

place, and when there shall be no Justice of the Peace, Captain or senior Officer of Militia residing within the Parish or Township, then the nearest Justice of the Peace, Captain or Senior Officer of Militia, shall preside at such meeting until a Chairman or Moderator shall be elected to preside in his place as aforesaid: Provided always that no such meeting shall be held in any such Parish or Township until twenty days notice shall have been given in the most public places, in every Parish or Township, by the person who is to preside at the same, of the day and hour, and at what place such meeting is to be held, nor shall any such Justice of the Peace, Captain or Senior Officer of Militia, give notice of, preside at, or hold any such meeting until he shall have been requested so to do by at least thirty of the proprietors and householders of every such Parish or Township.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that it shall and may be lawful for the said proprietors and householders at each and every such meeting, (if the majority of such proprietors and householders then present shall so decide,) to choose, by a majority of votes, by ballot or otherwise, as shall be agreed upon by the votes then present, a Chairman or Moderator, who shall thereby be empowered to manage and regulate the business of such meeting.

Also, a fit and proper person to be Clerk of every such Parish or Township.

Also, three or more fit and proper persons, not exceeding five, to be called Parish or Township Wardens.

Also, a fit and proper person, as a Treasurer, for every such Parish or Township.

Also, three fit and proper persons to serve as Assessors, within every such Parish or Township.

Also, two fit and proper persons to serve as Collectors, of any rate or assessment, within every such Parish or Township.

Also, three fit and proper persons to serve as Constables within every such Parish or Township.

Also, a fit and proper person to serve as Pound-keeper in every School District within such Parish or Township.