

ORDINANCE NO.: 2022-07

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 17 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGEVILLE AS IT RELATES TO ELECTIONS

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of Bridgeville have all powers granted to municipal corporations and to cities by the Constitution and general law of the State of Delaware, including the implied powers necessary to carry into execution all the powers granted; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners are of the opinion that an amendment to the Code as it relates to conducting elections is necessary for the health, peace, safety and well-being of the residents of Bridgeville.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF BRIDGEVILLE, to read as follows:

Section 1. Amend Chapter 17 Elections of the Code of the Town of Bridgeville, by adding the **underlined text** as follows:

Article III General

Section 17-6 Contract with Department of Elections

- A. At least 60 days prior to the date of the election, the Town shall contract with the Delaware Department of Elections for Sussex County to conduct an election to elect members of the Towns government.
- B. The Town shall use the State's voter registration system as a basis of permitting a person to vote in Town elections.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption by a majority of all Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS OF BRIDGEVILLE

By: President

Attest: Secretary

First Reading: _ November 14, 2022_

Second Reading: <u>December 12, 2022</u>

Adopted: December 12, 2022

Synopsis

This Ordinance would provide that the Town will have the State of Delaware Department of Elections conduct all elections and to use the State's voter registration system as basis of permitting a person to vote in Town Elections.