

weekly insertions therein. Said assessments shall thereupon be open for inspection to all the citizens of the said town, and if any owner of said property so assessed shall feel aggrieved by said assessment he may appeal to the Mayor of said town within fifteen days after the publication of notice herein required, and said Mayor and Councilmen are hereby constituted a final board of appeal and equalization of such assessment, and as such are empowered to make such deductions from, and additions to, the assessment made by the Board of Assessors as may be reasonable and just and for the purpose of equalization, and they may also remit taxes where the same have been illegally imposed. Upon the perfection and final completion of the assessment rolls the Mayor and Council shall levy a tax upon all property embraced therein, not exceeding forty cents per annum per hundred dollars of the valuation thereof, and shall deliver to the treasurer their warrant for the collection thereof, and such tax shall thereupon be collected as herein provided.

Shall levy tax.

14. There shall be appointed annually, in the same manner, and possessing the same qualifications as the Mayor, one or more persons as bailiffs of said town, whose duty it shall be to preserve the peace and good order of the town, and for this purpose the said bailiff or bailiffs are hereby vested with the same power and authority now possessed by constables under the laws of this State; said bailiff or bailiffs shall take the required oath, and enter upon his duties on the second Monday of May in each year.

Bailiffs.  
Duties of

15. The bailiff or bailiffs shall have the same fees for making arrests and serving process for any violation of any ordinance of the Commissioners of Hyattsville or Mayor and Common Council, as are allowed constables for similar services, and such other compensation as the Mayor and Common Council may think proper.

Compensation

16. The Mayor and Councilmen, and all other officers of the corporation, before entering upon the duties of their office, shall take an oath before a Justice of the Peace, within the limits of said corporation, that they will diligently and faithfully, to the best of their judgment and ability, discharge the duties of their office, without favor, partiality or prejudice, and shall file the certificate of the officer before whom the same was taken, among the records of the corporation.

Mayor and  
other officers  
shall make  
oath.

17. The clerk and bailiff or bailiffs shall give bond, payable to the Mayor and Common Council, in such penalty and with such security, as the Mayor and Common Council may

Clerk and  
bailiffs shall  
give bond.