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HOUSE BILL DRH40051-LU-35

Short Title: Even-Yr. Elections/Town of Biltmore Forest. (Local)

Sponsors: Representative B. Turner.

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN THE TOWN OF  
3 BILTMORE FOREST SHALL BE HELD IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.(a)** Section 3 of the Charter of the Town of Biltmore Forest, being  
6 Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of 1923, as amended by Town Ordinance adopted on June 21,  
7 2011, reads as rewritten:

8 "~~Sec. 3. The following named persons shall fill the offices of mayor and commissioners from~~  
9 ~~their qualifications until an election to be held on the first Monday in May, nineteen hundred and~~  
10 ~~twenty three, and until their successors are elected and qualified, to wit: Junius G. Adams,~~  
11 ~~mayor, and Charles E. Waddell, Edward M. Jones, and Lloyd M. Jarrett, commissioners~~The  
12 officers of the Town of Biltmore Forest shall consist of a mayor and three commissioners who  
13 shall serve four-year terms. In 2020, and quadrennially thereafter, the mayor and three  
14 commissioners shall each be elected for four-year terms."

15 **SECTION 1.(b)** Section 7 of the Charter of the Town of Biltmore Forest, being  
16 Chapter 32 of the Session Laws of 1923, as amended by Town Ordinance adopted on June 21,  
17 2011, reads as rewritten:

18 "~~Sec. 7. That~~In 2020, and quadrennially thereafter, an election shall be held in said town on  
19 the first Monday in May, nineteen hundred and twenty three, and quadrennially thereafter the  
20 Town on Tuesday after the first Monday in November in each even-numbered year for the  
21 purpose of electing a mayor and three commissioners, which said commissioners. The election  
22 shall be held under the laws of North Carolina regulating elections in cities and towns."

23 **SECTION 2.** No regular municipal elections shall be conducted in the Town of  
24 Biltmore Forest in 2019. The mayor and three commissioners whose terms expire in 2019 are  
25 extended until 2020. Regular municipal elections shall be conducted in the Town of Biltmore  
26 Forest in 2020.

27 **SECTION 3.** This act is effective when it becomes law and applies to elections held  
28 on or after that date.

