

or amendment thereof shall be by resolution of the Commission carried by the affirmative votes of not less than four members of the Commission, of whom not less than two members shall be from Montgomery County and not less than two members from Prince George's County. The resolution shall refer expressly to the maps and descriptive and other matter intended by the Commission to form the whole or part of the plan or, amendment and the action taken shall be recorded on the map, plan or descriptive matter by the identifying signature of the chairman and secretary of the Commission. An attested copy of the plan or any part thereof or any substantial amendment thereof or addition thereto shall be certified by the Commission and filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of each of Montgomery and Prince George's Counties.

1927, ch. 448, sec. 5.

589. For the purpose of paying the current operating or administrative expenses of the Commission, including the cost of the preparation and making of the plan of the District or any part of such plan, there shall be levied annually beginning with the next annual levy against all the assessable property within the District by the County Commissioners of Montgomery and Prince George's Counties, a tax of three (3 c.) cents on each one hundred dollars. The said County Commissioners are hereby directed in their next annual levy and annually thereafter to levy said tax on all property both real and personal assessed for County tax purposes within the District, which taxes shall be levied and collected as County taxes now are or may be hereafter by law levied and collected, and have the same priority rights, bear the same interest and penalties and in every respect be treated the same as County taxes. The proceeds of the collection of such tax shall be paid to the Commission and shall constitute the administrative fund of the Commission. The expenditures of the Commission for operating or administrative purposes shall be within the amount of such fund, together with such additional funds as may be appropriated or contributed for such purposes by said County Commissioners or by the General Assembly of Maryland or by the United States or by private donors. For the purpose of providing funds for organization of the Commission and the prosecution of its preliminary work, the County Commissioners of each county are hereby authorized to pay to the Commission on or before May 1st, 1927, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, and to deduct each year for three years from the amounts collected as herein provided, one-third of the amounts so advanced; or for the purpose of providing funds for its organization and preliminary work the Commission is hereby authorized and empowered, as soon after organization as conveniently may be, to borrow a sum not exceeding \$10,000 from any bank or institution or individual willing to lend the same, and to issue its notes or obligations for the same in amounts not exceeding the aggregate of \$10,000 bearing interest at not exceeding 6%, which sum shall be repayable out of the proceeds of the tax levied for the use of the Commission one-third in each year succeeding.