

CAMBRIDGE

CHARTER AMENDMENT
NO. 55-74-8

RESOLUTION of The Commissioners of Cambridge adopted pursuant to the authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1973 Replacement Volume), titled "Corporation-Municipal" to amend the Charter of The Commissioners of Cambridge by repealing and re-enacting, with amendments, Section 64 entitled "Assessments; abatement of taxes" of the Code of Public Local Laws of Dorchester County (1961 Edition), said Code being Article 10 of the Code of Public Laws of Maryland entitled "Dorchester County" subtitled "Cambridge" repealing certain obsolete language applying to Assessments and providing the power to The Commissioners of Cambridge for abatement of taxes.

SECTION 1. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF CAMBRIDGE that the Charter of same municipal corporation be, and the same is hereby amended by repealing and re-enacting, with amendments, Section 64 to read as follows:

64. [Assessments;] Abatement of taxes.

[The Commissioners of Cambridge may cause an assessment to be made from time to time, by three persons appointed by it of all the property real, personal and mixed, of all kinds and descriptions whatsoever, that may be within the corporate limits of Cambridge, belonging to the inhabitants, firms, incorporated bodies and unincorporated associations thereof, or to any person, firm, incorporated bodies or unincorporated associations, doing business therein. The Commissioners of Cambridge may at its annual session for the correction of assessments, or at any other time, place upon the tax books all, such property as would be liable to assessment at any general assessment; provided that one hundred dollars' worth of property of each person assessed be exempt from taxation. No abatement of taxes of any kind shall be made by the Commissioners of Cambridge or by any individual Commissioner at any time except at the annual meeting, for that purpose provided by the Charter of Cambridge. The assessors and the Commissioners of Cambridge in making any assessment shall value the property on the basis of its cash value or estimated cash value.] THE COMMISSIONERS OF CAMBRIDGE MAY, FROM TIME TO TIME, FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN ABATE THE TAXES OF ANY TAXPAYER OF THE CITY.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall become effective on the 12th day of March, 1974.