

Baltimore is hereby authorized to acquire, by purchase or condemnation, all such land, improvements, or other property, as may be reasonably required for said purposes; and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is hereby further authorized to construct said bridge either in a direct line from a point on the city side of said Patapsco River to a point in Anne Arundel county, or to construct said bridge from a point on the city side across to a point in Baltimore county, and thence across to the Anne Arundel county side, and, in the latter event, it is authorized to acquire, by purchase or condemnation, all such land and other property as may be reasonably required or needed for the purpose of abutments or approaches or connections of said bridge to, with, or over, the point in Baltimore county, as well as all such land and other property as may be reasonably required or needed in Baltimore City and Anne Arundel county for the abutments or approaches to the termini of said bridge; and this provision shall receive a liberal construction, so as to permit the City of Baltimore to acquire all land or other property that may be reasonably deemed requisite to be owned, in connection with said bridge and the control of the abutments and approaches to, and connections with or between the same, in Baltimore City, in Anne Arundel county, and in Baltimore county, if the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall determine to build said bridge by way of Baltimore county.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That in the construction of said bridge, there shall be constructed a sufficient draw, or draws or roller lift bridge or bridges, over the navigable part of said river at such point or points as are traversed by vessels for the passing and repassing of vessels by day and night; and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall also maintain a keeper or keepers for said draw or draws, or roller lift bridge or bridges, who shall open the same for the free passage of vessels whenever vessels desire to pass. The appointment and compensation of such keeper or keepers shall be such as may be prescribed by ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore. And the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is hereby charged with the duty of maintaining and lighting said bridge and the approaches thereto, and keeping the same in repair and proper condition.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That when, and so often as, resort shall be had to condemnation proceedings, under this act, the procedure, so far as the acquisition, by condemnation, of any land or property or thing situated within the City of Baltimore, or any interest, franchise, easement, right or privilege