

State of Montana :- SS
County of Flathead :

H.S.Hanson, being first duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 6th day of July, 1914, in the City of Polson, County of Flathead, Montana, he posted Ordinance No. 94, as required by law, in the following places, to-wit:-

One copy of said Ordinance No. 94 at the office of the Police Judge, one copy at the United States Post Office and one copy at the office of the City Treasurer.

H.S. Hanson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1914.

Sylvester C. Biker
Notary Public for the State of Montana, Residing at Polson, Montana.

My commission expires May 15th, 1917.



ORDINANCE NO. 95

An Ordinance providing for the registration of the tax payers or qualified electors of the City of Polson, Montana, for the special city sewerage bond election, heretofore called and to be held on the 28th day of July, 1914, for the purpose of submitting to the said tax payers or qualified electors the question of bonding the said city of the purpose of constructing a sewerage system for the said city and THE MANNER IN WHICH SAID REGISTRATION SHALL BE MADE.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Polson, State of Montana:

Section 1 - The City Clerk is hereby appointed and made the official registrar of the City of Polson, Montana and shall keep and enter in registers to be designated as ward or precinct registers ~~###~~ the names of the qualified electors in the respective wards of said city, for said special bond election; the City Clerk shall register the names of all persons qualified for such an election at his office in The Security State Bank in said city and not elsewhere, between the hours of nine A.M. and six P.M. on all legal days, in the manner as hereafter provided, and only those persons and taxpayers or qualified electors whose names are so registered by the said city clerk as provided in this ordinance shall be entitled to vote at the ensuing special election called and holden on the 28th day of July, 1914, directing that the question of bonding the said city for the purpose of constructing a sewer system, be submitted to the vote of the tax payers of the said city, affected thereby.

Section 2 - Suitable registration books and check lists shall be provided by the City Clerk and the expense thereof, if any, charged to the said city; said books to be as near as practicable the same as used at regular or general elections in the said city.

Section - 3 - The City Clerk, as ex-officio city registrar, must enter on the precinct or ward register herein provided for, under the proper heading, the number and date of the registration, the name in full, the occupation, the age, the sex, and nativity of the elector, the length of time the elector has resided within the State of Montana, County of Flathead and City of Polson, the number of the ward of said city, within which the elector resides. If any person fails or refuses to give the answers in any particular, as may be required by question of the City Clerk, he must not be registered.

Section 4 - Every person applying to be registered, must, before he is entitled to have his name registered, take and subscribe to the oath or affirmation that follows, which must be administered by the City Clerk as ex-officio City Registrar, who is hereby authorized and empowered to administer such oath or affirmation as herein provided, which oath when taken shall be filed by the City Clerk and become a part of the records of said city:-

OATH OF ELECTOR

State of Montana :SS
County of Flathead :

No. _____
I, the undersigned elector, do solemnly swear (or affirm), that my name and signature as signed below is my true name and signature; that my full name is _____, my age is _____ years; that I was born in _____; that I was naturalized in the year _____ at _____; that I reside in the City of Polson, in the _____ ward, Precinct No. _____; and that I am able to mark my ballot; that I am a citizen of the United States; that I have resided within the State of Montana for a period of at least one year, last past and in the County of Flathead more than thirty days, last past, and in the City of Polson for a period of at least thirty days, last past, immediately preceeding this election; that I am not elsewhere registered for the said special city sewerage bond election; that I am a tax payer upon property situated and located within the corporate limits of the City of Polson, Montana, as appears from the County and City assessment rolls for the year 1913, next proceeding such ~~#####~~ special city bond election, so help me God under the pains and penalties of perjury.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the _____ day of July, 1914.

City Clerk and ex-officio City Registrar.

Section 5 - That the City Clerk and ex-officio City Registrar shall register all persons, offering to register, who are tax payers upon property within the corporate limits of the City of Polson, upon property by such such person assessed therefore on the county and city assessment roll, and otherwise possessed of the qualifications of the right of suffrage, to-wit:- 1- He must be a citizen of the United States, 2 - he must have resided in the state one year, and in the county of Flathead and City of Polson thirty days immediately preceeding the said special sewerage bond election, called and noticed to be held on the 28th day of July, 1914.

Section 6 - Payment of taxes upon property by any person assessed therefore on the county or city assessment roll, next preceeding the special bond election heretofore called and holden on the 28th day of July, 1914, in the City of Polson, at which special bond election the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of constructing a sewerage system for the said city is to be submitted to the vote of the tax payers of the said city of Polson, constitutes such person a tax payer and entitled to vote at the special city bond election, providing however such person possesses the qualifications of an elector as provided in Section 5 of this Ordinance and the laws of this state.

Section 7 - That women who are tax payers and possessed of the qualifications for the right of suffrage required by men by the state constitution, equally with men, have the right to vote at the ensuing special city bond election of said city and all women who present themselves for registration and take and subscribe to the foregoing oath, shall be registered as herein provided.

Section 8 - That the said City Clerk of the City of Polson, shall caused to be published at the expense of the said City of Polson, at least twice in the Flathead Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Polson, Montana, a notice signed by him to the effect that such registry books or books will be closed at six o'clock P.M. on Saturday, July 25th, 1914 and that all tax payers or qualified electors may register for the ensuing special city sewerage bond election by appearing before said city clerk at his office in the Security State Bank Building and shall also cause true copies of said notice to be posted at least ten days prior to the closing of said registry books, in three public places in each ward of said city.

Section 9 - That the passage of this Ordinance being deemed immediately necessary for the regulation and registration of all electors and tax payers for the ensuing special city election, wherein by ordinance it was provided that the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of constructing a sewerage system for the City of Polson, Montana, be submitted to the vote of the tax payers or qualified electors at a special city bond election to be hold on the 28th day of July, 1914 and that all tax payers and qualified electors may have the opportunity and be permitted to register for said ensuing special city bond election and that they may be entitled to vote at such election which question involves the health & safety of said city, it is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and to be and become immediately effective from and after its passage and approval.

Passed by the City Council and approved by the Mayor this the 11th day of July, 1914.

Attest *E. E. Cannon*
City Clerk

Mayor

Affidavit

State of Montana : SS
County of Flathead :

H.S. Hanson, being first duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 13th day of July, 1914, in the City of Polson, County of Flathead, Montana, he posted Ordinance No. 95, as required by law, in the following places, to-wit:-

One copy of the said Ordinance No. 95 at the office of the Policy Judge, one copy at the United States Post Office and one copy at the office of the City Treasurer.

E. E. Cannon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1914.

Sylvester C. Bibbe
Notary Public for the State of Montana. Residing at Polson, Montana.

Seal
My commission expires
May 15th, 1917.