



ORDINANCE

ESTABLISHING ELECTION POLL HOURS

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Twenty

The City of Nashua ordains that Part II “General Legislation”, Chapter 23 “Elections and Campaigns”, Article I “General Voting Procedures” of the Nashua Revised Ordinances, as amended, be and hereby is further amended by adding the new underlined section:

“§ 23-1.5. Election Poll Hours.

Polls shall be open for elections starting at 6:00 a.m. and ending at 8:00 p.m.”

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

This legislation shall take effect following its passage.

LEGISLATIVE YEAR 2020

ORDINANCE: O-20-002
PURPOSE: Establishing election poll hours
ENDORSERS: Alderman-at-Large Ben Clemons

**COMMITTEE
ASSIGNMENT:**

FISCAL NOTE: None.

ANALYSIS

This legislation establishes by ordinance the election poll hours (6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.) that have consistently been adopted by the City through each election resolution. RSA 659:4 notes that “[i]n cities, the city council shall determine the polling hours no later than 30 days prior to a state election.”

Approved as to form: Office of Corporation Counsel

By: Douglas Clarke

Date: 8 January 2020