

such repeal, said forfeiture to be recovered by an action **CHAP. 182.**  
or actions of debt, in the name of the State against the  
party or parties.

**CHAPTER 182.**

*AN ACT to Incorporate the Town of Sharpsburgh* Passed May  
*and Miller's Addition to Sharpsburgh.* 24, 1852.

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly* Incorporated.  
*of Maryland,* That the citizens of the town of Sharps-  
burgh and Miller's addition to Sharpsburgh, in Washing-  
ton county, shall be, and they are hereby constituted  
and made a body corporate, by the name of the burgess  
and commissioners of Sharpsburg, with all the privi-  
leges of a body corporate, and to have a common seal  
and perpetual succession.

**SEC. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That the free white male Authority to  
citizens of Sharpsburgh and of Miller's addition to elect a bur-  
Sharpsburgh aforesaid, of the age of twenty-one years gess, assistant  
and upwards, and having resided in the said town for burgess and  
and during the space of six months next preceding five commis-  
the election, shall, on the first Wednesday in July next, sioners.  
be authorised to elect a burgess and assistant burgess  
and five commissioners for the said town, who shall  
have resided within the limits of said town six months  
next preceding the election.

**SEC. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That a justice of the Justice of  
peace for the time being, residing in said town, shall ap- peace to ap-  
point one  
point by writing, under his hand and seal, one judge to hold  
judge to hold  
hold the first election who shall keep the polls open first election.  
from nine o'clock in the morning until four o'clock in  
the evening, and shall conduct the said election in the  
manner in which judges of elections are now directed  
by law to conduct an election for Delegates to the Ge-  
neral Assembly, as far as may be consistent with the  
provisions of this act, and the said judge shall make  
return, under his hand and seal, of the persons elected,  
to the clerk of Washington county, to be by him safe  
kept.

**SEC. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That the said justice of Justice to fix  
peace shall have power to fix upon the place of upon place of  
holding the first holding first  
election.  
election shall be held and conducted as shall, from time to time,  
be directed by the by-laws of the corporation, the same  
not being inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

*See 1852 Chap 182-362*