

other expenses incident thereto, either within or outside the corporate limits of the City of Cumberland, but for no other purpose or purposes whatsoever.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That the Mayor and City Council shall charge and collect for the disposing of sewage to the residents of the City of Cumberland and vicinity, a sum sufficient to pay the expenses heretofore and hereafter necessary for the ~~operating of~~ OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM AND THE Sewage Disposal and Treatment Plant of Cumberland, and to pay for the redemption of said bond issue ~~or said State loan~~ and the interest thereof; and the money so charged and collected shall be kept and maintained in a fund separate; it being the intention of this Act to enable the Mayor and City Council to so operate the sewage disposal and treatment system of said City that the revenue therefrom shall be used to defray the heretofore and hereafter expenses connected therewith; provided, that if the receipts from the said charges for the treatment and disposal of sewage shall be less than the expenses in any year or years, the Mayor and City Council shall levy from time to time such amount on the assessable property of the City of Cumberland as may be necessary to pay the bond issue ~~or State loan~~ hereunder and the interest thereon; provided, however, that the sewage service charges shall be increased for the succeeding year sufficient to pay off said deficit.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That the bonds hereunder authorized shall be issued in addition to and exclusive of the ten per cent bonded indebtedness on the assessed valuation on property in the City of Cumberland now authorized by the City Charter, and that any and all Acts or part of Acts or any part or parts of the Charter of the City of Cumberland conflicting in any way herewith is or are repealed insofar and to the extent that the same shall so conflict, and none of the limitations or restrictions on the power of the Mayor and City Council of Cumberland to borrow money or issue and sell bonds contained in the Charter of said municipality or in any other law which limits, restricts, or in any other way affects the powers herein granted, nor any of the provisions of Sections 34-36 of Article 31 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), as amended, shall be applicable hereto.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted,* That the Mayor and Council ~~be and it is hereby authorized to accept any advances and/or loans from The Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States Government or any other similar agency or successor thereto, for the design, acquisition, con-~~