

000 for the purpose of general improvements within the limits of Annapolis, and to submit the question of the issuance of said bonds to the voters of said city, and to provide for the advertisement and sale of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon and their redemption when due.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds on the credit of the said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis to the amount of \$72,000, and said bonds shall be exempt from state, county and municipal taxation; said bonds to be signed by the Mayor of Annapolis and attested by the City Clerk thereof, with the corporate seal of said city attached thereto; said bonds to bear interest of not over six per centum per annum as determined by the Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis, said interest to be payable semi-annually upon the presentation of interest coupons which are to be attached to said bonds, and said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen are herewith authorized and empowered to determine all other matters connected with the character of said bonds and the method and incidents of their issue, not in conflict with the provisions of this Act; said bonds are to mature and shall be payable by the Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis as follows: \$4,000 in the year 1925; \$4,000 in the year 1926; \$4,000 in the year 1927; \$4,000 in 1928; \$4,000 in 1929; \$4,000 in 1930; \$4,000 in 1931; \$4,000 in 1932; \$4,000 in 1933; \$4,000 in 1934; \$4,000 in 1935; \$4,000 in 1936; \$4,000 in 1937; \$4,000 in 1938; \$4,000 in 1939; \$4,000 in 1940; \$4,000 in 1941; \$4,000 in 1942; provided that the voters of the City of Annapolis shall decide that said bonds shall issue, as hereinafter set out.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis shall call a special election to be held in the City of Annapolis within sixty days of the passage of this Act, at which time it shall be determined by the qualified voters of that city whether or not said bonds shall be issued; and the said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis are herewith authorized to hold such election, to fix the time thereof within the limits herein prescribed and to do all things necessary for the conduct of such election, giving due notice of the time when it shall be held and the voting places; there shall be placed upon the ballots to be