

properly before them. Any party affected by the final decision of said Northwest Park Citizens' Committee, made after such hearing, shall have the right of appeal therefrom within ten days to the Circuit Court for Montgomery County; and, provided further, that upon the petition of two-thirds of the resident property owners residing upon any streets, roads, or lanes, for the grading, paving, macadamizing, or other improvements of such streets, roads or lanes, under the provisions of this section, it shall be the duty of the said Northwest Park Citizens' Committee to make the assessments against the property owners to provide the funds for the necessary work of construction to be done, in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore set forth. Any tax so assessed as above provided in this section shall be payable to the County Treasurer as follows: in four equal annual installments, the first installment thereof to become due and payable within six months after the levy of said special tax as provided above, and each of the other said installments within one year after the preceding one shall have become due, each installment of said tax shall become a lien against said property owners and shall bear interest from the date of levy thereof at the rate of six per centum per annum until paid; or said tax may be paid in full without interest during the first installment period, and if any of said installments thereof be not paid within sixty days after the same shall have become due, the entire amount of said tax assessed to the person or persons, or corporations in default, with interest, shall thereupon become due and payable, and may be collected in the same manner provided in the Act for the collection of unpaid taxes. And all moneys so received by said county treasurer, shall, upon order of said Board of County Commissioners, be paid over to said treasurer of said village of Northwest Park, and the said Northwest Park Citizens' Committee shall apply said moneys to the purpose for which assessed.

1918, ch. 178, sec. 6.

**659.** For the purposes of making the improvements provided for in Section 658 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 and otherwise contract indebtedness and obligate said Northwest Park village in amounts not exceeding in total at any time ten per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property within said village of Northwest Park.

1918, ch. 178, sec. 7.

**660.** Any member of the said Northwest Park Citizens' Committee may be removed by the Board of County Commissioners upon the charge of malfeasance or misfeasance in office, preferred in writing by a member of said committee, or by petition of two-thirds of the qualified voters participating at the last preceding election, after due notice of said charge and opportunity has been given in defense thereof, and a hearing to be fixed therefor. The said Treasurer and other officers of said village of Northwest Park shall hold their offices or positions at the pleasure of said Northwest Park Citizens' Committee or in conformity with contracts