

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Mayor and Council of Mount Airy shall have power by ordinance to regulate and provide for the issuing of licenses or permits for all hauling, peddling and vending of marketable commodities, wares and merchandise of every description upon the streets or highways of the town, and to issue licenses or permits to all itinerant peddlers who may go from house to house to vend or sell any wares or merchandise; to regulate and provide for the issuing of licenses to all traveling persons who dispense medicines or medical advice and secret or patented inventions or remedies, and shall have the power to fix the price or fees for such licenses, respectively, and to provide for the collection of the same.

Regulate the
issuing of
licenses, etc.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That said Mayor and Council of Mount Airy shall also have power by ordinance to establish night watches and patrols and erect and maintain lamps to light the streets, roads and alleys of said town; to restrain and prohibit gaming; to prevent drunkenness, brawling and fighting, and to suppress and remove all nuisances affecting or liable to affect the peace, quiet or health of the town.

Authority to
establish
night
watches, etc.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That said Mayor and Council shall also have power by ordinance to make reasonable regulations in regard to buildings to be erected in said town and grant building permits for the same; to establish five districts in said town and regulate the kind of materials used in the erection of buildings within such districts, with special reference to the prevention and suppression of fires; to regulate the burning of brush, boxes, shavings and other refuse matter in the streets, alleys, yards and gardens of said town, for the purpose of preventing fires; to establish and regulate a station house or lockup for the temporary confinement of the violators of the laws and ordinances of the town, and for the suppression of vagrancy.

General
powers
granted.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted,* That for the purpose of carrying out the powers granted by this Act, and to preserve the cleanliness, health, peace and good order of said town and the community, the said Mayor and Council may impose such fines, not exceeding twenty dollars in any one case, for each violation of any ordinance or any section of any ordinance passed under the provisions of this Act or by authority thereof, and in default of payment of any fine imposed

Fines
imposed for
violation of
ordinance.