

county, as authorized by law; for the removal of nuisances, for the removal of obstructions from streets, lanes and alleys; for the establishment of building lines and building regulations; for prohibiting the carrying of concealed weapons, for prohibiting the discharge of firearms, firecrackers, torpedoes and other explosives; for preventing swine, cattle, fowls, dogs or other animals from running at large on the streets; for licensing, taxing and regulating all useful trades and occupations and all amusements and theatrical exhibitions; for the purpose of raising revenue to meet current expenses of the town, as well as for the purpose of the proper protection of the health, good order and peace of the town; for the suppression of gambling, vice and immorality; for apprehending and punishing of all tramps and vagrants; for protecting the purity of the water supply of the town of Hyattsville, whether offenses against the same shall be committed within the town limits or beyond, and for regulating the use of town water, and, if necessary, cutting off all persons who abuse the right to use the same; it may pass all ordinances necessary from time to time to carry out and enforce the foregoing provisions, and to give full force and effect to the powers and authority conferred on said corporation, and may enforce such ordinances by reasonable fines and penalties, not exceeding twenty-five dollars in any one case, as may appear to them right; it may recover said fine or penalty by an action of debt, and in addition thereto, may imprison the offender until the fine be paid, not exceeding thirty days, imprisonment to be in the town lock-up, if one be provided, or in the county jail, and the sheriff of Prince George's county shall receive and confine any person so committed.

SEC. 14. *And be it enacted,* That the Mayor and Common Council may pass such ordinances as it may deem necessary for the preservation of the health of the town, and remove all nuisances from, and prohibit all business within the corporate limits thereof, as shall in its opinion injuriously affect the sanitary condition thereof.

SEC. 15. The Mayor and Common Council shall have authority to extend the water mains and sewers as the interest of the town, from time to time in its opinion demand assessing upon the land abutting such extensions the cost thereof, which assessment shall be a lien upon such abutting property, to be assessed at such time as the Mayor and Common Council may determine, and to be collected from the owners of said abutting property by said Council as taxes due the corporation of Hyattsville are collected, and the Mayor and Common Council to have power to make all necessary regulations as to the notice of such assessments to the property owners.