

public improvements; to assist the State Planning Commission in the development of technical details necessary for the preparation of the Capital Improvement Program; to collect and maintain a file of plats and surveys of the location of all public improvements; and to represent the Board of Public Works at the opening of all bids for public improvements and tabulate, record, and advise the Board of such bids. The Department maintains an inspection division with representation on all major projects to insure adherence to established standards and specifications (Code 1957, Art. 78A, secs. 17-25).

Board of Architectural Review

Richard W. Ayers, Edwin F. Ball, Paul L. Gaudreau, Richard N. Jackson, Jr., Francis H. Jencks, Dennis W. Madden, John Poe Tyler.

The Board of Architectural Review, established by Chapter 80, Acts of 1949, consists of seven members appointed for four-year terms by the Director of the Department of Public Improvements from lists of nominations submitted by the Baltimore Chapter and by the Potomac Valley of Maryland Chapter of the American Institute of Architects. The Board advises the Department of Public Improvements about specifications related to proper architectural treatment of proposed buildings. The Board also reviews all architectural designs and drawings and recommends any changes necessary to make the proposed buildings functional and practical for the use intended (Code 1957, Art. 78A, sec. 23).

Art Commission

James E. Lewis, Wilbur H. Hunter, Jr., Charles Parkhurst

The Board of Public Works created this three-member art commission in August 1961 to advise the State on the artistic design and aesthetic ornamentation on public buildings.

Appropriations	1963	1964
General Funds	\$359,622	\$413,317
Staff: 48.		

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

James M. Brown, Superintendent
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The Office of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds was created by Chapter 15, Acts of 1862. The Superintendent, who is appointed by the Governor, has the following responsibilities: He is in charge of Government House salaries, service, and supplies. He has charge of the operation, maintenance and protection of Government House, The State House, Old Treasury Building, Court of Appeals, Hall of Records, Treasury Building, State Office Building, Treasury Building Annex, and the Power Plant; he is also responsible for upkeep of the grounds surrounding these buildings and of the parking lots. He operates the Fire Department, the Sewerage Department and the Garbage Collection for all these State buildings. Finally, he is in charge of the preservation of all State House paintings.

The Superintendent keeps an inventory of all movable property located in each of the buildings, and transmits a copy to the Secretary of State. (Code 1957, Art. 41, secs. 133-39).