

1900, ch. 120, sec. 26.

52. The Commissioners shall have the power to establish regulations for the prevention and extinguishment of fires; to appoint firemen, and organize and equip fire companies, and to fix the penalties for the violation of any fire regulation, and to fix the compensation of firemen.

1900, ch. 120, sec. 27.

53. The Commissioners shall have the power to pass ordinances to preserve the health of the said town, and to prevent and remove nuisances; to prevent the introduction of contagious diseases within the said town, and within two miles of the same, and may regulate the places for manufacturing soap and candles, the erection of slaughter-houses, tanneries, zanning factories and distilleries, and whatever other offensive trade is carried on. That whenever any nuisance dangerous to the health shall exist in any street or alley of the said town, and it shall be found necessary in order to remove the same to have such street or alley paved, they may order the same paved, and assess the amount expended in paving the same, and the expenses of collection, upon the property fronting thereon, in proportion to the frontage of said property, or may collect the same by suit against the owner, and the cost of such pavement, and the collection thereof, shall become a lien upon the property chargeable therewith.

1900, ch. 120, sec. 28.

54. The said Commissioners may erect and establish a jail, houses of correction, hospitals or pest houses outside of said town, and pass ordinances regulating and governing the same, and may acquire property necessary for the said purposes.

1900, ch. 120, sec. 29.

55. The Commissioners may grant to and there is hereby conferred upon the Chesapeake Beach Railway Company the right to construct, or cause to be constructed, street railways along any street or streets in said town of Chesapeake Beach, and any approach thereto, and to make and pass such ordinances as may be necessary, governing the construction of such street railway tracks, and the running of cars thereon by electricity or other power; and may permit and direct such alteration in the grade of any street as may be necessary for the more convenient and useful construction of such railways, and the proper conduct of the same, in so far as the same may relate to the public, and shall fix the fare for a single trip in any one direction not to exceed five cents per person.

1900, ch. 120, sec. 30.

56. The Commissioners may grant to and there is hereby conferred upon the Chesapeake Beach Railway Company the right to construct, or cause to be constructed, within the limits of Chesapeake Beach, a driving park and race-track, and said Commissioners may enact such ordinances as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the same.