

Sec. 5. The Board of Trustees shall have power:

*First*—To declare any streets now open, or such as may hereafter be opened by any owner of land within said town, to be public streets.

*Second*—To establish the grade of said streets; to provide for the improvement or repair of the same in the manner hereinafter provided, and for the erection of sidewalks, and to provide for watering such streets as shall have been graded, macadamized, or improved.

*Third*—To provide for the prevention and summary removal of all nuisances and all occupations detrimental to the public health, comfort, or safety; to suppress all occupations, houses, places, and exhibitions which are against good morals, or contrary to public order and decency; to prevent the appearance of any person on any highway or public place in said town in a state of intoxication; to prevent the discharge of firearms, pistols, or canons on any wharves or streets of said town, or upon private property therein, without consent of the owner thereof, and to prevent any noise, disorder, or tumult to the disturbance of the public peace.

*Fourth*—To levy and collect annually a tax, not to exceed one per cent. on the assessment valuation of all property, both real and personal, within said town.

*Fifth*—To impose and collect a road poll tax, not exceeding two dollars per annum, on each male inhabitant between the ages of twenty-one and sixty, and no other road poll tax shall be collected within said Town of Alameda.

*Sixth*—To license, tax, and regulate all lawful trades and occupations.

*Seventh*—To establish a public pound and a Pound Keeper, and prescribe his duties, and provide for the proper care and disposition of all animals impounded: *provided*, that the Pound Keeper shall receive for his services and care of such animals only such fees as by ordinance he may be allowed to collect from the owners or proceeds of said animals.

*Eighth*—To pass all ordinances necessary to carry into effect the powers herein granted. The style of such ordinances shall be "The Trustees of the Town of Alameda do ordain as follows:" To elect a clerk of said Board, who shall perform such duties as may be by them required, and to pay him out of the treasury of said town a compensation not to exceed fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 6. If at any time the owners of one half in frontage of lands fronting on any street, between two given points on said street, shall petition the Board of Trustees to order to be graded, macadamized, or otherwise improved such street between said points, or for the construction of sidewalks on such street between said points, then it shall be the duty of said Board to cause to be drawn up plans and specifications of the character of the improvement to be made, or the sidewalk to be constructed on such street, and shall order the same, as petitioned for, to be