

CHARTER CROSS-REFERENCE

	Current Charter	Proposed Charter
Incorporation and Powers		
Incorporation	1.1	2.1
Rights/obligations	1.2	2.3
Grant of Powers	1.3	2.4
Specific powers	1.4	
Authority of Sub-division	1.5	2.5
Authority for consolidation	1.6	2.6
Officers and Electors		
Election of State/Fed	2.1	3.2
Town elections	2.2	3.3
Minority representation	2.3	3.3.1, 3.3.2, 3.3.4, 4.2.3
Sufficiency	2.5	
Breaking tie	2.6	3.4
Eligibility	2.7	3.5
Vacancies	2.8	3.6
Voting districts	2.9	3.7
RTM		
Membership, powers	3.1	4.1
Representation, reapportion	3.2	4.2
Minority representation	3.3	4.2
Composition, procedures	3.5	4.3
Meetings	3.6	4.4
Power of initiative	3.7	4.5
Power of veto	3.8	4.6
Voting, election districts	3.9	
Town Council		
Membership, qualification	4.1	5.1
Election, duties, terms	4.2	5.2
Meetings, quorum	4.4	5.3
Powers and duties	4.5	5.4, 5.5
Public hearing, ordinances	4.6	5.5
Investigation	4.7	5.6
Relative to admin	4.8	5.7
Town Clerk powers, duties	4.9	6.2
Official bonds	4.10	5.8
Salaries	4.11	5.9

Appointive officers, Boards and Commissions

Town Attorney	5.1	8.2
Town Auditor	5.2	8.3
Zoning Commission	5.3	
Board of Tax Review	5.4	
Retirement Board	5.5	
Zoning Board of Appeals	5.7	
Planning Commission	5.8	
Library Board	5.9	
Parks and Recreation	5.10	
Town Fire Marshall	5.11	
Personnel Appeals Board	5.12	

Town Manager

Appointment and Removal	6.1	7.1
Powers and duties	6.2	7.2
Appointment of officers	6.3	
Appointment Boards	6.4	7.5

Departments

Admin departments	7.1	
Dept of Finance	7.2	
Dept of Public Works	7.3	
Dept of Public Safety	7.4	
Dept of Health	7.5	
Dept of Social Services	7.6	
Dept of Parks and Rec	7.7	
Dept of Library Services	7.8	
Dept of Planning	7.9	

Finance and Taxation

Form of Budget	8.1	9.1
Budget estimates	8.2	9.2
Duties of Manager-budget	8.3	9.2
Duties Council-budget	8.4	9.3
Financial powers RTM	8.5	9.4, 9.6
Emergency appropriations	8.6	9.7
Tax bills	8.7	9.9
Assessment-Collection tax	8.8	9.9
Expenditures/accounting	8.9	9.10
Contributions	8.10	9.11
Annual audit	8.11	9.12
Borrowing	8.12	9.13

The Merit System

Established	9.1
Classified service	9.2
Political activity	9.3
Removal	9.4
Retirement	9.5

Personnel System

10.1 – 10.7
10.8
10.9

Transition and Miscellaneous

Transfer of powers	10.1	11.1
Transfer records/property	10.2	11.2
Legal proceedings	10.3	11.3
Existing laws/ordinances	10.4	11.4
Amendment of charter	10.5	11.5

Adoption of Charter

Approval of charter	11.1	1.2
Effective date	11.2	1.3