

MAYOR:

11. *The mayor shall be a member of the council. He may take part in any discussion and shall have the right to vote on all matters. The mayor shall serve as the president of the council. In the absence of the president, the council shall appoint an acting president who shall have all the powers of the president of the council.*

QUORUM:

12. *A majority of the council shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and a majority of those present shall decide any question unless otherwise provided in this charter.*

PROCEDURE:

13. *The council shall determine its own rules and order of business. It shall keep a journal of its proceedings and enter therein the yeas and nays upon any question, resolution, or ordinance if ~~required by any one member~~. The journal shall be open to public inspection.*

VACANCIES:

14. *Vacancies in the council shall be filled as provided in Section ~~40~~ 37 of this charter.*

COMMISSIONERS:

15. *The council shall have control and supervision over all the offices, departments, and agencies of the city government. The council shall have the power to make and enforce such rules and regulations as it deems necessary concerning the organization, management, and operation of the offices, departments, and agencies of the city government. The council shall, by majority vote, elect from among the four councilmen;*

(a) *One councilman to serve as commissioner of police and fire, to have charge of the police force of the city and the enforcement of police regulations, and to exercise general supervision over the Frostburg Fire Department.*

(b) *One councilman to serve as commissioner of streets and public property, to have charge of the public ways and public property of the city, and of the sewers and sewage disposal system.*

(c) *One councilman to serve as commissioner of water and electric light, ~~sewage disposal system~~, the lighting of the city, and the city fire alarm system.*