

**TOWN OF PRINCESS ANNE, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION
ORDINANCE NO. 2020-01**

AN ORDINANCE to amend Chapter 10, entitled “ELECTIONS” of the Code of the Town of Princess Anne, Section 10-2 entitled “Voter Registration” to add language clarifying the deadline for registering to vote.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of the Town of Princess Anne have decided to clarify the deadline for registering to vote in Town Elections by amending Section 10-2 of Chapter 10 – “Elections.”

SECTION I. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF PRINCESS ANNE, MARYLAND, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION, that Chapter 10 entitled “Elections” of the Code of the Town of Princess Anne, shall be amended to read as follows:

**CHAPTER 10
ELECTIONS**

Section 10-2. Voter Registration.

The deadline for registering to vote in the General Election of the Town of Princess Anne shall be ~~the second Tuesday before Election Day~~ the third Tuesday in May before Election Day.

SECTION II. SEVERABILITY. Should any provision, section, paragraph or subparagraph of this Article, including any code or text adopted hereby, be declared null and void, illegal, unconstitutional, or otherwise determined to be unenforceable by a court having competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect the validity, legality, or enforceability of any other provision, sections, paragraph or subparagraph hereof, including any code or text adopted hereby. Each such provision, section, paragraph or subparagraph is expressly declared to be and is deemed severable.

SECTION III. ADDITION TO CODE. It is the intention of the Commissioners, and it is hereby ordained, that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances, and the Sections of this ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention.

SECTION IV. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall take effect at the expiration of twenty (20) calendar days from its final passage.

THIS ORDINANCE was introduced and read at a meeting of the Town Commissioners of the Town of Princess Anne, Maryland, held on the 4th day of November, 2019, and, passed for Second Reading. Thereafter, the Ordinance was finally passed by the Town Commissioners on the 2nd day of December, 2019. In accordance with Section 410 of the Charter of Princess Anne, Maryland, a statement of the substance of the Ordinance has been published at least twice in a newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in the Town of Princess Anne and posted as required by law.

TOWN OF PRINCESS ANNE, MARYLAND

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By: [Signature]
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