

over street naming and house renumbering, and the Commission has advisory zoning powers. The zoning ordinances and amendments, however, are enacted by the County Council of Montgomery County and the Board of County Commissioners of Prince George's County sitting as a District Council for that portion of the District within each county. The Commission recommends land use or zoning ordinances and similar ordinance subject matters to the respective District Councils. The administrative expenses of the Commission are paid from an administrative tax levied within the District. The taxes levied by the Commission, which are collected by the County Treasurer in Prince George's County and the Director of Finance in Montgomery County, are as follows:

Montgomery County:		Prince George's County:	
Regional District:		Regional District:	
Administrative Tax:	3¢/\$100	Administrative Tax:	3¢/\$100
Metropolitan District:		Metropolitan District:	
Park Tax:	7¢/\$100	Park Tax:	5¢/\$100
Total: 10¢/\$100		8¢/\$100	

(Acts of 1943, chs. 992, 1008; Acts of 1945, chs. 942, 952; Acts of 1947, chs. 374, 760-764; 1st Sp. Sess. 1947, chs. 56, 57; Acts of 1949, chs. 582, 668; Acts of 1951, chs. 670, 671, 682; Acts of 1953, ch. 761).

Receipts and Disbursements Fiscal Year Ending April 30, 1953

Fund	Balance May 1, 1952	Receipts	Disburse- ments	Balance April 30, 1953
Administration	\$101,693.63	\$327,441.35	\$270,482.64	\$158,652.34
Parks (Regular A/C) .....	306,373.84	574,046.46	542,321.47	338,098.83
Parks (Capper- Cramton A/C) .....	905,952.12	2,500.00	253,266.93	655,185.19
<sup>a</sup> Recreation (Mont. Co. only) .....	228,149.07	216,365.65	217,627.59	226,887.13
<sup>b</sup> Building Inspec- tion (Pr. Geo. Co. only) .....	17,601.99	51,964.80	63,372.91	6,193.88
	\$1,559,770.65	\$1,172,318.26	\$1,347,071.54	\$1,385,017.37

Note: (a) Chapter 761, Laws of Maryland, 1953, provides for the repeal of the 5c recreation tax and the transfer of the administration of the recreation program from the Commission to Montgomery County, effective June 1, 1953.

(b) Chapter 761, Laws of Maryland, 1953, provides for the transfer of building inspection and enforcement of building and zoning ordinances from the Commission to Prince George's County, effective June 1, 1953.

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