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**Sec. 11. Vice-mayor; appointment, function.**

At the first meeting of the board ~~and thereafter at the first meeting in July~~ after a general city election, said board shall choose from its membership a member to act in the absence, inability or failure to act of the mayor. Such member shall act as mayor during any temporary absence, inability or failure to act of the mayor, and whenever a vacancy occurs in the office of mayor, such member shall become mayor and hold office as such for the unexpired term.

(Pvt. Acts 1917, ch. 76, art. 3, § 11)

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**Sec. 5. Due date for designated taxes; duty, authority of treasurer; warrants to collect delinquent taxes.**

All taxes due the City of Kingsport, except privilege and merchants ad valorem taxes, and street labor taxes, shall, until otherwise provided by ordinance, be due and payable on ~~the first day of November~~ <sup>30<sup>th</sup> day of</sup> ~~November~~ of the year for which the taxes are assessed. The treasurer shall be custodian of the tax books, and shall be the tax collector for the city.

~~At and after the expiration of one month from the date when taxes become due~~ <sup>As of the first day of</sup> ~~December of the year for which the taxes are assessed,~~ as in this section provided or as may be provided by ordinance, the tax books in the hands of the recorder shall have the force and effect of a judgment of a court or [of] record, and the recorder shall have power to issue distress warrants, alias and pluries distress warrants in the name of the City of Kingsport, to enforce the collection of said taxes against the person owning the property on January 10th, of the year for which the taxes are assessed, by a levy upon the ~~personality~~ <sup>[personality]</sup> of such taxpayer; and such distress warrant shall be executed by [the] chief of police or other policeman of the City of Kingsport by a levy upon and sale of goods and chattels under the same provisions as prescribed by law for the execution of such process from a justice of the peace.

(Pvt. Acts 1917, ch. 76, art. 11, § 5)

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## **Sec. 2. Election; terms; interim appointment; nomination; president; oath; vacancies.**

The members of the board of education shall be elected from the city at large by the qualified voters of the City of Kingsport at the general city election. The members of the board of education shall be elected for terms of office of four (4) years, and until their successors are elected and qualified. A board member shall be eligible for reelection.

Two (2) members shall be elected at the general city election in May, 1981, for four-year terms, and each four (4) years thereafter. Three (3) members shall be elected at the general city election in May, 1983, for four-year terms, and each four (4) years thereafter. Such elected board members shall assume office on the first day of July following their election.

Candidates for the office of a member of the board of education shall be nominated in the same manner as is provided for a candidate for the board of mayor and aldermen of the City of Kingsport.

The members of the board of education, at the first regular July meeting following a regular general city election, shall elect one (1) of their number [as] president.

Before entering upon their duties members of the board of education shall take the oath prescribed by the laws of Tennessee for such officers.

All vacancies in the board of education shall be filled by election of the board of mayor and aldermen; to serve only until the next general city election when such vacancy shall be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term by election by the qualified voters of the city. Any member elected to serve the remainder of an unexpired term shall assume office on the first day of July following their election.

(Pvt. Acts 1917, ch. 76, art. 19, § 2; Pvt. Acts 1974, ch. 345, § 1; Pvt. Acts 1980, ch. 244, § 7)

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## Sec. 2. Tentative appropriation ordinance; preparation, publication, adoption.

Upon receipt of such estimate the board of mayor and aldermen shall prepare a tentative appropriation ordinance, which shall also be published in accordance with state law. ~~a newspaper of general circulation in the city not less than one week before it is taken up for consideration by the board of mayor and aldermen, and before~~ Before acting upon final adoption of such tentative appropriation ordinance, the board of mayor and aldermen shall consider same at ~~the next~~ regular meeting held in accordance with state law and all voters and taxpayers may appear at said meeting and be heard in person or by attorney. The appropriation ordinance for each fiscal year shall be finally adopted before the first day of the fiscal year. Further appropriations and expenditures during the fiscal year after passage of the budget ordinance shall be by resolution of the board of mayor and aldermen as necessity and advisability shall become apparent.

The budget ordinance may be amended by ~~resolution~~ ordinance. Further appropriations and expenditures during the fiscal year after passage of the budget ordinance shall be made by ~~resolution~~ ordinance of the board of mayor and aldermen as the necessity and advisability shall become apparent.

(Pvt. Acts 1917, ch. 76, art. 15, § 2; Pvt. Acts 2001, § 33)