

Sec. 21. *And be it enacted*, That all assessments made under any ordinance passed by said Corporation, shall be chargeable with the taxes levied for the use of the Corporation, and the Mayor and Common Council may provide by ordinance for the increase or abatement of any erroneous assessment.

Abatement of errors.

Sec. 22. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and Common Council may provide by ordinance, for the appointment of one or more Collectors of tax, may prescribe their duties, the character and amount of bond which such Collectors shall give for the faithful performance of their duty; and may provide for the prompt payment of the tax herein authorized to be levied; and to enforce by distress or otherwise the payment of the same as may be fixed by ordinance for the payment thereof.

Appointment of Collectors.

Sec. 23. *And be it enacted*, That they may levy a tax on the property assessed in said city, not exceeding ten cents in every hundred dollars of the assessed value thereof.

Amount of levy.

Sec. 24. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and Common Council shall annually elect by joint ballot, a Register of said city, and shall fix and ascertain his duties and compensation by ordinance.

Register to be elected.

Sec. 25. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor may call upon any officer of the city entrusted with the receipt and expenditure of public money, for a statement of his accounts, as often as he, or the Corporation may conceive it necessary.

Statement of expenditures.

Sec. 26. *And be it enacted*, That he shall see that the ordinances are duly and faithfully executed, and shall report annually to the Corporation during the first five days of their Session, the general state of the city, with an accurate account of the money received and expended.

Shall annually report.

Sec. 27. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and City Council, shall by ordinance appoint the local Constable of the Second Election District of Howard county, and the First Election District of Baltimore county, as the police of said city, and that they shall have the further power to appoint such other independent police as they shall deem proper, not exceeding three, and all the said police-

Appointment of Police.