

HOUSE No. 5234

Substituted by the House, on motion of Mr. Speliotis of Danvers, for a bill with the same title (House, No. 4992) [Local Approval Received]. January 4, 2021.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act amending the charter for the town of Chatham.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 1-3 of part I of the charter of the town of Chatham, which is on file
2 in the office of the archivist of the commonwealth, as provided in section 12 of chapter 43B of
3 the General Laws, is hereby amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen” and
4 inserting in place thereof the following words:- select board.

5 SECTION 2. Section 1-7 of said part I of said charter is hereby amended by striking out
6 the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select
7 board.

8 SECTION 3. Section 2-4 of part II of said charter is hereby amended by striking out the
9 words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select board.

10 SECTION 4. Section 2-6 of said part II of said charter is hereby amended by striking out
11 the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
12 instance, the following words: - select board.

13 SECTION 5. Section 2-7 of said part II of said charter is hereby amended by striking out
14 the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select
15 board.

16 SECTION 6. Section 3-1 of part III of said charter is hereby amended by striking out the
17 words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select board.

18 SECTION 7. Section 3-2 of said part III of said charter is hereby amended by striking
19 out the heading and inserting in place thereof the following heading:- Select Board.

20 SECTION 8. Section 3-2 of said part III of said charter are hereby amended by striking
21 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof the
22 following words:- select board.

23 SECTION 9. Section 4-1 of part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking out the
24 words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
25 instance, the following words: - select board.

26 SECTION 10. Section 4-2 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking
27 out the heading and inserting in place thereof the following heading:- Relationship of Town
28 Manager and the Select Board.

29 SECTION 11. Said section 4-2 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by
30 striking out the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words:-
31 select board.

32 SECTION 12. Section 4-3 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking
33 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
34 instance, the following words: - select board.

35 SECTION 13. Section 4-4 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking
36 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
37 instance, the following words: - select board.

38 SECTION 14. Section 4-5 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking
39 out the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select
40 board.

41 SECTION 15. Section 4-6 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking
42 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
43 instance, the following words: - select board.

44 SECTION 16. Section 4-7 of said part IV of said charter are hereby amended by striking
45 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
46 instance, the following words:- select board.

47 SECTION 17. Subsection (f) of said section 4-7 of said part IV of said charter is hereby
48 further amended by striking out the words “the selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the
49 following words:- the select board.

50 SECTION 18. Section 4-8 of said part IV of said charter is hereby amended by striking
51 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
52 instance, the following words: - select board.

53 SECTION 19. Section 5-1 of part V of said charter is hereby amended by striking out the
54 words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
55 instance, the following words:- select board.

56 SECTION 20. Section 5-2 of said part V of said charter is hereby amended by striking
57 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
58 instance, the following words: - select board.

59 SECTION 21. Section 5-3 of said part V of said charter is hereby amended by striking
60 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
61 instance, the following words: - select board.

62 SECTION 22. Section 6-1 of part VI of said charter is hereby amended by striking out
63 the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
64 instance, the following words: - select board.

65 SECTION 23. Section 6-2 of said part VI of said charter is hereby amended by striking
66 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
67 instance, the following words: - select board.

68 SECTION 24. Section 6-3 of said part VI of said charter is hereby amended by striking
69 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
70 instance, the following words:- select board.

71 SECTION 25. Section 6-4 of said part VI of said charter is hereby amended by striking
72 out the heading and inserting in place thereof the following heading:- Select Board Action.

73 SECTION 26. Said section 6-4 of said part VI of said charter is hereby amended by
74 striking out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place
75 thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

76 SECTION 27. Section 6-5 of said part VI of said charter is hereby amended by striking
77 out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
78 instance, the following words: - select board.

79 SECTION 28. Section 7-2 of part VII of said charter is hereby amended by striking out
80 the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select
81 board.

82 SECTION 29. Section 7-3 of said part VII of said charter is hereby amended by striking
83 out the words “the selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each
84 instance, the following words: - the select board.

85 SECTION 30. Said section 7-3 of said part VII of said charter is hereby amended by
86 striking out the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words:-
87 select board.

88 SECTION 31. Section 8-2 of part VIII of said charter is hereby amended by striking out
89 the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words: - select
90 board.

91 SECTION 32. This act shall take effect upon its passage.