

CHAPTER 464.

AN ACT to add certain new sections to Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Anne Arundel County," sub-title "Roads," providing for the construction, improvement and repairs of the public roads of Anne Arundel county, on the contract system.

**Road com-
missioners.** SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel county within thirty days after the passage of this act shall appoint one person in each of the election districts of Anne Arundel county, except in the city of Annapolis, to be known as the Road Commissioners in the several districts of said county, and these Road Commissioners so appointed shall constitute a board to be known and styled as the "Board of Road Commissioners of Anne Arundel County;" the said Road Commissioners shall be selected with special reference to their fitness to manage the matter of the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of the public roads each in his respective district, and three of said Road Commissioners shall be selected from each of the two political parties in said county which shall have cast the largest number of votes in said county at the last preceding general election.

**Term, pay
and oath.** SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the appointment of said Road Commissioners shall be for the period of three years from the date of their appointment, and shall be communicated in writing by the clerk of the Board of County Commissioners to the person appointed who shall receive the annual compensation of one hundred dollars for the performance of his duties, and who, before he enters upon the discharge of his duties, shall take an oath before the clerk of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel county well and faithfully to discharge the duties of his office according to the best of his skill and judgment, which oath shall be recorded by the clerk of the County Commissioners in the records of his office.

Meetings. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the said Road Commissioners shall hold at least one meeting in each month, and shall be entitled to hold their meetings in the County Commissioners' room; and it is hereby made the duty of the clerk of the County Commissioners to furnish to said Road Commissioners such stationery and postage-stamps as they may need in the discharge of their duties at the expense of the county; and the messenger of the County Commissioners shall act as messenger to the