

Election. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the male citizens of the age of twenty-one years and upwards residing in the town of Stevensville, in Queen Anne's county, or male citizens holding real property therein shall, on the second Monday of April annually, at some convenient place in said town, elect by ballot three persons residing in said town as Commissioners of Stevensville.

Vacancy. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That if any vacancy shall happen in the office of Commissioners by death, resignation, removal or otherwise, the remaining Commissioners shall cause an election to be held to supply the same, and ten days' previous notice shall be given of such election.

Bound. SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners may mark and bound the limits of said town to any extent to which the property of the inhabitants may extend, and may enact such by-laws or ordinances, not contrary to law, as they may deem proper for the preservation of order, expedient for the health of the town and its inhabitants, the prevention or removal of nuisances, and suppression of vice and immorality in the said town; and such by-laws shall be recorded in a book, subject to the inspection of the inhabitants of said town at all times.

Meetings. SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the Commissioners may meet, from time to time, as often as occasion may require, and not less than once in every three months.

Levy tax and appoint collector. SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the said Commissioners may lay an equal tax on all the property within said town, to such amount from time to time as may be necessary for the purpose of the corporation, and may appoint a collector to collect the same, and prescribe his term of office, responsibility, and compensation; and the said collector shall have the