

ORDINANCE NO. 22

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF SEWALL'S POINT RELATING TO ALL SPECIAL, PRIMARY AND GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS HELD BY THE TOWN OF SEWALL'S POINT, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR ABSENTEE BALLOTS AND APPLICATION THEREOF, MANNER OF MAILING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; INSTRUCTIONS TO ABSENTEE ELECTORS; PROVIDING FOR PERSONS IN ARMED SERVICES AND FEDERAL PERSONNEL TO BE ALLOWED TO VOTE BY ABSENTEE VOTING, PROVIDING FOR ABSENTEE VOTING BY THE ADOPTION OF SECTIONS 101.61 TO 101.70, INCLUSIVE, OF CHAPTER 101 OF THE 1959 FLORIDA STATUTES.

WHEREAS, the Charter of the Town of Sewall's Point does not provide for any absentee voting in connection with a municipal election; and,

WHEREAS, the Town Commissioners desire that absent electors be allowed to vote in all the Town Municipal Elections, either special, primary or general elections, and,

WHEREAS, the Town Commissioners desire to adopt rules and regulations for absentee voting in all municipal elections, including special elections, primary and general elections; and,

WHEREAS, the State of Florida has a law providing for absentee voting which law is contained in Section 101.61 to Section 101.70, inclusive, of Chapter 101, Florida Statutes of 1959, and,

WHEREAS, Section 101.70 of Chapter 101, 1959 Statutes, provides that any municipality may adopt the provisions of the State law pertaining to absentee voting in municipal elections, and,

WHEREAS, an emergency exists for the passing of this ordinance in that same is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, welfare and safety of the people of the Town of Sewall's Point, Florida.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TOWN
OF SEWALL'S POINT, FLORIDA:

Section 1. From and after the date upon which this ordinance becomes effective, the Town of Sewall's Point does hereby adopt Sections 101.61 to 101.70, inclusive, of Chapter 101, Florida Statutes 1959, as a part of the Town Election Laws.

Section 2. From and after the date upon which this ordinance becomes effective, all registered voters may vote by an absentee ballot if they otherwise comply with the provisions of Sections 101.61 to 101.70, inclusive, of Chapter 101, Florida Statutes of 1959.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance on the ground that same is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, welfare and safety of the people of the Town of Sewall's Point, Florida.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage as required by law.

PASSED this 19th day of February, 1960.

ATTEST: [Signature]
As Town Clerk

Approved as to form and correctness
this ____ day of February, A. D. 1960.

As Town Attorney

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As Mayor
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As Commissioner of Town
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