

ORDINANCE NO. 00-16

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AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO elections; to change the number of votes required for nomination as a candidate of a political party; to harmonize with state law; to repeal conflicting ordinances and sections; to provide an effective date.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. Section 1-711 of the Municipal Code of Friend, Nebraska, is amended to read as follows:

ELECTIONS; CERTIFICATE OF NOMINATION OR ELECTION.

The Election Commissioner, County Clerk, or Municipal Clerk shall, within 40 days after the election, prepare, sign, and deliver a certificate of nomination or a certificate of election to each person whom the canvassing board has declared to have received the highest vote for each municipal office. No person shall be issued a certificate of nomination as a candidate of a political party unless such person has received a number of votes at least equal to 5% of the total ballots cast at the primary election by registered voters affiliated with that political party in the district which the office for which he or she is a candidate serves.

A certificate of election prepared by the Municipal Clerk shall be in the form as nearly as possible prescribed in Neb. RS 32-1033 and shall be signed by the Mayor, under the seal of the Municipality, and countersigned by the Clerk.

(Neb. RS 19-3041, 32-558, 32-1033)

Section 2. Any other ordinance or section passed and approved prior to passage, approval, and publication or posting of this ordinance and in conflict with its provisions is repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval, and publication or posting as required by law.

Passed and approved this 6th day of June, 2000.



Mayor

Ann G. Betka
Clerk