

other money due the town, and shall disburse the same on the order of the Council. The Council shall require of the Treasurer a bond to be by them fixed and determined for the faithful discharge of his duties as such Treasurer, and for his failure or neglect to faithfully discharge his duties as Treasurer he may be removed from office on a two-thirds vote of the Council, and in such case the Council shall elect from said electors a treasurer to serve for the remainder of the term of the one removed. The Treasurer shall, annually and at such times as he may be required by the Mayor and Council, furnish a detailed statement of the condition of the Treasury.

196. There shall be appointed annually by the Council one person as Chief of Police and such other persons as may be necessary, from time to time, as policemen of said town, whose duties it shall be to preserve the peace and good order of the town, to arrest without warrant and to take before the Mayor of said town or a Justice of the Peace any person found violating any ordinance, resolution or regulation of the town or any law of this State; or upon warrant issued on complaint of others to arrest any person charged with violation of any ordinance, resolution or regulation of the town or any law of this State and to take them before the Mayor or a Justice of the Peace to be dealt with according to law, and whenever necessary to incarcerate an offender in such place as is provided by the said Council, until a speedy trial can be had; and for those purposes the said policemen are hereby vested with the same powers as are now possessed by constables under the laws of the State. The said policemen shall perform such other duties as the Council may direct. The compensation of the said policemen shall be fixed by the Council. The Council shall, if and when in its judgment the same is desirable, retain an attorney or attorneys to represent the town.

197. The Council shall after advertising for public bids, contract with any person or corporation to act as a scavenger, to collect, remove and/or dispose of all rubbish, garbage, and objectionable matter in said town and prescribe the manner and terms upon which such work shall be done. The Council may defray either in whole or in part the cost of such service by levying and collecting a special tax against each dwelling or place of business in said town, said tax to be graduated and commensurate with the service rendered.