

BILL

No 1 of 1929.

An Act to amend The Lethbridge City Charter.

(Assented to _____, 1929)

WHEREAS, the City of Lethbridge has prayed for certain amendments to *The Lethbridge City Charter*, being chapter 76 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1928; and

Whereas, it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition,

Therefore His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

The Lethbridge City Charter, being chapter 76 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1928, is hereby amended as follows:

1. Title III, section 3, is amended by adding at the end of such section the words "and such Mayor shall hold office until his successor is elected."

2. Title V, section 51, subsection (c), is hereby amended by striking out the words "or transferred to" where they appear in said subsection (c).

3. Title V, section 59, is hereby amended by striking out the words "his supervisor or supervisors" where they appear in the said section.

4. Title V, section 82, is hereby amended by striking out section 82 and substituting the following therefor:

"82. All councillors shall be elected by plurality vote system, i.e., the candidate having the highest number of votes shall be declared elected, and if there is more than one vacancy to be filled, the candidate having the second highest number of votes shall be declared elected, and so on, until a sufficient number of candidates have been declared elected to fill the vacancies. And the Council may pass a by-law or by-laws which shall contain all forms and necessary rules and provisions for the mode of marking the ballot, for proceedings during the taking of the vote, and after the closing of the polls, for the return of ballot boxes, the method of counting the ballots and any other regulations which may be deemed necessary for the proper carrying out of the election, which are not contrary to anything contained in this Act."

5. Title VI, section 16, is amended by striking out the word "fifteen" where it appears in the sixth line of said section and substituting therefor the word "eighteen"

6. Title XXXI, section 5, is hereby amended by striking out the form of assessment roll thereon and substituting therefor the following:

ASSESSMENT ROLL for the year 19 City of Lehighridge	No. of assessment
	Name of ratepayer
	Post Office address.
	Public or Separate school supporter.
	Brief description of taxable property, Lot, Block and Plan No., or Section, Township, Range and Meridian
	Value of building as per By-Law
	Value of personal property.
	Income.
	Total amount of assessment
	Date of assessment
Date of delivery or posting of notice.	

7. Title XXXIV, section 3, subsection (c), is amended by striking out all the words of subsection (c) after the words "special tax" where they appear in the first line of said subsection, and substituting the following:

"Or serve such notice upon any grown-up person at the residence or business office of the person taxed, and the City Assessor shall immediately stamp with a rubber stamp upon the roll a memorandum of the date of service, or posting of such notice, and shall verify such memorandum by signing his initials at the bottom of each page of said roll, and if the notices entered on any page are not all served or posted on the same date, then those served or posted on different dates shall be separately initialed, and such memorandum shall be *prima facie* evidence that such notices were served or posted and of the date of such service or posting."

8. Title XXXIV, section 4, is hereby repealed and the following substituted as section 4:

"4. In case the taxable person is a non-resident of the city, the Assessor shall transmit to him by post a similar

statement of the taxes charged against him in the roll, and the Assessor shall immediately stamp with a rubber stamp upon the roll a memorandum of the date of the posting of such notice, and shall verify such memorandum by signing his initials at the bottom of each page of said roll, and if the notices entered on any page are not all posted on the same date, then those posted on different dates shall be separately initialed and such memorandum shall be *prima facie* evidence that such notices were posted, and of the date of such posting."

9. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to

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