

As the term of office of each commissioner expires, the governor shall appoint a successor thereto for the full term of five years, and he shall fill any vacancy which may occur in such board of sidepath commissioners for the balance of any unexpired term.

1900, ch. 658, sec. 2.

**52.** Such board of State sidepath commissioners shall appoint, upon the petition of fifteen resident wheelmen in any county, a county board of sidepath commissioners, to consist of five resident wheelmen, upon the approval of the county commissioners first had and obtained. Said county board of sidepath commissioners shall exercise the powers and perform the duties of a local board of sidepath commissioners of Baltimore city such as are provided in this sub-title for the county board of sidepath commissioners in any county. The term of office of the county board of sidepath commissioners shall be co-existent with that of the board of State sidepath commissioners.

Ibid. sec. 3.

**53.** Any county board of sidepath commissioners having first obtained the consent in writing of the county commissioners, with the advice and consent of the State board of sidepath commissioners, shall be authorized to lay out, construct and maintain sidepaths along the edges of any public highway in the county from which they are appointed between the traveled portions thereof and the line of the abutting property; and the county commissioners of any county are empowered to exercise all the duties and powers which the road laws of any county may provide, so far as the laws are applicable, to enable and assist in building the sidepaths as provided in this sub-title.

Ibid. sec. 4.

**54.** Such board of State sidepath commissioners shall, on entering upon its duties and in each calendar year thereafter, determine upon a form of license to be attached or affixed to a bicycle, to be known as a bicycle sidepath license. Each such license shall be valid during the calendar year for which it is issued and no longer. Every person shall be entitled to be furnished by such board with such bicycle sidepath license upon the payment of a fee of one dollar therefor.