

enacted as the corporate charter of the Town of Libertytown, Frederick County, Maryland, to read as follows:

1. (General Provisions.) The inhabitants of the Town of Libertytown in Frederick County, Maryland, shall constitute a body corporate and under the corporate name shall have perpetual succession, may sue and be sued, and may pass and adopt all ordinances, resolutions, or by-laws necessary or proper to exercise the powers granted herein or elsewhere.

2. (Enumeration of Express Powers.) (1) The Board of Aldermen of the Town of Libertytown shall have general power to pass such ordinances not contrary to the public general or public local laws and the Constitution of Maryland as they may deem necessary in order to assure the good government of the municipality, to protect and preserve the municipality's rights, property and privileges, to preserve peace and good order, to secure persons and property from danger and destruction, to benefit local trade and commerce, and to protect the health, morals, comfort and convenience of the citizens of the municipality.

(2) In addition to, but not in substitution of, the powers which have been, or may hereafter be, granted to it, such legislative body also shall have the following express ordinance-making powers:

(3) Advertising. To provide for municipal advertising, for the printing of and publication of statements of the receipts and expenditures of the municipality, and the publication and codification of all laws, ordinances, resolutions or regulations adopted by or affecting the municipality.

(4) Appropriations. To expend municipal funds for any purpose deemed to be public and to affect the safety, health, general trade and commerce, recreation and general welfare of the town and its inhabitants, provided that funds not appropriated at the time of the annual levy shall not be expended, nor shall any funds appropriated be expended for any purpose other than that for which appropriated except by a two-thirds vote of all members elected to said legislative body.

(5) Audits. To provide for the appointment of an auditor or accountant to audit the books and accounts of all municipal officers collecting, handling or disbursing funds belonging to the municipality.

(6) Band. To establish, maintain and support a municipal musical organization.