

CHAPTER VI. ELECTIONS

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- 6-101. CONDUCT OF ELECTION. The election of city officials shall be conducted in all respects as provided by the laws of Kansas governing the holding of city elections. (K.S.A. 25-2101 *et seq.*; Code 2003)
- 6-102. HOURS OF VOTING. At all city elections the polls shall be open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m., unless different hours are set and publicly announced by the county election officer. (K.S.A. 25-2111, 26-206; Code 2003)
- 6-103. ELECTIONS; TERMS. On the first Tuesday in April, 1983, there shall be elected a mayor and five councilmen. At said election, the mayor shall be declared elected for a term of two years and the two candidates for councilmen receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected for a term of four years. The candidates for councilmen receiving the next three highest number of votes shall be declared elected for a term of four years. The candidates for councilmen receiving the next three highest number of votes shall be declared elected for a term of two years. Succeeding elections for all such offices shall be for four year terms, or until the successors to such offices are qualified, except for the office of mayor which shall be for a term of two years. (C.O. 87, Sec. 2)
- 6-104. COMMENCEMENT OF TERMS OF OFFICE; OATH OF OFFICE. (a) The term of office for newly elected city officials shall commence with and include the first regular meeting of the governing body following certification of the election by the county election officer.
- (b) Every person elected or appointed to city office, before entering upon the duties of such office, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation as specified in K.S.A. 54-106, and amendments thereto, and every such oath or affirmation shall be filed with the city clerk.
- (K.S.A. 25-2120; Code 2003)