

(\$100,000.00) for the purpose of constructing and equipping a fire engine house, acquiring a site, and purchasing a fire truck and equipment, to provide for the repayment of said bonds and the interest thereon by a general tax levy against all of the taxable property within the corporate limits of said City, to provide for the manner of expenditure of the proceeds of said bonds, and to provide for the submission of this Act to the qualified voters of the City of Hyattsville for adoption or rejection by a referendum thereon.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Mayor and City Council of Hyattsville, a municipal corporation in Prince George's County, Maryland, be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to issue general obligation bonds of said City of Hyattsville in an amount not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) to be issued and sold, in whole or in part, at such time or times as said Mayor and City Council shall determine. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent (4%) per annum payable semi-annually, shall mature serially over a period of ten (10) years from the date of issue, the amount of maturities each year to be fixed by said Mayor and City Council. Said bonds shall be the general obligations of the City of Hyattsville, exempt from State, County and Municipal taxation within the State of Maryland, and shall be in such form as may be adopted or prescribed by said Mayor and City Council. The said Mayor and City Council of Hyattsville shall levy annually at the time taxes are levied for general City purposes, a tax upon all of the property assessed for City tax purposes within the corporate limits of the City of Hyattsville in an amount sufficient to pay the principal and interest on said bonds when due so long as any of them shall be outstanding. The Mayor and City Council of Hyattsville shall offer said bonds, or any issue thereof, for sale to the highest bidder, and sealed bids for the same shall be delivered at a place and time mentioned and described in one or more advertisements inserted in at least two newspapers of general circulation in Prince George's County. The Mayor and City Council of Hyattsville may adopt such rules and regulations relating to said bonds and the offering thereof as they deem advisable.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the proceeds realized from the sale of said bonds shall be expended for the purpose of constructing a fire engine house within the corporate limits of the City of Hyattsville at a location determined by said Mayor and City Council, including necessary archi-