

the Public Local Laws of Frederick County (1968 Edition), which proposed new section related to the issue and sale of general obligation bonds, bond anticipation notes and tax anticipation notes by Brunswick; and

*Whereas*, the publication of the title of the Resolution in a newspaper of general circulation in Brunswick within not less than four (4) times at weekly intervals before January 20, 1969, was not accomplished as provided in Section 2 of the Resolution; now therefore

*Section 1.* BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of Brunswick that the action taken at its regular meeting held on December 10, 1968, in passing a Charter Amendment Resolution be, and it is hereby, ratified, and that said Resolution be, and it is hereby, re-enacted, the Charter of The Mayor and Council of Brunswick, a municipal corporation of the State of Maryland, being amended by adding new Section 16-10 to the Code of Public Local Laws of Frederick County (1968 Edition) to follow immediately after Section 16-9 thereof and to read as follows:

(a) *The Mayor and Council of Brunswick shall have the power to borrow money for any public purpose, including the refinancing of any outstanding indebtedness, and to evidence such borrowing by the issue and sale of its general obligation bonds, or notes issued in anticipation thereof, and shall likewise have authority to borrow money in anticipation of the receipt of current taxes and to evidence such borrowing by the issue and sale of its tax anticipation notes, payable as to principal and interest from said taxes when received, the same to be issued and sold in the manner prescribed in Sections 31-37, inclusive, of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1966 Replacement Volume), title "Corporations—Municipal," subtitle "Home Rule," subheading "Creation of Municipal Public Debt," provided, however, that if the ordinance or ordinances authorizing the issue and sale of any of such bonds or notes shall so specify, the bonds or notes may be sold at private sale, without advertisement or publication of notice of sale, or solicitation of competitive bids.*

(b) *The issuance and sale of such general obligation bonds, or tax anticipation notes, shall constitute a pledge of the full faith and credit of The Mayor and Council of Brunswick to the prompt payment, when due, from ad valorem taxes and such other revenues as may be described in the authorizing ordinance or ordinances, of the principal of and interest on such bonds or notes. The maturing principal of and interest on any general obligation bonds may be paid, in whole or in part, from the proceeds of such benefit assessments or charges, or any combination thereof, as the Mayor and Council may impose and collect during the life of the bonds, power and authority so to do being hereby specifically granted where appropriate to the public purpose for which the bonds may be issued. In any event, the Mayor and Council shall, if and to the extent necessary, annually levy upon all property subject to taxation within the corporate limits of Brunswick ad valorem taxes sufficient to provide for the payment of the maturing principal of and interest on any such bonds or notes, without limitation as to rate or amount, notwithstanding any limitation contained in this Charter or in any other law, and the issuance and sale of any such bonds or notes shall constitute a covenant to that effect.*

(c) *In order to carry out the meaning and intent of this section, the Mayor and Council are empowered to do all things and to take any action, by ordinance or otherwise, deemed necessary for the regulation, efficient operation and maintenance of any work, plant or system of public*