

## CHARTER PROPOSAL

1. *Shall the Charter of the City of St. Albans, as amended, be further amended to change the City Clerk position from an elected position to one appointed by the City Council, effective July 1, 2022, through the amendment of City Charter § 12, as follows:*

### § 12. City Clerk

- (a) ~~Effective July 1, 2022, the City Council legal voters of the City shall elect a City Clerk who shall be a legal voter in the City. The Clerk shall hold office for a term of two years.~~ Effective July 1, 2022, the City Council shall appoint a City Clerk who shall be a legal voter in the City. The Clerk shall hold office for a term of two years. The City Clerk shall perform for the City the same duties devolving by law upon town clerks, except as far as the same are rendered unnecessary by this charter, and shall collect the same fees therefor to be paid into the City Treasury for the use of the City.
- ~~(b) In case of a vacancy in the Office of the City Clerk, the vacancy shall be filled by the City Council until the next annual meeting of the City.~~
- (b) ~~(e)~~ The City Clerk and Treasurer may be one and the same person.

2. *Shall the Charter of the City of St. Albans, as amended, be further amended to change the City Treasurer position from an elected position to one appointed by the City Council, effective July 1, 2022, through the amendment of City Charter § 13, as follows:*

### § 13. City Treasurer

- (a) ~~Effective July 1, 2022, the City Council legal voters of the City shall elect a City Treasurer who shall be a legal voter in the City. The Treasurer shall hold office for a term of two years.~~ Effective July 1, 2022, the City Council shall appoint a City Treasurer who shall be a legal voter in the City. The Treasurer shall hold office for a term of two years. The City Treasurer shall have the same power and be subject to the same liabilities as are prescribed by law for town treasurers.
- ~~(b) In case of a vacancy in the Office of the City Treasurer, the vacancy shall be filled by the City Council until the next annual meeting of the City.~~
- (b) ~~(e)~~ The City Clerk and Treasurer may be one and the same person.

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