

(1930 Edition) titles "Queen Anne's County" and "Talbot County", said new sections to be known as Sections 322A to 322S in Article 18 and to be known as Sections 400B to 400T in Article 21, and to follow, respectively, immediately after Sections 322 and 400A of said Articles, incorporating the town of Queen Anne in Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties and relating generally to the government of said town and to the powers and duties of the officers and citizens thereof.

SECTION 1. *Beit enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland.* That nineteen new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 18 and to Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), titles "Queen Anne's County", and "Talbot County", said new sections to be known as Sections 322A to 322S in Article 18 and to be known as Sections 400B to 400T in Article 21, to follow, respectively, immediately after Sections 322 and 400A of said Articles, and to read as follows:

322A. (400B). The Town of Queen Anne, in Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties, is hereby incorporated, and the inhabitants thereof are hereby a body politic by the name and style of "The Commissioners of Queen Anne", and as such may sue and be sued, and may have and use a common seal and may alter the same at pleasure.

322B. (400C). All persons who hold taxable property in the Town of Queen Anne and pay taxes thereon, and who have resided within the corporate limits of said Town for six months prior to January first preceding an election of town commissioners, and any non-resident individuals who hold taxable property in said Town and pay town taxes thereon, shall elect by ballot cast in person on the fourth Monday in the month of April in each and every year, during the hours of four to seven p. m., at a place to be specified by the Commissioners, any person who shall be at least 25 years of age, who shall pay taxes on property subject to municipal taxation of assessed value of at least Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), and who shall have resided within the corporate limits of said town for at least two years, as Commissioner for said town for a period of three years, or until his successor is elected and qualified. Provided, however, there shall be three Commissioners elected in such manner, and that in the election to be held in 1954, the Commissioner receiving the highest number of votes shall hold office for a period of three years, and the one receiving the next highest number of votes shall hold office for a period of two years, and the one receiving the next