

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

IN RE:

**PETITION FOR WRIT OF ELECTION
TO FILL A VACANCY ON TOWN
COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES,
VIRGINIA**

**TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES, VIRGINIA,
PETITIONER.**

WRIT OF SPECIAL ELECTION

IT APPEARING to the Court by a Petition filed by the Town of Cape Charles, Virginia, that a vacancy has been created by a notice from councilman, Lawrence Glen Bannon aka Christopher Glen Bannon, that he has resigned from office for a term that expires on June 30, 2022,

AND IT FURTHER APPEARING that the vacancy took place effective March 4, 2021, as evidenced by the email dated March 4, 2021.

AND IT FURTHER APPEARING that any interim appointment by the Town Council of the Town of Cape Charles pursuant to Section 24.2-228(A) shall be effective only until the qualified voters of the locality fill the vacancy by Special Election pursuant to Section 24.2-228 and Section 24.2-682 of the Code of Virginia.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that pursuant to Virginia Code Section 24.2-226 this Writ of Special Election is issued and the Electoral Board of Northampton County, Virginia is directed to take steps and prepare such means as may be necessary to hold the Special

Edition on the same day as the next General Election in November 2021 to fill the vacancy on Town Council of the Town of Cape Charles.

This Court further ORDERS the Electoral Board and General Registrar to observe the directives set forth in Virginia Code Section 24.2-681, *et seq.* when conducting this Special Election.

This Court further ORDERS that the Secretary of the Electoral Board shall post a copy of this Writ on the official website for Northampton County and have notice of the Special Election published in a newspaper of general circulation in this jurisdiction at least ten days before the Special Election.

That the Clerk of this Court is further ORDERED to transmit a certified copy of this Writ of Special Election to the Secretary of the Electoral Board for Northampton County, the Attorney for the Town of Cape Charles, the Virginia State Board of Elections, and the General Registrar for Northampton County.

ENTER: This the 29th day of March, 2021.

W. Paul Lee
JUDGE, Northampton County Circuit Court

I ask for this:

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TESTE: TRAVIS JOHNSON, CLERK

By: Travis Johnson, Deputy Clerk