

SEC. 7 *And be it further enacted*, That before the said company shall be authorized to exercise within the limits of the city of Baltimore any of the powers hereby granted it shall be necessary for it first to obtain from the mayor and city council of Baltimore an ordinance prescribing the mode, terms and conditions of the location, building and construction of said railroad within the limits of said city.

Within the
limits of
Baltimore.

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That unless within five years from the date of the passage of this act the said company shall exercise the powers hereby granted by the location and construction of a road, depot, station, yard, dock, wharf or other terminal facility provided for in this act, then this act shall be null and void.

Limits of
this act.

SEC. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Effective.

Approved April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 534.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the mayor and common council of the city of Westminster to purchase water works for said city.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the mayor and common council of Westminster are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase the water works, plant, property, real and personal, easements, rights and privileges of the Westminster Water Company, and all or so much of the capital stock or bonds of said company as may be necessary for the entire and full management and control of all such property, rights and privileges of said water company at such price and upon such terms and conditions as said mayor and common council shall agree upon with said water company.

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SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That before any such purchase or contract shall be binding upon said city of Westminster, the said mayor and common council shall cause to be published in all newspapers printed in Westminster a plain statement of the cost and price of all such property, rights and privileges of said water company, and the times and conditions of the contract and agreement upon which it is proposed to purchase said property, and shall by ordinance direct that the sense of the qualified voters of said city of Westminster, an election to be held in Westminster, at some certain time and place to be named in said ordinance not

To submit
to vote.