

Proviso.

236B. Provided, however, that the said Mayor and Aldermen of Frederick shall not expend in any one year for re-grading, recurbing, repaving and sewerage with material other than cobblestones more than the amount received by said Mayor and Aldermen during that year for licenses.

**Authority to
appoint as-
sessors.**

245. The Mayor shall have power at such time as he may think proper to appoint commissioners or assessors to revise, amend, correct, alter and change the assessment of the property of the citizens of the corporation, and to add to or reduce the valuation of the property, real or personal, of the citizens or any portion thereof, and shall, whenever the Mayor and Aldermen by ordinance shall direct, appoint such number of assessors as the ordinance shall prescribe, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, to make a re-valuation of all the real and personal property within the taxable limits of Frederick for the purpose of municipal taxation, and thereupon the taxes hereinafter authorized shall be levied on such new revised or changed valuation, and a right of appeal from such assessment by the commissioners or assessors shall be had to the Board of Aldermen, whose duty it shall be under such terms as may be prescribed by the corporate authorities to examine into the merits of such appeal, and their decision in the premises shall be final, and the assessment so amended and corrected shall be applicable to all taxes authorized under the authority of the corporation but shall not be evidence of valuation for purposes of State or county taxation; and provided further, that no authority is given by this section to impose taxes on any property which is now or may hereafter be exempted from taxation by any special or general Act of the General Assembly of Maryland; and provided further, that the assessment of all stocks, bonds, evidences of debt, etc., shall be made in accordance with the existing General Laws of the State of Maryland relating to revenue and taxes.

**Assessment of
stocks, bonds,
etc.**

**Collection of
taxes.**

246. The Mayor and Aldermen are authorized and empowered to levy and collect all necessary taxes on the real and personal property within the taxable limits of the corporation, to pay all expenses and debts of the corporation and all obligations incurred by the corporation in pursuance of the power conferred by the sub-title of this Article.

**Regulating the
issuance of
licenses.**

257. They shall have power to regulate and provide for the issuing of licenses or permits for all hauling, peddling and vending of marketable commodities, wares and merchandise of every description upon the streets or highways of the city, and to issue licenses or permits to all itinerant peddlers who may go