

Tax assessable property.

the County Commissioners of such County are hereby authorized, empowered, directed and required to levy and collect such a tax upon the assessable property of such County as the Board of County School Commissioners shall designate as sufficient to make good the deficiency, and to pay quarterly on the day fixed for the payment of the State School Fund to the several Counties, the amount so levied and collected over to the Treasurer of the said Board of County School Commissioners, in order that the schools of such counties may be kept open for the time herein set forth, and said tax shall be levied and collected as other taxes. It shall also be in the power of the legal voters of any county to decide at any election upon the imposition of a tax for the erection and maintenance of a County High School, or for any other educational purpose affecting and concerning the county generally; said tax to be levied and collected as aforesaid, and to be paid to the Treasurer of the Board of County School Commissioners as aforesaid.

Election.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of ascertaining the sense of the people of the county in regard to any proposition intended to effect public education in said County, the Board of County School Commissioners shall cause such proposition to be submitted to the voters of said county at the general election next ensuing; provided said proposition and notice of election be published in all the newspapers of said county once a week for four successive weeks next prior to the day of said election; and said Board of County School Commissioners shall cause to be printed and placed at each poll in said county, on the day of said election before the opening of said poll, a sufficient number of ballots, having on them "For" or "Against" the proposition in words accurately describing the same. And the judges of the said general election shall receive, deposit, count and make returns of all the ballots cast, for and against the proposition, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, in the same manner and subject to the same regulations as are provided by law, in case of a general election for members of the General Assembly. And said Clerk of the Circuit Court shall return the same to the Board

Vote for or against.