## Title 1

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- 1.04.010 Notice to be given.
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- 1.04.010 Notice to be given. The notice to be given on all ordinances and posted notices required by or enacted by the town council shall be posted on a town bulletin board which shall be located at the town post office. (Ord. 12, 1918).
- 1.04.020 Effective date. That an ordinance made by the Council of Hingham must have its first reading at a regular or special meeting. The second reading will be after 3 days at which meeting a recess may be called and the third reading of the said ordinance be made. The ordinance may then be voted on, passed or rejected as the vote may be. (Ord. 26, no date, not signed).

#### Chapter 1.08

#### CORPORATE SEAL

#### Sections:

- 1.08.010 Description.
- 1.08.010 Description. The official corporate seal of the town is a seal, circular in form, with the words "Town of Hingham, Montana" in the outer circle, and in the inner circle the word "SEAL", and the same shall be used in all cases when necessary to use the corporate seal of the town. (Ord. 84, 1980)

## Chapter 1.12

## GENERAL PENALTY

#### Sections:

- 1.12.010 Penalty for violation.
- 1.12.010 Penalty for violation. In all cases where a punishment is prescribed by ordinance, any violation of any provisions of the ordinances of the town is punishable by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than 6 months, or by both.

## Chapter 1.20

## GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

## Sections:

- 1.20.010 Primary Election
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- 1.20.030 Polling Place
- 1.20.010 Primary Election. If a primary election for municipal officials is needed, it shall be held on the Tuesday following the second Monday in September preceding the general election. (Sec. 13-1-107(3), MCA) (Enacted, 1988)
- 1.20.020 General Election. The general election for municipal officials shall be held in odd number years on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November. (Sec. 13-1-104, MCA) (Enacted, 1988)
- 1.20.030 Polling Place. There shall be only one polling or voting place in the Town of Hingham. The polling place shall be designated by the Town Council. (Ord. 117, 1963) (Enacted, 1988)

## Chapter 1.24

#### SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

#### Sections:

- 1.24.010 Designation of date.
- 1.24.020 Location of polls.
- 1.24.030 Counting ballots.
- 1.24.040 Judges' compensation

- 1.24.010 Designation of date. When any person or persons, or any company or corporation, shall have made application to the Town Council for a franchise for any public utility or for any special privilege, the Town Council shall appoint a day for an election by the electors of the town on the question of the franchise or special privilege, and notice of the special election shall be published for three successive weeks in such weekly paper as the Town Council shall designate and by posting in three (3) public places within the Town of Hingham. The election shall be held not less than fifteen nor more than twenty days after the first publication of the notice of such election. Provided, however, that the Town Council, if it sees fit, may require the applicant to advance the necessary costs of election before they call the election. (Ord. 88, Sec. 1, 1980)
- 1.24.020 Location of polls. The Town Council shall, at the time of ordering such election, name one place in the town for the holding of such election, and shall determine and publish the hours during which the polls for such election shall be open, and shall appoint two judges and one clerk to act as officers of such election. (Ord. 88, Sec. 2, 1980)
- 1.24.030 Counting ballots. The judges of the special election shall receive, count, and return the ballots case at the election to the town clerk as provided for in the political code of the state and the ordinances of the town. (Ord. 88, Sec. 3, 1980)
- 1.24.040 Judges' compensation. The judges of such special election are entitled to receive as compensation for their services not more than Three Dollars (\$3) each. (Ord. 88, Sec. 4, 1980)

# Chapter 1.28

#### TOWN LIMITS

# Sections:

- 1.28.010 Generally.
- 1.28.020 Townsite of Hingham.
- 1.28.030 Johnson and Peterson's First Addition.
- 1.28.040 Declared limits.
- 1.28.010 Generally. The corporate limits of the town shall encompass the additions and tracts of land described in the following sections. (Ord. 89, Sec. 1, 1980)

- 1.28.020 Townsite of Hingham. Beginning at the initial point the quarter corner common to sections 3 and 10 in Township 32 North, of Range 10 East M.P.M., running thence N.89°43' W. 1324.2 feet, thence N.0°17'E. 1462.4 feet, thence N.78°09' E. along the south right of way line of the Great Northern Ry. Co. 1961.15 feet, thence S.0°17' W. 1877.19 feet, then N.89°43' W. 593.8 feet to place of beginning. Containing 72.08 acres. (Ord. 89, Sec. 2, 1980)
- 1.28.030 Johnson and Peterson's First Addition. A tract of land lying in the west one-half of the SE1/4 of Section 3, T32N, R.10E.M.M. and being more particularly described as follows to-wit: beginning at a point 593.8 feet east of the 1/4 section corner on the south side of Section 3, T32N., R.10E.M.M., at the SE corner of the Townsite of Hingham, and running thence NO°17' E. 1874.88 feet to the NE corner of the Townsite of Hingham, and the south margin of the G.N. Ry. Right-of-way; thence N78°08' E. 722.23 feet along the south line of said Right-of-way; thence SO°17' W. 2026.63 feet; thence N89°43' W. 706.0 feet along the south line of said Section 3, to the point of beginning and containing 31.61 acres. (Ord. 89, Sec. 3, 1980)
- 1.28.040 Declared limits. The foregoing descriptions as set forth in the preceding sections are hereby declared to be the corporate limits and boundaries of the town. (Ord. 89, Sec. 4, 1980)

## Title 2

# ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL

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- 2.04 Council Rules of Order.
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