

Mayor and Town Council may levy sufficient funds to meet the anticipated expenses of the town until the next year's tax money is available. Such taxes shall be due and payable on the first day of April and shall be in default after the first day of October of each year and shall thereafter bear interest at the rate of 1% per month until paid, which taxes shall be a first lien on the property assessed.

SEC. 26. The Mayor and Town Council shall not expend or contract to expend in any one fiscal year more money than the amount receivable from taxes and other sources during the year, including surplus revenue from preceding years, except that it may by ordinance passed by unanimous vote, authorize the issuance of notes or other evidences of indebtedness in anticipation of the collection of taxes of the current year or of special assessments for current expenses only. Such notes or other evidences of indebtedness shall mature within thirty days after such taxes become collectible. The total issue of said notes shall not exceed the total current taxes anticipated for that year.

SEC. 27. Any taxes and/or instalments of special assessments which shall not be paid within the time provided by law, shall be certified by the Town Treasurer to the County Tax Collector and collected, or the property against which the same are levied, shall be sold in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 761 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the 1943 Session, and amendments thereto from time to time.

SEC. 28. In all cases where any municipal work of whatever character is to be done within the corporate limits of Forest Heights, the estimated cost of which shall exceed Two Hundred Dollars, the Mayor and Town Council shall exercise reasonable diligence to obtain two or more bona fide bids to do said work, and shall in all cases award the contract for such work to the lowest responsible bidder therefor, reserving at all times the right to reject any and all bids received for cause, in the opinion of Mayor and Town Council.

SEC. 29. The Mayor and Town Council may, by ordinance, provide for the codification of all ordinances which have been or may be passed by it, and for the printing of such codification thereof, and the printed ordinances so issued by the authority of the Mayor and Town Council may be read in evidence from the printed codification.

SEC. 30. A copy of any ordinance or record of the Mayor and Town Council of Forest Heights, certified by its clerk,