

- Mayor to pre-** **6.** At such meeting the mayor of the municipality in which it is held shall preside, or in his absence some other member of the council of such municipality, to be chosen by the meeting. **5**
- Question to be decided.** **7.** The clerk of such municipality shall have with him the assessment rolls of the municipality then in force, or certified copies thereof, and shall act as secretary; and the only question to be determined at such meeting shall be, whether the majority of the municipal electors present thereat do or do not approve of the by-law. **5**
- Duty of person presiding.** **8.** When the question has been put, the person presiding shall declare whether in his opinion the majority is for the approval or disapproval of the by-law; and his decision, if not forthwith appealed from, shall be final, and shall forthwith be communicated to the council of the municipality which originated the by-law, by a certificate under the hand of the secretary of the meeting. **10**
- Poll may be demanded.** **9.** Any six duly qualified municipal electors present at any such meeting may appeal from the decision of the person presiding, and demand a poll; and such poll shall be granted by the person presiding at the meeting, and shall be immediately taken by him, the clerk of the municipality acting as poll clerk. **15**
- How votes shall be taken.** **10.** Each elector shall then present himself in turn to the person presiding, and shall give his vote, "Yea" or "Nay"—the word "yea" meaning that he approves the proposed by-law, and the word "nay" that he disapproves the same; but no person's vote shall be received, unless he appears by the assessment rolls to be a duly qualified municipal elector. **20**
- Adjournment of poll.** **11.** The person presiding may, if necessary, adjourn the poll at sunset on the day of meeting until ten o'clock in the forenoon of the following day, not being a Sunday or statutory holiday, when the poll shall be continued as on the first day, but shall be closed at sunset of such second day. **25**
- Closing of poll.** **12.** If at any time on the first, or second day one-half hour elapses without a vote being offered, the poll shall be closed. **30**
- Certificate of result of poll.** **13.** At the close of the poll, the person presiding shall count the "yeas" and the "nays," and ascertain and certify, for the information of the council which originated the by-law, whether the majority is for the approval or disapproval of the said by-law; and such certificate shall be counter-signed by the clerk of the municipality acting as secretary of the meeting; and kept by him, with the poll list, among the records of his office, and if the by-law originated with a county council, a duplicate thereof shall be transmitted to the county clerk. **35**
- Publication of by-law.** **14.** After the by-law shall have been approved, it shall be published in the same manner as all other municipal by-laws, together with the resolutions of the meeting before being put into force. **40**