

election district a list of the names and addresses of all registered electors as of that date resident in the district, *either* arranged by streets and house numbers or arranged alphabetically [Provided, That the method of arranging such lists alphabetically as authorized by this amendment shall not be used by any commission which heretofore prepared such lists by streets and house numbers and the method of arranging such lists alphabetically shall be discontinued not later than three years after the effective date of this amendment].

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Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 11th day of September, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 350

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 27, 1925 (P. L. 324), entitled "An act for the distribution by the Commonwealth and counties to townships and school districts of moneys received from the United States from Forest Reserves within the Commonwealth," authorizing the electors of a township to adopt an alternative basis for distribution of moneys.

Moneys received from national forest reserves appropriated to counties.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 2, act of April 27, 1925, P. L. 324, amended.

Section 1. Section 2, act of April 27, 1925 (P. L. 324), entitled "An act for the distribution by the Commonwealth and counties to townships and school districts of moneys received from the United States from Forest Reserves within the Commonwealth," is amended to read:

Disposition of funds by county treasurer.

Section 2. [Upon] *Unless the electors of a township have approved by affirmative vote the alternative basis for distribution of such money as provided in section 3 of this act, upon the receipt of such moneys by the county treasurer, three-fourths thereof shall be set apart for the benefit of the public schools and the remaining one-fourth thereof for the benefit of the public roads of the townships of the county in which any part of said reserve is situated; and the said moneys shall be paid by warrant of the county commissioners to the treasurers of the several school districts and townships in which the forest reserve is situated, in the *proportion that the area of said reserve in the respective school districts or townships bears to the area of the reserve within the county.*

* "proportoin" in original.

Section 2. The act is amended by adding, after section 2, a new section to read:

Section 3. Upon presentation of a petition to the board of supervisors or board of commissioners of a township, signed by at least twenty per centum (20%) of the registered electors of such township, requesting that a question be placed on the ballot to determine whether the electorate of such township desire to have one-half of such moneys set apart for the benefit of the public schools and one-half for the benefit of the public roads of the township in lieu of the basis for distribution provided in section 2 of this act, such board of supervisors or board of commissioners shall, by resolution duly adopted, petition the county board of elections of the county in which the township is situated to have such question submitted to the electors of the township. The county board of elections shall cause such question to be placed on the ballots or on the voting machines and submitted to the electors of the township at the first primary or November election occurring at least sixty days thereafter in the manner provided by the election laws of the Commonwealth. If a majority of the persons voting on such question vote "yes," then one-half of such moneys shall be set apart for public schools and one-half for public roads of such township, but that amount of such money representing the one-fourth increase for the benefit of public roads of such township shall only be expended for highway projects which will be of benefit to public schools. If a majority of the persons voting on the question vote "no," such moneys shall continue to be set apart on the basis provided in section 2 of this act. The same question shall not be voted upon again prior to an election occurring at least five years thereafter.

Act of April 27, 1925, P. L. 324, amended by adding a new section 3.

Petition of electors.

Petition of supervisors.

Question to electors.

Limitation on submission of same question.

APPROVED—The 11th day of September, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 351

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1333), entitled "An act concerning elections, including general, municipal, special and primary elections, the nomination of candidates, primary and election contests; creating and defining membership of county boards of elections; imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth, courts, county boards of elections, county commissioners; imposing penalties for violation of the act, and codifying, revising and consolidating the laws relating thereto; and repealing certain acts and parts