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NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOND ELECTION AND NEW REGISTRATION IN THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN, NORTH CAROLINA

A special election will be held between 6:30 A. M., and 6:30 P. M., Eastern Standard Time, on Tuesday, June 25, 1946, at which there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Town of Franklin the following questions:

1. Shall an ordinance passed May 14, 1946 authorizing not exceeding \$70,000 bonds of the Town of Franklin for extending the waterworks system of said Town, by the installation of additional water mains and hydrants, and a tax for said bonds, be approved?

2. Shall an ordinance passed May 14, 1946 authorizing not exceeding \$20,000 bonds of the Town of Franklin for extending the sanitary sewer system of said Town, by the laying of additional sewer lines, and tax for said bonds, be approved?

3. Shall an ordinance passed May 14, 1946 authorizing not exceeding \$30,000 bonds of the Town of Franklin for reconstructing the surface of streets in said Town, and a tax for said bonds, be approved?

Each of the three questions hereinabove set forth contains a statement of the purpose for which the bonds are authorized by the ordinance referred to in such question. If said bonds are issued, a tax will be levied for the payment of the principal and interest thereof on all taxable property in the Town of Franklin.

A new registration has been ordered and no one will be permitted to vote unless registered anew. The books for said new registration shall be open for the registration of voters from 9:00 A. M. until sunset on each day, except Sundays and holidays, beginning Saturday, May 25, 1946, and closing Saturday, June 15, 1946. On each Saturday during said period said books shall remain open at the polling place. Saturday, June 22, 1946, shall be Challenge Day. The polling place and the names of the election officers, subject to change as provided by law, are as follows:

- Polling Place
- Courthouse
- Registrar
- C. A. Setser
- Judges
- Geo. Dalrymple
- John M. Moore

By order of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Franklin.

E. W. LONG,
Town Clerk and Treasurer
M16-2tc-M23

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING \$70,000 WATER BONDS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Franklin:

Section 1. That the Town of Franklin issue its bonds, pursuant to The Municipal Finance Act, 1921, as amended, in an amount not exceeding \$70,000 for the purpose of extending the waterworks system of said Town, by the installation of additional water mains and hydrants.

Section 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds shall be

annually levied and collected.

Section 3. That a statement of the debt of the Town has been filed with the clerk and is open to public inspection.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect when approved by the voters of the Town at an election as provided by said Act.

The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 14th day of May, 1946, and was first published on the 16th day of May, 1946.

Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said ordinance must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication.

E. W. LONG,
Town Clerk and Treasurer.
M16-2tc-M23

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING \$20,000 SANITARY SEWER BONDS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Franklin:

Section 1. That the Town of Franklin issue its bonds, pursuant to The Municipal Finance Act, 1921, as amended, in an amount not exceeding \$20,000 for the purpose of extending the sanitary sewer system of said Town, by the laying of additional sewer lines.

Section 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

Section 3. That a statement of the debt of the Town has been filed with the clerk and is open to public inspection.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect when approved by the voters of the Town at an election as provided by said Act.

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E. W. LONG,
Town Clerk and Treasurer.
M16-2tc-M23

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING \$30,000 STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Franklin:

Section 1. That the Town of Franklin issue its bonds, pursuant to The Municipal Finance Act, 1921, as amended, in an amount not exceeding \$30,000 for the purpose of reconstructing the surface of streets in said Town.

Section 2. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

Section 3. That a statement of the debt of the Town has been filed with the clerk and is open to public inspection.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect when approved by the voters of the Town at an election as provided by said Act.

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To the Citizens of Macon County:



T. D. BRYSON, JR.

As many of you undoubtedly know I am a candidate for Solicitor of this District. Mr. Queen, the present Solicitor, is not a candidate and his term of office will expire this year.

If I am fortunate enough to secure the nomination to which I aspire I pledge myself to prosecute all violations of the law to the best of my skill and ability, however, guaranteeing a fair and impartial trial to each and every defendant.

It is my firm conviction that the Solicitor can effect a large saving of taxpayer's money by presenting each matter to the court as speedily as possible and not keeping matters pending on the docket and holding witnesses over from term to term. This I certainly promise to do. I also feel that the people of each county should have a voice in the management of court affairs and I wholeheartedly invite any person or group of people, in the event I am elected, to feel free to discuss matters of court interest with me at any time it best suits their convenience.

I am the eldest son of former Judge T. D. Bryson who is now professor of law and legal advisor at Duke University. I completed my legal education at the University of North Carolina and have been engaged in the general practice of law since February 1925 and certainly feel that I am thoroughly qualified to fill the office of Solicitor not only by way of education but also experience. I have lived and maintained my office in Franklin for the past seven years and while my family is now living in Bryson City on account of housing conditions, I feel that Macon County is my permanent home.

I earnestly solicit your vote and support in the Democratic Primary, May 25th.

Thad D. Bryson, Jr.

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Democratic Candidate For CONGRESS

Don S. Elias

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Says:

"Without any ill-will toward any candidate, I feel I can make a contribution to the upbuilding of Western North Carolina by supporting the nomination and election of Monroe Redden to Congress and have agreed to act as his district manager.

"Monroe Redden is a seasoned and successful attorney and business man. His demonstrated ability and well known energy and public spirited services to the area and the Democratic party make certain that our interests will be protected and pushed if he is in Congress.



The people of Western North Carolina are entitled to the most competent, energetic and intelligent representation in Congress. I am confident our people have an awakened understanding of the urgency of our needs today and will register their desires by nominating Monroe M. Redden in the Democratic Primary on May 25."

PRIMARY ELECTION MAY 25, 1946

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