

two hundred dollars, the Mayor and Common Council shall invite proposals for said work by advertisement published at least once a week for two successive weeks at least two weeks prior to the date when proposals are to be submitted, in some newspaper published in Prince George's County, and the contract for such work shall in all cases be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder therefor, the Mayor and Common Council, however, reserving in all such cases the rights at all times to reject any or all bids so received or submitted. The said successful bidder shall give bond with surety which shall be acceptable to the Mayor and Common Council.

47. The Mayor and Common Council shall have the power to provide by ordinance suitable punishment for any one who makes, sells, offers for sale, or keeps for sale any intoxicating liquor of any kind within the limits of the town of Capitol Heights, and to provide for the punishment of the offender upon conviction before a Justice of the Peace of the town by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50), or imprisonment in the Maryland House of Correction not exceeding three months.

48. Power is deputed to the citizens of the town of Capitol Heights, qualified voters under Sections 4 and 5 hereof, to amend this charter, subject to the Constitution and General Laws of the State and Public Local Laws of Prince George's County, other than this Act, as follows: Whenever twenty-five per cent. of the voters, as shown by the highest number of votes cast at the preceding town election for Mayor and Treasurer, shall sign and file with the Mayor and Common Council a petition setting forth in exact language the amendment or amendments proposed by them, it shall be the duty of the Mayor and Common Council to cause the same to be published at least four weeks in some newspaper published in Prince George's County, and in notices posted in public places, as the Mayor and Common Council may direct; thereafter to issue a call for a special election thereon not less than one week after the completion of such publication; provided, that if the submissions thereof shall not be delayed more than two months, such amendments may be submitted at the regular term election. It shall be the duty of the Mayor and Common Council to pass such ordinances as may be necessary to regulate the conduct of the election. All ballots at such elections shall have printed thereon the words, "For Amendments to the Town Charter providing for * * *" and "Against Amendments providing for * * *," filling the blank suitable, and if it shall