

and execute them under and by virtue of the law and the ordinances to the best of their ability. The Mayor may, whenever he may deem it to the best interest of the city, suspend any police officer or street supervisor, without pay, for a period not exceeding one month. He shall report to the Council his action, and if he deems it advisable and for the best interests of the city he may prefer charges against said officers or any of them to the Council, who shall compel answer by the person charged and try the same. The Mayor shall receive for his services a salary of five hundred dollars per annum, payable semi-annually.

66. The Mayor and City Council shall meet on the second Wednesday following their election, and shall thereafter hold regular meetings on the second Wednesday in each month, and may adjourn from time to time as they may appoint, and called meetings may be called in writing by the Mayor (or by majority of the Council, as often as may be deemed necessary for the transaction of business). A majority of the Councilmen shall be a quorum for the transaction of any business, a majority of those present constituting a quorum to decide any question. The Councilmen shall each receive a salary of two hundred dollars per annum, payable semi-annually. The Council may elect a permanent president pro tem.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1924.

Approved April 9, 1924.

CHAPTER 186.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 20 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title, "Somerset County," sub-title, "Justices of the Peace and Constables," said new section to be known as Section 135A, and to follow immediately after Section 135 of said Article, providing for the removal of trial cases from one Justice of the Peace to another Justice of the Peace.

(Vetoed.)