

141. (a) (Fines.) *The Commissioners of Denton shall have power to provide that violations of ordinances and resolutions shall be punishable as misdemeanors but no penalty shall exceed a fine of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) and imprisonment for ninety days. Imprisonment in default of fine and costs shall be regulated by the provisions of Section 4 of Article 38 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and any amendments thereof. All fines imposed and collected for violation of ordinances of the Commissioners of Denton shall be turned over to said municipality without deduction.*

(b) *All fines, forfeitures and penalties imposed by any resolution of the Commissioners of Denton may be recovered in the corporate name of the municipality before a Trial Magistrate as small debts are recovered and the money arising therefrom shall be paid to the municipality for its use. Provided that any person subject to any fine, forfeiture or penalty by virtue of any ordinance passed by the Commissioners of Denton shall have the right of appeal within ten days to the Circuit Court for Caroline County and shall have the right, if he so elects, to a trial by jury upon giving ample security for the payment of such fine and costs.*

143. *Said Commissioners of Denton may, whenever they deem it necessary, borrow money on the credit of said Town by note or otherwise to any amount they may deem necessary, provided said indebtedness thus created (exclusive of such additional bond indebtedness as may be authorized) shall not exceed the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).*

146. *The books and accounts of the Treasurer shall be kept and be audited on or before the 30th day of June in each year and shall be kept and reported in accordance with the uniform system of municipal financial reporting required under the provisions of Chapter 492 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1949, or any amendments thereto. The fiscal year shall commence on the 1st day of July and end on June 30th of the succeeding year.*

149. *The Commissioners of Denton are hereby authorized and empowered, whenever in their judgment the public interests and conveniences require it, to pass ordinances for the improvement of the public streets in said Town, to establish grades for said streets, to prescribe the material of which said streets shall be built or improved and to assess the cost and expense thereof a sum not to exceed One Dollar and Fifty Cents (\$1.50) per lineal foot upon the owner or owners of the abutting property, whether same be owned by an individual, firm, corporation or by Caroline County, which said cost and*