

tion shall be given by inserting in a newspaper published in Howard County at least twice before the date of said election an advertisement setting forth the time of the election, the place at which it will be held and the purpose for which it will be held; and also by handbills to be posted in at least five public places within the corporate limits of Ellicott City, as now existing, at least two weeks before said election, said handbills to state where said election is to be held, when it is to be held, and for what purpose it is to be held. Said three (3) commissioners of Ellicott City elected on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of August, 1914, as aforesaid, shall hold office until the second Monday of June, 1918, or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. Beginning with the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May, 1918, the election for Commissioners of Ellicott City shall be held every four years in the manner and form herein specified, that is the next election for Commissioners of Ellicott City, after the election in August, 1914, shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May, 1918, and then elections shall be held every four years thereafter. The designation of the place of election, after the Commissioners of Ellicott City have been elected, shall be made by the President of the Commissioners of Ellicott City, and notice of such election shall be given by the posting of handbills in five public places within the corporate limits of Ellicott City, as now existing, at least two weeks before said election, said handbills to set forth the time, the place and the purpose of said election. The time of said election shall be from eight o'clock A. M. to seven o'clock P. M.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Sections 67, 70, 71 and 81B, of Article 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Howard County", sub-title "Ellicott City", as said Sections were enacted by Chapter 836 of the Acts of 1914, be, and the same are hereby, repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

67. The Commissioners of Ellicott City may pass all ordinances necessary to preserve the health of said City; to prevent and remove nuisances; to suppress gambling; to license public amusements not taxed by the State; to open and keep open streets, lanes and alleys with the consent of the owners of the land through which the same may pass, or by paying damages therefor, which damages in all cases when property is condemned for City purposes shall be determined by a jury