

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1077

Introduced by: Representatives Hunt and Crisp and Senators Everist and Lange

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to clarify voting eligibility and procedures for certain  
2 municipal incorporation elections.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That chapter 9-3 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 In any election for the original incorporation of a municipality around all or a part of the  
7 shoreline of a lake, all owners of land as shown by the records of the county register of deeds  
8 within the proposed incorporated area, whether residents or not, and all resident voters in the  
9 proposed incorporated area, are entitled to vote.

10 Section 2. That chapter 9-3 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
11 follows:

12 The incorporation voting process after election of the inspectors shall be conducted pursuant  
13 to title 12 and shall include the right to vote by absentee ballot.