

How deter-
mined.

by them or a majority of them, stating that they have judged said road to be for the benefit and convenience of the public, and their reason therefor, and if they determine that said road is not for the public convenience, and ought not to be granted, they shall return to the County Commissioners a report declaring such opinion, and their reason therefor; and if any road petitioned for lies partly in one district and partly in another district, the County Commissioners shall issue orders to the Supervisors of the districts so situated, to meet as a joint board, who shall act in such case as herein directed for a district board.

Make estimate
of cost.

Sec. 16. *And be it enacted*, That whenever any road shall be located and surveyed as a public road, the Board of Supervisors of the district, or the joint Board of Supervisors, as the case may be, of the districts interested, shall make an estimate of the cost of said road, and shall assess the damages and benefits of the same, upon the individuals interested, and the district or districts respectively, in such proportion as they may deem just and proper, and shall furnish to the County Commissioners a report of such assessment; and if any person or district shall feel aggrieved by the judgment of the Board of Supervisors, he or they shall, within thirty days after said report or judgment, file with the County Commissioners his or their objection in writing, and the County Commissioners shall issue their warrant to the Sheriff of Baltimore County, directing him to summon a jury of twenty disinterested freeholders, inhabitants of said county, and not related to any of the parties making the objection, to meet on the premises at a time stated in said warrant, of which at least five days' notice shall be given to the person or persons filing the objections, and of the jury so summoned; the objector or objectors shall have the right to strike four and the Supervisors four, so that the jury may be reduced to twelve, who shall proceed to consider the award or judgment of the Supervisors and the objections thereto, and they may reverse, alter, amend or confirm the award or judgment of the Supervisors, and the costs shall be paid as the jury may direct, and their judgment shall be final; and when no objec-

Aggrieved.

Sheriff to
Summon jury.

Amend.