

numbered consecutively, and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered. But said bonds shall be redeemable at the option of the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall after five years from the date of the issue.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall are authorized and directed to advertise at least once a week for three successive weeks in two newspapers published in Kent County, and such other places as they may deem proper, for sealed proposals for the negotiation of said bonds, and on a certain day to be named in said advertisement the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall shall, in the presence of such persons as may be interested in said bids, open all bids received and award the bonds to the highest bidder; provided, no bid less than par shall be received and reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall shall create an annual sinking fund, beginning with the year 1914, for the payment of interest and for the redemption of said bonds, and if said sinking fund cannot be made sufficient under the present authorized levy to pay the interest on said bonds and the one-twentieth part of said bonded debt as it matures, the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall are hereby authorized to levy and collect annually a tax upon the taxable property in Rock Hall for a sum sufficient to provide for the payment of any such deficiency of interest on said bonds as they mature and any deficiency on the one-twentieth part of the principal of said bonded debt, as said bonds mature.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to use and apply the said sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, exclusively to the erection, construction, operation and keeping in repair an electric lighting plant for the town of Rock Hall, which said electric lighting plant shall be operated and maintained to supply, so far as practicable, the reasonable demands of the citizens of said town, and other persons carrying on business therein, and for the people adjacent thereto, with electric light, and also to the erection and construction of necessary poles, appliances and wires for the transmission of electricity in and along the streets of said town and the roads adjacent thereto.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the Mayor and Councilmen of Rock Hall shall have power to pass all ordinances necessary