

as said districts now exist, and to be known as road district number two, shall elect one County Road Commissioner, who shall be a freeholder and a resident of said road district number two, and well fitted to have charge of the repairing and construction of roads; and the legally qualified voters of that portion of said county comprised in the election district of Brandywine, Surratts, Spaldings, Piscataway and Oxon Hill, as said districts now exist, and to be known as road district number three, shall elect one County Road Commissioner, who shall be a freeholder and a resident of said road district number three, and well fitted to have charge of the repairing and construction of roads; which three County Road Commissioners shall constitute the Board of County Road Commissioners; their term of office shall begin upon the first Monday of February following their election, and continue for two years, and until their successors may be elected, and qualified, when their office and all records, funds and property under their control shall be turned over to their successors; provided, however, that nothing in this Act shall interfere with the tenure of office of the present Board of County Road Commissioners, and that Samuel G. Malloy, James A. Swceny and George W. Hardy shall constitute the Board of County Road Commissioners of Prince George's county until the first Monday in February, nineteen hundred and four, and until their successors may be elected and qualified, subject to all the regulations prescribed by the Act of 1900, chapter 346.

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CHAPTER 568.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "St. Mary's County," sub-title "Justices of the Peace," to come in after section 56 and to be known as 56 A, relating to the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in said county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new section be and the same is hereby added to Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "St. Mary's County," sub-title "Justices of the Peace," to come in after section 56, and to be known as 56 A, and to read as follows:

New section added.

56 A. Whenever a justice of the peace for said county shall issue a summons for a defendant residing in a different election district from the said justice he shall, upon the request of the defendant, transmit the papers in the cause to some justice

Papers transmitted to justice of the district where defendant resides.