

administer authority and carry out the duties herein created to the corporate area.

“Secretary-Treasurer” shall mean the Secretary-Treasurer of Chevy Chase—Section 4 as hereinafter created.

“County” shall mean Montgomery County, Maryland.

“County Council” shall mean the County Council of Montgomery County, Maryland or any succeeding governing body of Montgomery County.

“Director of Finance” shall mean the Director of Finance or the Director of the Department of Finance of Montgomery County, Maryland or any officer succeeding to the functions and duties of said office.

98. (a) There is hereby established a Citizens Committee for Chevy Chase—Section 4 to administer the affairs, to fulfill the obligations and to carry out the responsibilities of the community, all as provided in this Act. The Committee shall consist of five members. Members of the Committee shall be resident registered qualified voters, being owners of any interest, joint or several, in real property in Chevy Chase—Section 4 and shall be elected for such terms as hereinafter provided.

(b) The Committee shall elect one from among its membership to be Chairman, whose special duties shall be to preside at meetings of the Committee and to countersign checks properly issued by the Secretary-Treasurer, who shall also be elected by the Committee from among its membership. The Committee shall meet not less than once each month at times and places of its choosing to transact such business as may properly come before it, and the Secretary-Treasurer shall keep accurate minutes of all such meetings. Three members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; provided, however, that all actions involving the election of a Chairman and/or Secretary-Treasurer, the certifying of tax rates, expenditure of community funds, except for the payment of current bills or the levying of special assessments on property for assessable improvements shall require the affirmative vote of at least three members of the Committee.

(c) The Secretary-Treasurer shall be the custodian of all records, correspondence and other documents and property of Chevy Chase—Section 4. He shall prepare, sign and issue correspondence of official matters as directed by the Committee, and otherwise perform the usual duties of a Secretary. He shall be the custodian of all funds which are received to the credit of Chevy Chase—Section 4 and shall deposit all such funds in such banks as may be approved by the Com-