

## 2022 SESSION

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### HOUSE BILL NO. 220

Offered January 12, 2022

Prefiled January 10, 2022

*A BILL to amend and reenact § 3.1 of Chapter 128 of the Acts of Assembly of 1989, which provided a charter for the Town of Blackstone in Nottoway County, relating to elections.*

Patrons—Wright and Ware

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns

#### **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

**1. That § 3.1 of Chapter 128 of the Acts of Assembly of 1989 is amended and reenacted as follows:**

§ 3.1. Election, qualification and term of office.

A. The Town of Blackstone shall be governed by a town council of seven members, and a mayor, all of whom shall be qualified voters of the town.

B. The council and mayor in office at the time of the passage of this act, shall continue until the expiration of the terms for which they were elected, or until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

C. The mayor and council shall each be elected for a term of four years and each shall serve until his successor shall have qualified. They shall be elected on the first Tuesday ~~in May, 1990,~~ *following the first Monday in November* immediately preceding the expiration of the terms of their predecessors ~~and every four years thereafter,~~ and shall enter upon their duties on ~~July 1~~ *January 1* succeeding their election.

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