

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 68
Committee Substitute Favorable 2/25/99

Short Title: Town of China Grove.

(Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

February 11, 1999

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND
3 ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF CHINA GROVE.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. Section 3 of the Charter of the Town of China Grove, being Chapter
6 309 of the Private Laws of 1903, reads as rewritten:

7 "Sec. 3. The officers of ~~said corporation~~ the town shall be a Mayor and five
8 Aldermen, who shall be elected ~~biennially, and whose term of office shall begin as~~
9 ~~provided in the general election law for municipal corporations, as passed by the~~
10 ~~Legislature of 1901.~~ to four-year terms, except as provided otherwise in this section.

11 In 1999, and quadrennially thereafter, a Mayor shall be elected to a four-year term.

12 In 1999, for the position of Alderman, the two persons receiving the highest number
13 of votes shall be elected to four-year terms and the three persons receiving the next
14 highest number of votes shall be elected to two-year terms. In 2001, and quadrennially
15 thereafter, three persons shall be elected to four-year terms. In 2003, and quadrennially
16 thereafter, two persons shall be elected to four-year terms."

17 Section 2. This act applies beginning with persons elected in 1999.

18 Section 3. This act is effective when it becomes law.