

may be, the first installment thereof to become due and payable the first day of July next succeeding the making of such special assessment as herein elsewhere provided, and to be collected as county taxes in said county are collected and shall be subject to interest from said first of July until paid at the rate of six per cent per annum. Each annual installment shall become a lien against said abutting property, and any such installment not paid by the first of January following its becoming due shall be subject to the same penalties and shall be collected in the same manner as provided for the collection of unpaid taxes in the said county. All taxes assessed as provided in this section shall be paid over by the treasurer of said county to the Treasurer of the village of Alta Vista, who shall devote such funds to the exclusive purpose of paying for the special improvements herein provided for or any indebtedness which may be incurred therefor.

1922, ch. 169, sec. 7.

7. For the purpose of making the improvements provided in Section 6 of this subtitle, or for making improvements from time to time other than maintenance and repairs, the said Citizens' Committee are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow money at the legal rate of interest and otherwise contract indebtedness and obligate said village of Alta Vista in an initial amount not exceeding ten per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property, and in subsequent amount not exceeding in total in any calendar year two per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property within said village of Alta Vista, and for these purposes said village of Alta Vista shall be and hereby is constituted a corporation and the said Citizens' Committee is empowered to act for said corporation. And be it further provided, that should there be default on bonds or other indebtedness incurred by the Citizens' Committee of the said village of Alta Vista for the said village, it shall be the duty of the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County to levy or have levied special general taxes against the real property of said village of Alta Vista to the extent only that such default bonds or incurred indebtedness shall be liquidated.

1922, ch. 169, sec. 8.

8. Said Alta Vista Citizens' Committee shall not expend for material or work in connection with any one undertaking a sum exceeding three hundred (300) dollars without first having advertised for not less than once a week for three weeks in a newspaper published in the City of Washington and likewise in a Montgomery County newspaper the specifications therefor and inviting bids for the same, after which said committee may purchase such material or make contract for such work, or have such work done by employing labor, or otherwise, as it may deem best; Provided that in no event shall more than five hundred (500) dollars be expended on any one project without the consent in writing of two-thirds of the residents of said village of Alta Vista.