

re-enact the Charter of said Town of Snow Hill as set forth in Sections 343 to 393 inclusive, of the Worcester County Code, 1957 edition, title: "Snow Hill", the said Sections being the Charter of the Town of Snow Hill.

Whereas, the present Charter of Snow Hill was originally enacted by the General Assembly in the Laws of Maryland, Public Local Laws 1888, Article 24, Section 237, et. seq., as amended;

Whereas, this Charter has served the Town of Snow Hill as a basic instrument of government for 90 years;

Whereas, the needs of the Town require a more modern document to help meet the contingencies of modern life;

Whereas, this historic document is insufficient in its present form and language to enable the Town to properly carry out its mandated functions;

Whereas, a new and modern Charter has been proposed by the Snow Hill Mayor and Councilmembers;

[Sections 343 to 393 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Worcester County, 1957 Edition, repealed and Sections 1 to 108 of the Charter of the Town of Snow Hill, Worcester County, added.

Effective Date October 29, 1980]

SOMERSET

(Montgomery County)

RESOLUTION NO. R3-80

CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1-80

RESOLUTION of the Town Council of the Town of Somerset adopted pursuant to the authority of Article XI-E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland to amend Sections 83-20, 83-37, and 83-88 of the Charter of the Town of Somerset as it appears in the Montgomery County Code (1972) so as to increase the maximum penalties for violations of the Charter or ordinances, resolutions, rules, and regulations of the Town passed thereunder to the greater of (a) such penalties as may be authorized by State law or (b) penalties of a fine not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or imprisonment for not exceeding ninety (90) days, or both such fine and imprisonment, and to eliminate obsolete language concerning appeals and trial magistrates.

[Section(s) 83-20, 83-37, and 83-88 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Montgomery County, (1972 Edition), repealed and reenacted, with amendments.