

under the same law, rules and regulations as an election for Commissioners for the said town of Hyattsville, and the ballot shall have printed on them the words, "For the issue of water bonds," if the ballot to be cast be for the issue, and "Against the issue of water bonds" if the ballots to be cast be against the issue. The returns of said election shall be made in the same manner as is provided for in the election of Town Commissioners, and if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the issue of water bonds, then and in that case no bonds shall be issued; but if the majority of votes cast shall be for the issue of water bonds, the Improvement Commissioners of water works and sewerage hereinafter provided may issue said bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars, as hereinafter provided.

Manner of holding elections.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That for the purpose of constructing and establishing water works to provide water for the residents of the town of Hyattsville, and protection of property in said town from fire, and for the construction of sewers for said town, an Improvement Commission be and is hereby created and constituted, composed of Michael V. Tierney, as the president of the Board of Town Commissioners of Hyattsville, and Clarence Wilson, as one other Town Commissioner, and the following named residents of Hyattsville, viz: Francis H. Smith, Charles A. Wells, Richard E. White, Roger Bellis and Levin H. Campbell; and in case of a vacancy on said Improvement Commission the same shall be filled by a selection from among the residents of Hyattsville, by a majority of the remaining members of said Improvement Commission; provided, always, that the president, as such, of the Board of town Commissioners of Hyattsville, and one other Town Commissioner, shall be members of said Improvement Commission. The said Improvement Commission shall chose, from among its members, a president and a secretary for said Commission. Four members of said Commission shall constitute a quorum to do business, the members of said Commission shall serve without pay; and the powers of the said Improvement Commission shall terminate upon the completion of the water works, and delivery over of the same by the said Commission to the Town Commissioners of Hyattsville.

Improvement commission created.

Quorum.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That the said Improvement Commission be and it is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to borrow money on the credit of the town of Hyattsville to an amount not exceeding the sum of twenty-five thou-

Authorized to borrow money.