

Ordinance No. 155.

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An Ordinance providing for the submission of a proposal for a charter convention to the vote of the qualified electors of the City of Grand Junction, at a special election to be held at the time of the next general city election, April 6, 1909.

Whereas heretofore and on the 23rd day of February A.D. 1909, a Petition has been filed with the City Clerk, and presented to the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, signed by qualified electors of said City, in number not less than 10% of the last preceding gubernatorial vote in said City, petitioning the City Council of Grand Junction, to submit to a vote of the qualified electors of said City a proposal for a Charter Convention, for the City of Grand Junction to be held pursuant to the provisions of Article XX of the Constitution of the State of Colorado;

Now, Therefore, Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction:

Sec. I.

There shall be and hereby is submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the City of Grand Junction, at a special election to be held at the time of the general city election of said City on the 6th day of April, 1909, a proposal for a Charter Convention for the City of Grand Junction, pursuant to the provisions of Article XX of the Constitution of the State of Colorado.

Sec. 2.

The question so submitted shall be voted upon at said special election by the electors sponsored at the several voting places in each election precinct of said City.

Sec. 3.

All persons voting on said question shall vote by separate ballot for the Charter Convention or against the Charter Convention as the case may be. Such ballot to be deposited in a separate ballot box provided by said City for that purpose.

Sec. 4.

The City Clerk shall provide and have ready for use on election day a sufficient number of ballots for the use of the qualified electors voting on said question.

Sec. 5.

The Judges of election shall within twenty-four hours after the closing of the polls return to the City Clerk of said City, the ballots, ballot boxes, poll books, and tally sheets with certificate under their hand showing how many votes have been cast for and against said proposition. at the first meeting of the City Council after such special election the City

Clerk shall present to the City Council the returns of such special election.

This ordinance to be in force and from and after its passage.

Passed and adopted this 9th, day of March A.D. 1909.

attest.

John M. Conley
City Clerk.

J. R. Wentworth
Mayor.

State of Colorado }
County of Mesa } SS.
City of Grand Junction }

I, John M. Conley City Clerk of Grand Junction, Colorado, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing ordinance number 155 was introduced and read in full before the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, the 24th, day of February A.D. 1909, the same being a regularly adjourned meeting thereof

and that said ordinance was by order of said City Council published in full in the Daily Sentinel in Grand Junction, Colorado, for a period of ten days, the first publication thereof being March 9th, 1909, said proof of publication being in the form of an affidavit of J. N. Bonning Editor of the said Daily Sentinel, the official newspaper of said City of Grand Junction, Colorado, according to law.

I further ~~do~~ certify that at a regular meeting held upon March 9th, 1909, of said City Council of said Grand Junction, the said ordinance was again read in full, and thereupon at said last mentioned regular meeting the said ordinance was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the said City Council and was upon March 10th, 1909, approved by Honorable J. R. Wentworth, Mayor of said City.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the City hereto this 10th, day of March 1909.

John M. Conley
City Clerk of Grand Junction, Colorado