

At the general election held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1917, and every four (4) years thereafter the legally qualified voters of Prince George's County shall elect six (6) Road Directors for said County to serve in the six (6) Road Districts created herein for a term of four years from the first Monday in March next succeeding their election, or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. The Road Director for each District to be a resident in said District for which he is elected. Said Road Directors shall be nominated and elected as are other County Officers and the Board of Election Supervisors are hereby directed to print the names of the candidates for nomination to said offices and the candidates for election thereto upon the official primary and general election ballots as the names of other County Candidates are printed. In case of a vacancy occurring in any Directorship, by reason of death, resignation, removal or other cause, the Board of County Commissioners shall have power to fill the same.

SEC. 283. The Board of County Commissioners shall have power to open new roads, construct bridges and close old roads, when they shall deem it advisable, following the provisions of the Code of Public General Laws relating thereto. The expense thereof shall be charged to the Election District in which said roads or bridges may be located, except as may be herein otherwise provided and the work on such roads shall be done by the Road Director for said District. The Board of County Commissioners shall have the right to advertise for bids for the construction of bridges and culverts, and to award such work, under contract, to the lowest responsible bidder; where the cost of the same exceeds \$200.00, and in such cases the cost thereof shall be charged to the general fund and not to the respective Election District. They shall have the right to purchase or lease gravel banks or stone quarries or otherwise acquire desirable materials for road construction and repair and shall have the right to condemn land for such purposes or for the purpose of widening, straightening or opening roads as land is now or may hereafter be condemned by law. The title to all property, real, personal, or mixed in any way used in connection with the road system of Prince George's County is hereby vested in the Board of County Commissioners of Prince George's County and it shall require no conveyance or other action by any other agents of the County now in existence, to vest such title in the said Board of County Commissioners. All