

GREATER LAUREL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY

Chairman: Roderick E. Shipley, M.D., 1976

William C. Bevan, 1974; Martin E. Levy, 1974; Faust A. Navazio, 1974; Helen Rivero, 1974; Mrs. Donald Glace, 1975; William E. Shipley, 1975; Celia Jimenez, 1975; Andrew Tegeris, M.D., 1975; Harry T. Rorabaugh, 1976; Charles I. Warfield, M.D., 1976; Shirley Wetherald, 1976.

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The Greater Laurel Hospital Authority was created by Chapter 256, Acts of 1970, to construct, operate and oversee the construction or operation of a comprehensive public health facility including a full-service public hospital in the general vicinity of Laurel.

The Authority is governed by a twelve-member Board of Directors appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate for terms of three years. Persons appointed must reside in the general area to be served by the Authority. Three members are appointed from Anne Arundel County, three from Howard County, three from Montgomery County, and three from Prince George's County. Initially, one member was appointed from each county for a one-year term, one from each for a two-year term, and one from each for a three-year term. At least one of the members from each county must be a certified member of the medical profession. The Authority selects its own officers.

The Board of Directors of the Authority has the power to pass all by-laws required to construct, operate and maintain this comprehensive health facility. The Board may also accept certain gifts and grants, issue revenue bonds to fund its capital improvement program, and if necessary, establish additional hospitals, nursing homes, extended care facilities, general health facilities, clinics, and any other medical centers or any other facilities (Code 1957, 1971 Repl. Vol., Art. 43, secs. 755-766; 1972 Supp., Art. 43, secs. 757, 760, 766).

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

Robert E. Farber, M.D., Commissioner of Health, Baltimore City, 1974

Bertram Pepper, M.D., Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, 1974

J. Leo Delaney, Assistant State Superintendent,
Vocational Rehabilitation

Eugene H. Guthrie, M.D., Executive Director,
Comprehensive Health Planning Agency

Harold P. Biehl, M.D., 1974; Philip D. Bonnet, M.D., 1974; David J. Buckner, 1974; Harold A. Crane, 1974; Oliver M. Currier, 1974; Carl Friedler, 1974; Harry J. McGuirk, 1974; Raeburn H. Parker, 1974; Mark A. Krohn, 1974; Donald T. Schatz, 1974; David Stein, 1974; Robert E. Robards, 1975; Benedict Skitarelic, M.D., 1975; Harold Tschudi, 1975; Marcus W. Moore, Sr., M.D., 1976; George T. Tyler, 1976. (*Six vacancies*).

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The Advisory Council on Hospital Construction, originally established by Chapter 810, Acts of 1947, had its membership enlarged by Chapter 866, Acts of 1965. The Council consists of twenty-four persons appointed by the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene for three-year terms. The Commissioner of Health of Baltimore City and the Commissioner of Mental Hygiene serve as ex officio members of the Council. The Council advises and consults with the Secretary in his administration of a State plan for the construction and reconstruction