

and credit of the Town of Denton twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) and to issue coupon bonds therefor and to provide for the payment of the same by levying a tax annually upon the assessable property of the said town to pay interest thereon and to repay the money so borrowed as the same shall fall due.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Commissioners of Denton, Caroline County, Maryland, be and are hereby authorized and directed to improve by grading and paving with concrete or other durable material and constructing curbs and gutters on First Street from its intersection with Market Street to its intersection with Gay Street; Second Street from its intersection with Market Street to its intersection with Gay Street and Gay Street from its intersection with First Street to its intersection with Sixth Street.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the Commissioners of Denton be and are hereby authorized and directed to assess toward the cost and expense of the aforesaid improvement of First Street, Second Street and Gay Street, as set forth in Section 1 of this Act, a sum not to exceed one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) per lineal foot upon the owner or owners of the abutting property, the same being owned by either an individual, firm or corporation, which said assessment shall be due and payable to the Treasurer of the Town of Denton in the following instalments, to wit: one-third when the work of the grading is begun; one-third when the paving is fifty per cent. (50%) completed; and one-third when the work is completed and accepted by the Commissioners of Denton, and said assessment shall be a lien upon the abutting property and shall be collectible in the same manner as other taxes are now collectible in the Town of Denton as prescribed by law.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That for the purpose of providing for the payment of that part of the balance of the cost of the construction and improvement of the streets set forth in Section 1 of this Act not covered by the assessment authorized and directed by Section 2 of this Act, the Commissioners of Denton be and are hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the faith and credit of the Town of Denton the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) and to issue coupon