

Ordinance No. 3.

Providing for Holding Special Elections in the City of Wathena, for the purpose of Filling Vacancies in the Office of Mayor or City Councilman.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Wathena:

Section 1. That whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Mayor or in the Council of the City of Wathena, caused by death, removal from the City resignation or otherwise, there shall be a special election held to fill such vacancy, within ten days after the time of the first regular meeting of the Council at which said vacancy is ascertained.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the City Clerk to post up written notices of such special election in at least five public places within the City or to publish such notice in a newspaper if one be publisher in the City, giving not less than five days' notice of the time when, and the place where, such election shall be held, and the office or offices that are to be filled.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in pamphlet form.

Passed by the Council August 11, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor August 11, 1898.

J. G. Harpster, Mayor.

Attest: W. T. Stewart, City Clerk.