

MUNICIPAL CHARTERS

RESOLUTION NO. 41

A Resolution of the Commissioners of Bel Air to amend the Charter of Bel Air by amending Section 118 of said Charter entitled "Ordinances: How Passed, Penalties" to provide for fines not exceeding [one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00)] ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) in any one case or imprisonment in Harford County Jail for a period NOT exceeding ninety (90) days, or both, instead of fines not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50.00) ...and in default of the payment of any fine imposed...imprisonment...for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days or until the fines are paid, and by deleting from the Charter of Bel Air, Section 121, entitled "Penalties" and providing for "a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00) in any one case, or imprisonment in the Harford County Jail for a period not exceeding ninety (90) days or both"; because that section is in conflict with new Section 118 of the Charter of Bel Air as it will be amended.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of Bel Air, Maryland, That Section 118 of the Charter of the Town of Bel Air is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 118. Ordinances; how passed, penalties.

In order to enable the Commissioners of Bel Air to fully exercise the power conferred upon them by this Charter and to enable them to better promote and preserve the public health, safety and welfare, the Commissioners of Bel Air may pass all ordinances or by-laws that are from time to time necessary; and to insure the observation of any ordinances passed by the Commissioners in exercise of any power granted them by this Charter or by the State of Maryland, the Commissioners may affix thereto such fine or punishment, not exceeding [One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00)] ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) in any one case, or imprisonment in Harford County Jail for a period not exceeding ninety (90) days, or both as the Commissioners shall decide; provided that no ordinance shall be adopted except by a yea and nay vote, and the names of the Commissioners voting for and against the same shall be entered in the minutes; and the following paragraph shall be deleted from Section 118 of said Charter:

[For the purpose of carrying out the powers conferred by this Charter, and for preservation of the cleanliness, health, peace and good order of the