

MUNICIPAL CHARTERS

the town government.

-27.4. Protection of town property

The town may do whatever may be necessary to protect town property and to keep all town property in good condition.

63-28. General provision

-28.1. Oath of Office

(a) Oath required

Before entering the duties of their offices the Mayor, the Councilmen, the Clerk-Treasurer, the judges and clerks of elections and all other persons elected or appointed to any office of profit or trust in the town government shall take and subscribe to the oath of affirmation as set forth in Article 1, Sect. 6 of the Constitution of the State of Maryland.

(b) Before whom taken and subscribed

The Mayor and Council shall take and subscribe to this oath or affirmation before the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County or before one of the sworn deputies of the Clerk. All other persons taking and subscribing to the oath shall do so before the Mayor or Election Judges, as the case may be.

(c) Official bonds

The Treasurer and such other officers or employees of the town as the Council or this Charter may require give bond in such amount and with such surety as may be required by the Council. The premiums on such bonds shall be paid by the town.

(d) Seal

The Mayor and Council shall have the power to make and use a common seal.

63-29. Change of Wards Boundaries - Annexation

The Council shall have power by ordinance to establish, change or relocate the boundaries of existing wards and to establish, change and relocate boundaries of new or additional wards created either by annexation of territory to the town or by the division of a ward or wards.

63-30. Misdemeanors