

or pledge the faith and credit of said city for any sum exceeding five thousand dollars without first submitting the question to the voters of said city after twenty days' public notice, and the majority of the legal voters voting on said question assenting thereto; to erect and repair bridges within the corporation limits; to pass ordinances to levy and collect taxes on dogs and bitches, and to restrain them from going at large; to prevent swine, geese, goats, horses, mules, cows, calves or cattle of any kind whatsoever from going at large, and to restrain and suppress the keeping of any hog-pen within certain portions of said city; they may regulate and define the location of slaughter-houses and smoke-houses where large numbers of fish are smoked; they may pass ordinances regulating the speed of railroad trains through the limits of the said city; they may pass ordinances to prevent any immoderate riding or driving through the streets in any carriage, stage, cart or other vehicle, or on horseback, so as to endanger the lives, limbs or property of citizens of said city, or disturb the quiet enjoyment of the streets and thoroughfares; they shall pass ordinances to prevent disorderly conduct and drunkenness in said city; to prevent and disperse the congregation of disorderly persons upon street corners and in the vicinity of places of worship; they shall have the power to purchase such engines (or whatever convenience may be deemed best), for extinguishing fires and protecting the property of the inhabitants from injury by fire; they shall have power to pass all ordinances necessary to define the duties of the officers of said corporation; to require bonds and fix the penalties thereof for the faithful performance of their respective duties; and to pass all ordinances for conducting the election herein directed, and for making the returns thereof; and they shall have power to enforce their ordinances by fines and penalties.

Erect and repair bridges

Enforce by fines and penalties

SEC. 17. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and City Council shall have power and authority to construct wharves at the end of such streets as extend into the river; shall have power to rent or lease the same, and determine upon and regulate all matters to the erecting or building said wharves; to regulate

Construct wharves.