

violators of the law and ordinances of said city, and to provide for the organization, equipment and government of a Fire Department.

They shall have power to regulate the construction, adding to or repairing of buildings or other structures, specifying the materials of which the same shall be built, and to grant permits for the construction, adding to and repairing of said buildings and structures, and to require a reasonable fee for issuing such permits.

They shall also have power to license, regulate or prohibit the construction, maintenance or operation of gasoline tanks and stations upon or under the public streets or sidewalks, specifying the way and manner in which said tanks and stations shall be installed, and they may require the owner of the property upon whose sidewalk or street said tank or station is now or hereafter constructed, to pay an annual license fee for the use of said sidewalk or street for said purpose, and they may require as a condition precedent to said license that said property owner will indemnify, protect and save harmless said city from any damages incurred to person or property by reason of the negligent construction or operation of said tank or its equipment, with power to said city to revoke said license upon reasonable notice when, in its discretion, it is necessary or expedient so to do; with the further power to said city to revoke any and all permits for gasoline tanks or stations upon or under streets or the sidewalks of the city as heretofore granted, and to issue new permits therefor in accordance with these provisions if in the opinion of the said Mayor and Councilmen it is expedient or wise to grant the same.

And the Mayor and Councilmen shall have power to regulate or prevent the storage of gunpowder, tar, pitch, resin, coal oil, benzine, turpentine, hemp, cotton, nitroglycerine, dynamite, giant powder, petroleum, gasoline, or gas, or any product thereof, or any other explosives or combustible material, or any material which may seem to be dangerous, within said city limits and for one-half mile beyond the same.

Said Mayor and Councilmen shall also have power to extend the water mains of said city beyond the corporate limits, and sell water to persons beyond said limits, with the right and privilege reserved to said city to lessen or abate altogether the supply of water beyond the said city limits whenever in their judgment it shall be necessary or expedient so to do.