

26. All the streets, alleys, lanes and public grounds in said town of Betterton shall be subject, however, at all times for municipal and police purposes, to the control of the Commissioners of Betterton, who may establish, maintain, alter and repair said streets, alleys lanes and public grounds, and make such improvements thereof and thereon as may, from time to time, seem to be necessary as herein provided, and the County Commissioners of Kent County shall annually on or before the first day of January 1923, and every year thereafter, pay over to the Commissioners of Betterton the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300), so that the Commissioners of Betterton may receive and disburse the said amount for the purpose of keeping in repair the public ways of said town of Betterton.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1922.

Approved April 13th, 1922.

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## CHAPTER 451.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Chapter 15 of the Acts of 1920, relating to advertising or publishing annual reports or statements by the County Commissioners and the County Board of Education.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Chapter 15 of the Acts of 1920 be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, to read as follows:

1. The Board of County Commissioners of Garrett County and the Board of Education of Garrett County, jointly or separately, are required to publish during the month of November next succeeding the close of the fiscal year of each board, annual statements of all receipts and expenditures of the respective boards, the same to be sworn to by the presidents of the said respective boards. The aforesaid publications shall be made in the county newspaper which submits the lowest bid for publishing the annual statements herein required; if the bids so received from county newspapers for such publication are too high according to the judgment of the Board of County Commissioners or the County Board of Education, either jointly or separately, then in lieu of such publication in a county newspaper, the Board of County Commissioners of Garrett