

SEC. 17. *And be it further enacted,* That as a preliminary and prerequisite to the exercise of the powers and authority hereby granted and conferred, the sense of the legal voters of Kent County, Maryland, shall be first taken and had thereto at an election to be held for the purpose in Kent County, Maryland, on the day of the next ensuing election on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936, when the question shall be submitted to the legal voters of Kent County, Maryland, as to whether or not bonds shall be issued for the purchase of ground, if any is deemed necessary, for erecting, building, constructing and equipping the new buildings provided for herein at Galena, Chestertown and Rock Hall, and for the remodeling, renovating, enlarging and equipping the present high school building located at Chestertown, or for the erecting and equipping of a new high school building for white youth at or near Chestertown, all in Kent County, Maryland, under the provisions of this Act. And at said election this question shall be submitted on separate ballots prepared for the purpose by the Supervisors of Elections in Kent County, Maryland, each of which said ballots shall have the words "For School at Galena," "Against School at Galena," "For School at Rock Hall," "Against School at Rock Hall," "For Colored School at Chestertown," "Against Colored School at Chestertown," "For White School at Chestertown," "Against White School at Chestertown," printed thereon, and separate ballot boxes shall be furnished for the purpose, and also for voting upon any and all other bond issues which may be referred to the voters to be voted upon at said election by the Supervisors of Election, and if a majority of the votes at said election upon said question shall be "For School at Galena" or for any other one of said schools, then the provisions of this Act relating to said particular school shall be in full force and effect and then and not before the County Commissioners of Kent County, Maryland, shall proceed to execute the powers and duties imposed upon them by this Act, but if the majority of the votes cast at said election upon said question shall be "Against School at Galena" or against any other one of said schools, then this Act shall be of no effect insofar as it relates to said particular school.

SEC. 18. *And be it further enacted,* That in any event, if any school buildings shall have been erected, or in the course of erection, out of other funds before said election, then the County Commissioners of said County shall direct