

Council shall in general have full power to pass such ordinances, resolutions, or regulations as may generally promote the public health, safety, welfare and morals of the town.

53. The Council shall have the power to pass ordinances regulating the limits within which it shall be lawful to erect steps, porticos, bow-windows or other architectural ornaments to houses fronting on any part of said streets; to regulate party walls and partition fences; to regulate in what part of said town buildings of wood may not be erected; to regulate the manner in which public halls, churches, school-houses or places of amusement shall be constructed, and to fix the penalty for violation thereof.

54. The said Council shall have the power to license and regulate all hackney coaches, carriages, carts, drays, omnibuses, wagons and other vehicles kept for hire or hired in said town, and to license and regulate the employment of all hackmen, draymen, wagoners, carters, porters, boatmen and watermen, plying for hire within the limits of said town, and to fix the rate of compensation for hackney carriages, and to fix the penalties for the violation of such regulations; to regulate the location and conduct of livery stables, and to enact ordinances respecting the keeping and boarding of horses thereat, not inconsistent with the laws of this State.

55. The Council shall have the power to establish regulations for the prevention and extinguishment of fires; to appoint firemen, and organize and equip fire companies, and to fix the penalties for the violation of any fire regulation, and to fix the compensation of firemen.

56. The said Council may grant unto and there is hereby conferred upon the Chesapeake Beach Railway Company the right to establish or cause to be established such reservoirs, dams, tanks and other means of storing water as may be necessary to supply said town with water, and to lay mains, pipes and such other conduits as may be required in constructing the same, and regulate the charge for water as furnished.

57. The Council shall have full powers to grant unto the Chesapeake Beach Railway Company the right to construct or cause to be constructed such piers, docks, wharves, breakwaters, dykes and other improvements as it may from time to time deem necessary or convenient for the accommodation of the public for amusement or business