

sideration, making whatever amendments thereto deemed advisable by the Town Council, said budget shall be adopted before levying taxes for said ensuing year.

50. (Settlement of Claims.) The Mayor and Town Council is hereby empowered to settle, in its discretion, claims and suits, at law and in equity, whether based on a suit or not, whenever it arises out of negligence or wrongful act, of commission or omission, if not done in performing a governmental function.

51. (Place of Imprisonment.) The Town of Bladensburg shall have the free use of all places of detention or confinement under the jurisdiction of the County Commissioners.

52. (Distribution of Public Monies.) The County Commissioners and all other public authorities shall pay to the Town of Bladensburg its share or proportion of public monies a part of which may be paid to any other municipality in Prince George's County.

53. (Alcoholic Beverage Licenses.) The Town Council may, at its discretion, require a license for the sale of alcoholic beverages within the town provided said license fee does not exceed twenty percent of the licenses fixed for county purposes and provided further that the manner of payment and the method of enforcing payment shall be provided for by ordinance adopted by said Town Council.

54. (Prosecution of Violators.) The violation of any of the provisions of this sub-title or of any ordinance passed pursuant thereto, shall be by prosecution before any police trial magistrate of Prince George's County, and any fine or penalty recovered before said police trial magistrate for a violation of any of the provisions of this sub-title, or any ordinance passed pursuant thereto shall be paid to the Treasurer of said town by the magistrate or County Commissioners. The police of said town shall be entitled to lodge any person under arrest, until trial, in any place of confinement provided by the County Commissioners of said County for county prisoners.

55. (Vacancies.) If any vacancy shall occur by the death, resignation, removal from town or refusal to act of any elected officer of the Town of Bladensburg, or if any person elected as an officer or councilman of the town shall be disqualified from any cause, the remaining members of the Town Council and the Mayor, if not disqualified, shall elect a quali-