

codes of ordinances; providing and generally relating to the content of the supplement or code; defining a certain term; providing for the levy and expenditure of necessary funds; and generally relating to a supplement or new edition of codes of ordinances for municipal corporations.

BY adding to

Article 23A - Corporations - Municipal  
Section 17B  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1973 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Section 17B be and it is hereby added to Article 23A - Corporations - Municipal, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1973 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 23A - Corporations - Municipal

17B.

(A) FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING READY ACCESS TO A CURRENT COMPILATION OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION'S ORDINANCES, THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL (BY WHATEVER NAME KNOWN) OF EACH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION IN THE STATE SUBJECT TO ARTICLE 11E OF THE CONSTITUTION OF MARYLAND, AND THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, SHALL PROVIDE ANNUALLY (IF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION DURING THE PAST YEAR HAS ENACTED ANY ORDINANCES APPROPRIATE FOR CODIFICATION) FOR THE EDITING, PREPARATION, PUBLICATION, AND SALE OR OTHER DISTRIBUTION OF A SUPPLEMENT TO ITS MOST RECENT CODE OF ORDINANCES, OR OF A NEW EDITION OF THE CODE.

(B) A SUPPLEMENT SHALL CONTAIN ALL PUBLIC ORDINANCES OF GENERAL APPLICATION AND CONTINUING FORCE WHICH FOR THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ARE IN EFFECT AND HAVE BEEN ENACTED OR AMENDED SINCE PUBLICATION OF THE MOST RECENT CODE OF PUBLIC ORDINANCES; AND A NEW CODE SHALL CONTAIN ALL PUBLIC ORDINANCES OF GENERAL APPLICATION IN EFFECT FOR THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AT THE TIME OF PUBLICATION. A SUPPLEMENT OR A CODE NEED NOT CONTAIN ORDINANCES OF LESS THAN GENERAL APPLICATION AND CONTINUING FORCE, INCLUDING (WITHOUT LIMITATION) THE BUDGET ORDINANCE.

(C) FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, AN ORDINANCE IS ANY LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENT (BY WHATEVER NAME KNOWN) OF GENERAL APPLICATION AND CONTINUING FORCE FOR THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, OTHER THAN A PUBLIC LOCAL LAW REFERRED TO IN SECTION 32B OF ARTICLE 25 OF THIS CODE.

(D) EACH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION SHALL LEVY AND APPROPRIATE ITS PUBLIC FUNDS FOR EXPENDITURES NECESSARY