

term of two years and until his successor is appointed and qualified. The said Mayor and Commissioners shall have the power to fill by appointment all vacancies occurring from death, removal, resignation or any other cause, whether in the office of Mayor or Commissioner or in any other office provided for this subtitle. The said Mayor and Commissioners, and the Clerk and Bailiff shall qualify by taking and subscribing the following Oath to be administered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Allegany County: "I, ....., do swear that I will execute the office of (Mayor, Commissioner, Clerk or Bailiff, as the case may be) to the best of my ability, without favor, partiality or prejudice." Which oath shall be filed in the Town records.

(b) The Mayor and Commissioners of Westernport shall have the general and exclusive control and supervision over all of the departments concerned with the town's affairs, and shall have power to make and enforce such rules and regulations as they may see fit and proper for the organization, management, and operation of all departments of said town and over whatever agencies may be created for the administration of its affairs. The Mayor may appoint from among the four Commissioners one who shall be known as "Police and Fire Commissioner," and who shall have under special charge the enforcement of all police regulations of said town and general supervision over the fire department thereof: One Commissioner to be known as "The Commissioner of Streets and Public Property," who shall have under his special charge the supervision of streets, sewers, alleys, public grounds and property of the town, and be charged with the duty of keeping them in a clean and sanitary condition and with the enforcement of all rules and regulations to these ends, and who shall also have under his special charge the supervision of all public improvements except as may be otherwise provided; one Commissioner to be known as "The Water and Light Commissioner," who shall have under his special charge the construction, maintenance and operation of the water and lighting systems of said town and shall see to the enforcement of all rules and regulations with respect to said systems; One Commissioner, who shall be known as the "Commissioner of Finance and Revenue," who shall have under his special charge the enforcement of all laws for the assessment and collection of taxes of every kind and collection of all revenues belonging to said town from whatever source the same be derived and who shall examine and keep informed as to the finances of said town.

Passed at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Commissioners of Westernport, Maryland, held the 2nd day of August 1971.

Ray L. Wilt, Mayor

ATTEST:  
Katherine Hartig, Clerk

**Amendment No. 6—1971**

To the Charter of the Town of Westernport, Maryland changing the limits of said town.

Be it resolved by the Mayor and Commissioners of Westernport that Section 572 of the 1960 Edition of the Charter and Ordinances of the Town of Westernport relating to the limits of said Town, reading as follows:

1953, Ch. 8, Sec. 641