

ORDINANCES
OF THE
CORPORATION
OF THE
CITY OF BALTIMORE,
WITH THE
ACT OF INCORPORATION,
AND THE SEVERAL
SUPPLEMENTS THERETO:

TO WHICH IS ADDED,
AN APPENDIX,
CONTAINING AN ABRIDGEMENT OF, AND REFERENCES TO,
ALL SUCH ACTS OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE
OF MARYLAND,
AS RELATE TO THE
BOUNDARIES, POLICE AND REGULATION
OF BALTIMORE,
BEFORE OR SINCE ITS BEING INCORPORATED :
WITH A COPIOUS INDEX TO THE WHOLE.

COMPILED AND PREPARED IN PURSUANCE OF A JOINT RESOLUTION OF BOTH BRANCHES OF THE
CITY COUNCIL,

BY SAMUEL YOUNG.

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Extra cost to be hereafter provided for.

II. *And be it enacted and ordained,* That the mayor and city council will hereafter provide for the payment of the cost of said bridge over and above the sum heretofore appropriated.

Approved, May 5th, 1809.

EDWARD JOHNSON, MAYOR.

An Ordinance authorising George Stiles to extend his wharf in the eighth ward, from lots No. 83 & 84.

BE it enacted and ordained, by the mayor and city council of Baltimore, That George Stiles be, and he is hereby authorised to extend his wharf from lots No. 83 and 84, on the south west side of Pitt-street in the eighth ward, agreeably to the plat bearing date the ninth day of June 1808, lodged in the mayor's office: Provided that such extension shall not go beyond the line of the east side of Ann-street, and that the said wharf shall be built in a strong substantial and workmanlike manner, to be approved by the mayor and city commissioners.

Approved, June 25th, 1808.

THOROWGOOD SMITH, MAYOR.

An Ordinance to secure to the city a supply of water for the extinguishment of fires.

A contract to be effected with the Baltimore water company.

I. *BE it enacted and ordained,* by the mayor and city council of Baltimore, That the city commissioners, in conjunction with the mayor, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to contract with the Baltimore Water Company, for the transfer to the city of all the fire plugs, or so many of them as they may approve of, heretofore set up by the said company in the streets, lanes or alleys of the city.

An additional number of fire plugs to be erected.

II. *And be it enacted and ordained,* That the city commissioners, in conjunction with the mayor, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to have erected within the city, and at such places as they may judge most suitable, such additional number of fire plugs, not exceeding thirty in the whole, as they may consider ne-

cessary; or they may contract with the said company for the erecting of the same at the places they may so direct.

III. *And be it enacted and ordained,* That a sum not exceeding eighteen hundred dollars, be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the carrying this ordinance into effect, which sum the mayor is hereby authorised to draw for, and pay out of any unappropriated money in the city treasury. Appropriation for said contract.

IV. *And be it enacted and ordained,* That it shall be the duty of the city commissioners, by contract for that purpose, or otherwise, to keep the said fire plugs in constant and good repair, the expence of which shall be drawn for, and paid as aforesaid by the mayor. Fire plugs to be kept in good repair.

V. *And be it enacted and ordained,* That if any person shall break, injure or destroy any of the said fire plugs, or instruments belonging thereto, such person shall, for every such offence forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars. Penalty for injuring said fire plugs.

Approved, March 11th, 1809.

EDWARD JOHNSON, MAYOR.

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An Ordinance providing for the annual nomination of officers.

BE it enacted and ordained, by the mayor and city council of Baltimore, That an annual nomination of two persons for each and every office under this corporation shall be made during the session of the city council, and that both branches shall for that purpose, assemble and meet together in one chamber, and in all cases the nomination shall be made by ballot.

Approved, March 11th, 1809.

EDWARD JOHNSON, MAYOR.

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An Ordinance authorising the building of a bridge in Pitt-street.

I. *BE it enacted and ordained by the mayor and city council of Baltimore,* That the city commissioners, be and they are hereby