

sition presented by the petition first filed shall be printed upon the ballot. The sample ballots relating to any such election district shall have printed upon them the substance of the petition as constitutional amendments are now required to be printed upon said ballots. The vote on said proposition shall be canvassed and returned as the vote on constitutional amendments are now canvassed and returned, except that the Board of Supervisors of Elections after final canvass shall certify the result of said vote to the County Commissioners of Prince George's County. If the result of such vote as so certified shall show a majority in favor of a special tax levy the County Commissioners shall annually thereafter levy against the property assessed for purposes of taxation within said election district the amount so voted upon and for the number of years so voted upon; and if the result of such vote as so certified show a majority in favor of a special bond issue the County Commissioners shall forthwith borrow upon the faith and credit of said county the sum so voted upon and shall issue bonds over their hands and seals maturing at such time and in such denominations, either registered or coupon, as they may determine bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent., payable semi-annually and shall sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, after due advertisement in such papers and for such time as they may determine. In order to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide for the payment at maturity the County Commissioners shall annually levy against the assessable property within such election district an amount sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide for the payment of the same at maturity; they shall create a sinking fund by annual deposits in some bank which shall equal the amount of said bonds at their maturity, and the sinking fund so created shall not be diverted or used for any other purpose whatsoever. At no time shall the aggregate special tax levy for road purposes in any district exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars or seven and one-half per cent of the assessable property in bonds. The amount so received from said special tax levy or the sale of said bonds shall be credited to said election district and shall be paid as the apportionment of said election district from the general road funds is paid under this Act.

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