

pointive members shall be four years; except that the terms of two of the members first appointed from Montgomery County and of two of the members first appointed from Prince George's County shall be respectively six years each. Any vacancy occurring at any time in the personnel of the Commission shall be filled by the Governor for the unexpired term, and be subject to confirmation by the Board of Commissioners of the County in which the vacancy occurs. The Commission shall at its first meeting after the effective date of this Act or as soon thereafter as may be convenient, by a majority vote, of the members present, elect as Chairman of the Commission one of the appointive Commissioners. The annual salary of the Chairman shall be Three Thousand Dollars, and of the other five Commissioners shall be Five Hundred Dollars per annum, payable monthly, provided however, that such salary in the case of the Commissioner who is Chairman of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission shall be in addition to the salary received by him in the latter capacity. The Commission, at its first meeting after the effective date of this Act, or as soon thereafter as may be convenient, shall by a majority vote of the members present appoint a General Counsel to the Commission at an annual salary of Twenty-four Hundred Dollars payable monthly, and a Secretary-Treasurer, who shall be a bonded official at an annual salary of Two Thousand Dollars, payable monthly. The Commission shall likewise by majority vote of the members present elect one of the members of the Commission, who is a resident of Montgomery County, as Park Commissioner for the Parks located in Montgomery County, and said Commissioner so elected shall represent the Commission in the construction and maintenance of parks and roadways and any other operation which the Commission may undertake. For such services the said Park Commissioner shall be paid the salary of Thirty-six Hundred Dollars per year, payable monthly, and said salary shall be in addition to the salary received by said Park Commissioner as Commissioner. Said Park Commissioner shall be furnished transportation, and the additional salary of \$3,600, as well as the transportation costs for said Park Commissioner, shall be paid out of the proceeds of the seven cent park tax of Montgomery County. The Commission may appoint, discharge at pleasure, and fix the compensation of or may contract for the services of such engineering, planning, administrative, auditing, clerical or other force, as, from time to time in its judgment, may be necessary to the administration of this Act, and may require any employee to give bond with surety approved by and in a sum to be fixed by the Commission.

The terms of office of those members of the Commission who were in office on January 1, 1937, which terms would otherwise