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There was a called meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Chapel Hill held at the Bank of Chapel Hill on March 28, 1935 at 7:30 P. M. Mayor J. M. Foushee presided and the following Aldermen were present: Messrs. C. L. Eubanks, M. E. Hogan, R. J. M. Hobbs, B. S. Thompson and P. L. Burch.

The purpose of this meeting was to call an election as prescribed by law on May 7, 1935 to elect a Mayor, Judge of Recorder's Court and three Aldermen as here-after set forth in these minutes on pages 369 and 370.

On motion of Alderman Hogan seconded by Alderman Eubanks and passed by the Board Mr. W. P. Jordan was appointed as Registrar and Mr. T. E. Best and C. P. Hinshaw as judges of the election. The Registrar to be at polling place on April 6, 13, 20 & 27. April 27, being designated as Challenge Day.

There being no further business, the meeting of the Board of Aldermen adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN M. FOUSHEE, MAYOR

J. M. Foushee
Acting Clerk.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL:-

Section 1. Pursuant to the Charter of the Town of Chapel Hill, and the General Laws of the State of North Carolina governing elections in municipalities, an election is hereby called to be held on Tuesday, May 7, 1935, for the purpose of election a Mayor, three Aldermen, and the Judge of the Recorder's Court,- The MAYOR to serve for a term of Two Years,- and three Aldermen to serve for a term of Four Years, and the Judge of Recorder's Court to serve for a term of Two Years.

Section 2. The polls to be open on the day of election from 8:00 A. M. till Sunset and no longer, and each person whose name may be registered, shall be entitled to vote.

Section 3. The name of any candidate for Mayor, Alderman, or Judge of Recorder's Court, shall be printed upon the official ballot, provided there is filed with the Town Clerk not less than five days previous to the holding of said election, the name of such candidate and the office for which he is a candidate. After the expiration of the time for filing such notices of candidacy, the Town Clerk shall cause to be printed a sufficient number of said ballots. PROVIDED, that nothing herein shall prevent any qualified registered voter from being a candidate in such an election, whether notice of his candidacy be filed or not, provided he shall at his own cost and expense prepare ballots bearing his name. PROVIDED, further that nothing herein shall be construed as preventing any elector from marking out any name which might appear on such ballots, and substituting therefor the name of any other person he may favor for the respective position. When the election shall be finished, the Registrar and Judges of the election shall count the ballots, reading aloud the names of the persons which shall appear on each ballot; and if there shall be two or more ballots rolled up together, or any ballots which contain the names of more persons than the elector has the right to vote for, or shall have a device or ornament upon it, such ballot shall not be numbered in counting the ballots, but shall be voided, and the counting of the votes shall be continued by the Judges until completed, and the result thereof be declared duly elected to such office for the ensuing term of Two Years;- And the person receiving the highest number of votes as Aldermen for Four Years, shall be declared duly elected for the ensuing term of Four Years; and the person receiving the highest number of as Judge of the Recorder's Court for the ensuing term of Two Years.

Section 4. That the place of holding the election is hereby designated as the Chapel Hill Graded School House, on the south side of Franklin Street, between Columbia and Mallett Streets.

Section 5. That Mr. W. P. Jordan is hereby designated and appointed Registrar for this election, and Mr. T. E. Best and C. P. Hinshaw are hereby designated an appointed Judges of this election,- who before entering

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upon the discharge of their duties, shall take oath before some person authorized by law to administer oaths, to conduct the election fairly and impartially, according to the Constitution and Laws of the State of North Carolina, and to the Charter of the Town of Chapel Hill.

Section 6. For the purpose of voting at the said election, the registration books will be open for registration of any new electors entitled to registration whose names have never been registered on the said books, as follows:

Saturday April 6, 1935 10
Saturday April 13, 1935 17
Saturday April 20, 1935 24
Saturday April 27, 1935 1

From 9:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M. on each of the above days, at the Chapel Hill Graded School House.

And the Registration books shall be open from April 20, to April 27th, 1935, (Except Sunday) from 9:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. at any place the registrar may have his books.

That Saturday, April 27th shall be designated as Challenge Day. That the registration for this election shall close on Saturday April 27th, 1935, and that this Ordinance shall be posted in three places.

JOHN M. FOUSHEE, MAYOR

By _____

CLERK