

**BOROUGH CODES**  
**Act of Apr. 3, 1851, P.L. 320, No. 218**  
AN ACT

Cl. 25

Regulating boroughs.

Section 3. Time and place for hearing appeals from tax assessments

It shall be the duty of the corporate officers a majority of whom shall be a quorum: to appoint a time and place, of which due notice shall be given, for the hearing of appeals in relation to the assessment of taxes by such corporate officers, not less than three of whom they may designate, who shall have power to grant such relief as may to them seem proper. 1851, April 3, P.L. 320, Sec. 3, Cl. IX.

Section 14. Borough elections

Borough elections shall be held in accordance with and subject to all the provisions of the laws regulating township elections, so far as applicable, unless otherwise provided for in the charter. 1851, April 3, P.L. 320, Sec. 14.

Section 16. Qualifications of electors at borough elections

Every person entitled to vote for members of the General Assembly, having resided in the borough six months immediately preceding the election, and within one year paid a borough tax, if such shall have been levied, shall be entitled to vote at the borough election. 1851, April 3, P.L. 320, Sec. 16.

Section 17. Election of judges and inspectors in boroughs; officers to be elected

It shall be lawful for the borough electors annually to elect:

I. The corporate officers designated in the charter or by this act.

II. One judge and two inspectors of the general election.

III. One assessor and two assistant assessors, when required by the laws of this commonwealth.

IV. One borough auditor to serve three years.

V. One constable.

VI. Two overseers of the poor, if necessary, who shall perform the duties and be subject to the provisions of the law respecting township officers and elections. 1851, April 3, P.L. 320, Sec. 17.