

said Commissioners, for the faithful performance of such contract, and to require a similar bond of any of the agents or employees appointed by said Commissioners under the authority of this Article.

1910, ch. 484, sec. 177-I. 1912, ch. 109, sec. 177-I. 1912, ch. 790, sec. 457.
1918, ch. 229, sec. 177-I.

755. The County Commissioners of Montgomery County may, after the passage of this Act, appoint, if in their judgment it is advisable, a man of good judgment and having the necessary technical qualifications and experience in road building to perform the duties of the office as Montgomery County Road Superintendent; determine the amount of the bond which he shall give; fix his salary at not exceeding eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.) per annum, payable monthly, and may remove said County Road Superintendent, upon written charges after an opportunity to be heard not less than five days after the service of such charges, when in their judgment, it is best for the public interests; and upon the death, resignation, vacancy or removal of said superintendent may appoint a successor with the same rights and obligations. The term of office of said Road Superintendent shall be for two years unless removed as herein provided. Said Road Superintendent shall incur no expenses and receive no additional allowance for services without authority from the County Commissioners first had and obtained; should any such additional allowance be made by the County Commissioners the same shall be charged against the general bridge fund, and when such additional allowance is for expenses incurred for any special road or bridge such expenses shall be charged against such road or bridge fund. The Road Superintendent for Montgomery County shall inspect the roads and bridges in each district as often as may be necessary to thoroughly familiarize himself with the condition and the requirements of the County generally, and recommend to the said County Commissioners such repairs and improvements as he may think advisable; he shall make such general or special examination of any road or bridge as may be required by said Commissioners, and he shall submit plans and specifications and make estimates for the construction, repairs or improvement of any particular road or bridge authorized by said County Commissioners; such plans and specifications when adopted by the board shall not be changed except by a majority vote of the full board; said road superintendent shall inspect or cause to be inspected and report on all material to be used on the roads and bridges, and supervise the work done on the bridges, and on stone or other permanently improved roads, and see that all contracts in reference thereto are faithfully executed; he shall have supervision subject to the control of the said Commissioners of the operation, preservation and repair of road making and road maintaining machinery and equipment, and of machinery, tools and equipment for quarrying and crushing stone; he shall submit to the said Commissioners a comprehensive plan for the maintenance of the roads, and shall, when requested by said Commissioners, give instructions to the foremen or other person in charge of such repairs as to