

ceive as compensation the sum of five dollars (\$5) per day for all necessary services actually performed, in connection with their duties, including the attendance at meetings: *Provided*, That such services and compensation are allowed and approved at a regular meeting of the board. Upon the submission of a copy, certified by the secretary, of the extracts of the relevant minutes of the board showing such approval, to the County Auditor, the same shall be paid as other claims against said district are paid.

Compensation.

Must be approved.

Payment.

Passed the House February 4, 1947.

Passed the Senate February 28, 1947.

Approved by the Governor March 5, 1947.

CHAPTER 77.

[H. B. 86.]

ELECTION BALLOTS AND VOTING.

AN ACT relating to election ballots and voting, amending section 17, chapter 13, page 406, Laws of 1889-90 as last amended by section 3, chapter 20, Laws of 1935 (sec. 5274, Rem. Rev. Stat.; sec. 521-9, PPC) and section 23, chapter 13, page 409, Laws of 1890 as amended by section 8, chapter 156, Laws of 1895 (sec. 5288, Rem. Rev. Stat.; sec. 521-21, PPC).

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. Section 17, chapter 13, page 406, Laws of 1889-90, as last amended by section 3, chapter 20, Laws of 1935 (sec. 5274, Rem. Rev. Stat.; sec. 521-9, PPC) is amended to read as follows:

Section 17. All ballots prepared under the provisions of this chapter shall conform to the following requirements:

Ballot requirements

1. Shall be of white and a good quality of paper, and the names shall be printed thereon in black ink.

White paper.

2. Every ballot shall contain the name of every candidate whose nomination for any office specified

All candidates.

in the ballot has been filed according to the provisions of this act and no other names.

Candidates listed by party and office.

3. All nominations of any party or group of petitioners shall be placed under the title of such party of petitioners as designated by them in their certificate of nomination or petition, and the name of each nominee shall be placed under the designation of the office for which he has been nominated.

Box at right of each name.

4. There shall be a at the right of the name of each of its nominees so that a voter may clearly indicate the candidate or the candidates for whom he wishes to cast his ballot. The square shall be one-fourth of an inch. The size of type for the designation of the office shall be nonpareil caps; that of the candidates not smaller than brevier or larger than small pica caps and shall be connected with squares by leaders.

Party columns.

5. The list of candidates of the party whose candidate for president of the United States received the highest number of votes from the electors of this state in the preceding presidential election shall be placed in the first column of the left-hand side of the ballot, the party whose candidates for presidential electors or candidates received the next highest number of votes from the electors of this state in the preceding presidential election the second column and of other parties in the order in which certificates of nomination have been filed.

How determined.

Candidate's name to appear only once.

6. No candidate's name shall appear more than once upon the ballot: *Provided*, That any candidate who has been nominated by two or more political parties may, upon a written notice filed with the clerk of the Board of County Commissioners at least twenty days before the election is to be held, designate the political party under whose title he desires to have his name placed.

When more than one candidate to be voted for.

7. Under the designation of the office if more than one candidate is to be voted for there shall be indicated the number of candidates to such office to

be voted for at such election. In such cases the names of the candidates of the various parties for that office shall be staggered so that the names of no two candidates for that office shall appear opposite each other upon the same line in adjacent party columns.

Names staggered.

8. Upon each official ballot a perforated line one-half inch from the left-hand edge of said ballot shall extend from the top of said ballot towards the bottom of the same two inches thence to the left-hand edge of the ballot and upon the space thus formed there shall be no printing except the number of such ballot which shall be upon the back of such space in such position that it shall appear on the outside when the ballot is folded. The County Auditor shall cause official ballots to be numbered consecutively beginning with number 1, for each separate voting precinct.

How ballots numbered.

9. Official ballots for a given precinct shall not contain the names of nominees for justices of the peace and constables of any other precinct except in cases of municipalities where a number of precincts vote for the same nominee for justices of the peace and constables and in the latter case the ballots shall contain only the names to be voted for by the electors of such precinct. Each party column shall be two and five-eighths inches wide.

Justices of the peace and constables.

Width of party column.

10. If the election be in a year in which a president of the United States is to be elected, in spaces separated from the balance of the party tickets by a heavy black line, shall be the names and spaces for voting for candidates for president and vice-president. The names of candidates for president and vice-president for each political party shall be grouped together, each group enclosed in brackets with one three-eighths inch square to the right in which the voter indicates his choice.

How names of presidential and vice-presidential candidates placed on ballot.

11. On the top of each of said ballots and extending across the party groups, there shall be printed

Where instructions placed.

Propositions to be voted on.

Arrangement of ballot

instructions directing the voters how to mark the ballot before the same shall be deposited with the judges of election. Next after the instructions and before the party group shall be placed the questions of adopting constitutional amendments or any other question authorized by law to be submitted to the voters of such election. The arrangement of the ballot shall in general conform as nearly as possible to the form hereinafter given.

Instructions: If you desire to vote for any candidate, place X in at the right of the name of such candidate.

(Here place any state or local questions to be voted on.)

REPUBLICAN PARTY	DEMOCRATIC PARTY	OTHER PARTY
<p>PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT</p> <p>Benjamin F. Harrison } <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Levy P. Morton } <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT</p> <p>Grover Cleveland } <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>A. G. Thurman } <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>UNITED STATES SENATOR</p> <p>Watson C. Squire. <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>UNITED STATES SENATOR</p> <p>C. W. Griggs..... <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>GOVERNOR</p> <p>Elisha P. Ferry.. <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>GOVERNOR</p> <p>Eugene Semple <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR</p> <p>Chas. E. Laughton <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR</p> <p>L. H. Platter..... <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>SECRETARY OF STATE</p> <p>Allen Weir <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>SECRETARY OF STATE</p> <p>W. H. Whittlesey..... <input type="checkbox"/></p>	

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

District No. 20

Vote for three only

Andrew Anderson <input type="checkbox"/>		Jane Doe <input type="checkbox"/>
	John Doe <input type="checkbox"/>	
John Brown <input type="checkbox"/>		B. H. Kilroy <input type="checkbox"/>
	Richard Roe <input type="checkbox"/>	
Henry Smith . . . <input type="checkbox"/>		Tilly Olson <input type="checkbox"/>
	Wm. Williams . . <input type="checkbox"/>	

County
Commissioner
First District

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Commissioner
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(Names of other candidates should follow on the ballot in same form)

SEC. 2. Section 23, chapter 13, page 409, Laws of 1890 as amended by section 3, chapter 156, Laws of 1895 (sec. 5288, Rem. Rev. Stat.; sec. 521-21 PPC) is amended to read as follows:

Section 23. On receipt of his ballot the elector shall forthwith and without leaving the polling place retire alone to one of the places, booths, or apartments provided to prepare his ballot. Each elector shall prepare his ballot by marking a cross "X" after the name of every person or candidate for whom he wishes to vote.

Elector votes for each candidate.

In case of a ballot containing a constitutional amendment or other question to be submitted to the vote of the people the voter shall mark a cross "X" after the question, for or against the amendment or proposition, as the case may be. Any elector may write in the blank spaces, or paste over any other name, the name of any person for whom he may wish to vote. Before leaving the booth or compartment the elector shall fold his ballot in such a

Voting on propositions.

Stickers, write-ins

Ballot folded.

manner that the number of the ballot shall appear on the outside thereof, without displaying the marks on the face thereof, and he shall keep it folded until he has voted. Having folded the ballot, the elector shall deliver it folded to the inspector, who shall, in audible tone of voice, repeat the name of the elector and the number of the ballot. The election clerks having the certified copies of the poll books or registration or poll books in charge, shall, if they find the number marked opposite the elector's name on the register or poll books to correspond with the number of the ballot handed to the inspector, mark opposite the name of such elector the word "voted," and one of the clerks shall call back, in an audible tone, the name of the elector and the number of his ballot. The inspector shall separate the slip containing the number of the ballot from the ballot and shall deposit the ballot in the ballot box. The numbers removed from ballots shall be immediately destroyed.

Number detached from ballot.

No straight party voting on voting machines.

SEC. 3. No voting machine shall be used at any election unless each party voting device thereon is locked against movement, and the machine has been prepared in such a way that the voter cannot by a single operation vote for all the candidates of one party.

How challenged voter votes.

SEC. 4. Whenever the right to vote of any person presenting himself as a voter at any polling place for any election has been challenged and the officers conducting the election at such polling place have refused to accept the vote of such person because of such challenge, or otherwise, a ballot shall be voted by such challenged person and placed in a sealed envelope. The sealed ballots of challenged voters shall be transmitted at the close of the election to the county election board or other authority charged by law with the conduct of the particular election. The county election board or such other authority shall upon request of the voter, at the time

the vote is canvassed, consider the case of each challenge and shall decide whether or not the ballot in each case shall be accepted or rejected. The decision of the county election board or such other authority shall be final. In precincts where voting machines are used, any person whose right to vote is properly challenged shall be furnished with a paper ballot, and such ballot after said person has marked it, shall be sealed and disposed of as hereinabove provided.

Decision
by county
election
board.

Passed the House February 27, 1947.

Passed the Senate February 26, 1947.

Approved by the Governor March 5, 1947.

CHAPTER 78.

[S. B. 88.]

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT —APPROPRIATION FOR ADVERTISING.

AN ACT making an appropriation allocated to the division of progress and industry development of the Department of Conservation and Development for the purpose of advertising the State of Washington for the year 1947 in national periodicals and by pamphlet distribution, and declaring an emergency.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of
Washington:*

SECTION 1. The sum of one hundred forty-five thousand dollars (\$145,000) is herewith appropriated for the purpose of advertising the State of Washington in national publications and by distribution of literature for the attraction of tourists and industry to this state: *Provided*, That none of the money herein appropriated shall be used for salaries or administrative expenses.

Appropriation.

SEC. 2. Supervision and expenditure of this fund shall be controlled by the division of progress and industry development of the Department of Conservation and Development: *Provided*, That not more

Supervision
of fund.