

*dangerous or insecure, and to require that such buildings and structures be made safe or taken down; to remove or cause to be removed houses or other structures that may be dangerous to persons passing along or over any of the public ways or sidewalks of the city.*

*(d) Carroll Creek. To open, widen, deepen, and straighten the channl of Carroll Creek within the police limits of the city so as to prevent any part of the City of Frederick from being inundated by floods in the creek, and to purchase or condemn real estate for this purpose; to prevent obstructions of any kind from being placed in Carroll Creek within the corporate limits of the city.*

*(e) Codification. To provide for the codification of all ordinances which have been or may hereafter be passed.*

*(f) Community Services. To provide, maintain, and operate community and social services for the preservation and promotion of the health, recreation, welfare, and enlightenment of the inhabitants of the city.*

*(g) Dogs. To regulate the keeping of dogs in the city and to provide for the licensing and taxing of the same; to provide for the disposition of homeless dogs and dogs on which no license fee or taxes are paid.*

*(h) Exits. To regulate the construction and maintenance of exits from places of amusement and all public buildings, and to prohibit the obstruction thereof.*

*(i) Explosives. To regulate or prevent the storage of gunpowder, oil, or any other explosives or combustible matter; to regulate or prevent the use of firearms, fireworks, bonfires, explosives, combustible substances, or any other similar things.*

*(j) Finances. To levy, assess, and collect taxes, and to borrow money within the limits provided by this charter; to expend municipal funds for any purpose deemed to be public and to affect the safety, health, and general welfare of the city and its inhabitants; to have general management and control of the finances of the city.*

*(k) Fire. To suppress fires and prevent the dangers thereof and to establish and maintain a fire department; to inspect buildings for the purpose of reducing fire hazards, to issue regulations concerning fire hazards, and to forbid and prohibit the use of fire hazardous buildings and structures permanently or until the conditions of city fire hazard regulations are met; and to take all other measures to control and prevent fires in the city.*