

CHAPTER 521.

(House Bill 418)

AN ACT to add one new section to Chapter 200 of the Acts of 1931, incorporating the town of Cheverly, said section to be known as Section 8-A, to follow immediately after Section 8 of said Chapter, authorizing the Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly to levy and collect a special assessment and to pass ordinances to provide for a trash and garbage collection and disposal service, and providing for the submission of this Act to the vote of the residents of Cheverly under certain circumstances for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new section be and it is hereby added to Chapter 200 of the Acts of 1931, incorporating the town of Cheverly, said section to be known as Section 8A, to follow immediately after Section 8 of said Chapter, and to read as follows:

8A. The Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly, a municipal corporation, is hereby authorized and empowered to levy and collect annually a special assessment of not to exceed twenty cents on each one hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of all real property in the town, appearing on the books of the town treasurer; the money derived from such special assessment to be used exclusively for the establishment and maintenance of a garbage and/or trash collection and disposal service within the corporate limits of said town, said garbage and/or ash and/or trash collection and disposal service to be established and maintained by said Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly, Maryland, either as a municipal operation or by contract with such person, firm or corporation as may be satisfactory to the said Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly and the said Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly, Maryland, are hereby authorized and empowered to pass such ordinances which they may deem necessary from time to time in order to provide for the proper collection and disposal of said garbage, ashes and trash and to prescribe such penalties for the violation thereof as they may now prescribe for the violation of town ordinances under the authority heretofore granted.

Under no circumstances shall the tax authorized in this section be levied, or the purposes of this section made operative until and unless in the sole discretion of the Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly such action is deemed expedient and necessary by the Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly.

SEC. 2. The powers granted to the said Mayor and Town Council of Cheverly under Section 1 of this Act shall not be-