

portions of Anne Arundel County over which the Commission exercises authority, wherein in its judgment, such supply and systems, or any of them, are necessary, and shall divide each Sanitary District into water, sewerage or drainage districts in such way as shall, in its judgment, best serve the needs of the various communities, and shall promote convenience and economy of installation and operation. Whenever and as such plans are completed, the Commission shall give notice by publication in one or more newspapers published within the County, and by handbills posted and circulated in the localities, where said improvements are contemplated, and shall state in said notice the probable cost of the contemplated improvements, and shall further state therein that plans of the improvements may be inspected at the Commission's office and that any person interested in said improvements will be heard by the Commission at a time to be specified in the notice, but not less than ten days after first publication thereof. If ten residents and landowners in the district wherein the improvements are contemplated shall thereupon file a petition with the Commission within ten days after first publication of said notice protesting against the proposed improvement, the Commission shall grant them a hearing within ten days after such petition is filed in the office of the Commission and after not less than five days' notice of the time and place of said hearing by advertisement published in one or more newspapers published within the County, and by personal notice addressed to any one or more of the persons whose names are signed to said petition. After due hearing, as aforesaid, the Commission shall pass upon and decide the objections stated in the petition; and shall dispose of the same by written order concurred in by a majority of the Commissioners, which order shall be published as aforesaid and a copy of which shall be mailed to any one or more of the petitioners. If the petitioners are not satisfied with the Commission's decision, they shall have the right to take and enter, within ten days after the first publication of said order as aforesaid, an appeal to the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County, who shall review after due notice and hearing the Commission's decision and decide as to the necessity and propriety of the improvement contemplated and whether the district can stand the cost of the same; and the decision of the County Commissioners shall be final.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That for the purpose of providing funds for the design, construction, establishment, purchase or condemnation of the water supply, sewerage and drainage system in any of the Sanitary Districts, said Commission is authorized and empowered to issue bonds, from time to time, in such amounts as it may deem to be necessary to carry on its work, but at no time shall the total issue of bonds in any Sanitary District for all purposes, under this Act, exceed ten per