 of the Private Acts of 2013, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting Section 5 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 5. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall consist of a Mayor and five (5) Aldermen. Beginning with the municipal election scheduled for November 1, 2016, the Mayor and each Alderman shall be elected to a two-year term of office. The Mayor and Aldermen shall be elected at large. The candidate for Mayor receiving the largest number of votes in the municipal election shall be declared elected and the five (5) candidates receiving the largest number of votes for Alderman in the municipal election shall be declared elected. In case of a tie vote for Mayor or for an Alderman position, the incumbent Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall decide which of the candidates shall serve. All municipal elections shall be non-partisan.

Beginning with the municipal election scheduled for November 1, 2016, terms of office for the Mayor and Aldermen shall begin upon their swearing in at the first regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen immediately following the municipal election.

To be eligible for and to hold the office of Mayor or Alderman, a person must be a citizen of the State of Tennessee and the Town of Rutherford for at least one (1) year immediately preceding the day of the municipal election in which they are seeking office.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of the town of Rutherford. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the town of Rutherford and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.

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PASSED: March 14, 2016

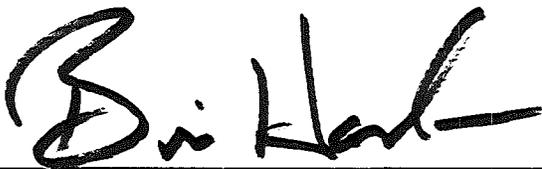


BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 29th day of March 2016



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR



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Bill No. 2624 of the 109th General Assembly, was (**choose one**):

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4 Votes For

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