

county, as said charter was re-enacted by Chapter 495 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session of 1898, and the several Acts amendatory thereof, be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said charter certain sections, to be known as Sections 35 and 36, and to read as follows:

SEC. 35. The Mayor and Council of Brunswick are hereby authorized and empowered whenever, in their judgment, the public interests or convenience require it, to provide by ordinance for the grading, paving, curbing and sewerage, or for the grading, or paving, or curbing, or sewerage, and for the regrading, repaving, recurbing and resewerage, or for the regrading, or repaving, or recurbing, or resewerage or repaving in such manner, at such time and with such material as they shall see fit, of any street or streets, lane or lanes, alley or alleys, or any portion thereof, in the town of Brunswick, now condemned, ceded, opened as a public highway, or which may be hereafter condemned, ceded, opened, widened, straightened or altered according to the laws and ordinances relating to the same; and also for assessing the cost of any such work in whole or in part upon the property binding upon such street or streets, lane or lanes, alley or alleys, or part thereof, according to such rule or basis as they may determine, and for collecting said assessment as other town taxes are collected, or in such manner as may be prescribed by ordinance of the Mayor and Council of Brunswick, either before or after the work shall have been done; provided, that before the passage by the Mayor and Council of Brunswick of any ordinance requiring the whole or any portion of the costs to be assessed upon the property, ten days' notice shall be given by the Mayor in some newspaper published in said town, notifying all persons interested to appear, and giving them the opportunity to be heard before the Council at such time as shall be provided in said notice; and the Mayor and Council of Brunswick are hereby authorized and empowered to provide by ordinance for the appointment of a committee of the Council, or such other person or persons as they shall appoint, not exceeding three, who shall act as commissioner or commissioners, to determine the amount of assessment to be made upon any such property under the provisions contained in this Act; and the ordinance or ordinances passed in pursuance hereof, and after the commissioner or commissioners so appointed shall have completed their apportionment of the expenses to be assessed on the property binding on any street or streets, lane or lanes, alley or alleys, or portions thereof, they shall give notice by advertisement inserted once a week for two successive weeks, in some newspaper published in said town, notifying all persons