

the Mayor and Council, and signed by the Mayor, in a book kept by him for that purpose, and the books of said corporation shall be open for inspection by any taxpayer at all times, and copies of all ordinances shall be put up in the public places of said town.

188. The council shall have power to pass all ordinances not unconstitutional with the existing laws of the State, as they may deem necessary for the good government of the town, for the preservation of peace and good order, and securing persons and property from violence, danger and destruction; for the removal of nuisances, no matter from what source proceeding, and all obstructions from the streets, lanes and alleys, and from any lot adjoining thereto within the limits of the town; for the removal of any dangerous house or buildings; for the paving, grading, repairing, drainage, leveling, surveying, laying out, extending, widening, opening, closing, straightening, re-locating, improving, or repairing any street, sidewalk or alley in said town; and may condemn or purchase the right of way of any street or alley which they may determine should be opened for the public good; for the preservation of property, rights and privileges; for the regulation of sales of the streets, alleys or public places in said town; for the weighing of hay, coal and other property; for the suppression of vice and immorality; for the suppression of concealed weapons; for the suppression of the practice of discharging firearms, fire-crackers, torpedoes or other explosives; for regulating the handling and storing of all kinds of explosives, for the prevention of gambling; for licensing of theatricals or other public amusements; to suppress tramps; for lighting the streets; for preventing swine, cattle, dogs or other animals from running at large on the streets; for imposing a tax on dogs; for locating of hog pens, privies and stables; and the Mayor and Town Council shall have power and full authority to pass all such ordinances as may be necessary to carry out and give full force and effect to the powers conferred upon said corporation by law; and be it further enacted, that the Mayor and Town Council shall have the right to provide for the organization, equipment and government of fire companies and to permit said fire companies to organize as a body, and to provide within itself all rules and regulation of its members and property appertaining thereto, subject to the general supervision of the said Mayor and Town Council.

Power of the council.

189. The Mayor and Town Council shall have power to levy a tax on dogs, not to exceed one dollar for any one dog, and

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