

Commission for the purpose of paying for public road improvements in Allegany County, and providing for the method of repaying said notes and interest thereon.

WHEREAS, on the 26th day of April, 1928, the County Commissioners of Allegany County and the State Roads Commission of Maryland entered into an agreement that the said State Roads Commission should by contract construct and complete a portion of a lateral road in Allegany County, extending five and one-half miles from a point fourteen miles southwest of Cumberland to McCoolle, and thereunder it was agreed that the County Commissioners of Allegany County should advance to the State Roads Commission the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Thousand (\$180,000) Dollars to be paid by said State Roads Commission toward the cost of construction of the same, and that thereafter any and all sums of money which should be allocated to the County Commissioners of Allegany County from the "Lateral Road Gasoline Tax Fund," as provided by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1927, and/or from the Post Road Fund, and/or from any other regular appropriation allotted to said Allegany County, should be used by said County Commissioners of Allegany County for the purpose of repayment of said sum of One Hundred and Eighty Thousand (\$180,000.00) Dollars, and should not be used by said State Roads Commission for any other lateral road improvements in Allegany County until said sum of One Hundred and Eighty Thousand (\$180,000.00) Dollars should be so returned to said Allegany County, and

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners of Allegany County, in order to raise the funds necessary to compensate the State Roads Commission, agreed to issue notes to the amount of One Hundred and Eighty Thousand (\$180,000.00) Dollars, and

WHEREAS, under said agreement, the said State Roads Commission did enter into a contract for the construction of said part of said road, and said road is now completed and in use, and the costs of construction therefor are due and payable to the contractor, and

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners of Allegany County are advised that they have no authority to issue notes for such purposes, unless specifically authorized so to do by the General Assembly of the State of Maryland; now, therefore.