

230J of said Article, as said sections were enacted by Chapter 35 of the Acts of 1910, relating to the term of office, powers and duties of the County Road Engineer.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 230D of Article 18 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Queen Anne's County", subtitle "Roads", as said section was enacted by Chapter 35 of the Acts of 1910, be and it is hereby repealed, and that Sections 230C, 230E, 230F, 230H and 230J of said Article 18, as said sections were enacted by Chapter 35 of the Acts of 1910, be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

230C. The County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County, on or before the first day of June, in the year nineteen hundred and ten, shall appoint some competent person, who shall have a sufficient knowledge of civil engineering to enable him to accurately make surveys, plats, profiles and specifications for the grading, draining, maintenance, repairs and reconstruction of the public roads of said county, and also to do the necessary engineering work for the building or rebuilding of bridges, and who shall have at least three years' experience in road engineering work, to be County Road Engineer for Queen Anne's County, the said County Road Engineer shall hold his office for the term of four years from the date of his appointment unless sooner removed for cause and shall receive a salary not exceeding eighteen hundred dollars per year, payable monthly; and every four years thereafter or in case of vacancy in said office, as hereinafter provided, the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County shall appoint some competent person having the above qualifications to be County Road Engineer of said county, and the said appointment shall be made without any reference whatever to the political opinions of the person so appointed.

230E. The County Road Engineer shall reside in Queen Anne's County during the term of his office, and shall have control and supervision of the working, repairing and reconstructing of the public roads and bridges in Queen Anne's County, and shall make all specifications for the building of new roads and bridges. He shall employ such help, teams and implements as he may deem necessary for the working, repairing and reconstructing said roads and bridges, to be paid by the County Commissioners; he shall not employ any