

Chesapeake Bay and tributaries; authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County to act as a district council for each taxing and assessment district; authorizing and empowering said Commissioners, acting as District Council for said respective districts, to acquire land for the construction of erosion prevention works by purchase or condemnation in any of such districts; to borrow money upon the faith and credit of any of such districts to be improved for the purchase and condemnation of land for the construction of erosion prevention works in any of such districts; to provide a hearing to the owners of real property in any district proposed to be improved before such improvements are made; to advertise for bids and award contracts for such works, and to construct the same; to levy a benefit charge on all real estate in each district so improved after notice to and hearing of the owners of real property in such district; to levy a tax on all assessable property in each district so improved, annually, to repay money borrowed for the construction of such works in each district, other necessary disbursements and to keep said works in repair; to require the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County to guarantee the payment of the principal and interest of bonds issued under this Act; to require the keeping of separate records of the proceedings of the County Commissioners as District Council for each district and separate accounts of receipts and disbursements for each district, and to provide for the collection of such assessments and taxes by the Treasurer of Anne Arundel County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title, "Anne Arundel County," be and it hereby is amended by inserting immediately after Section 515 the following sub-title, "Taxing and Assessment Districts."

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Article 2 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Anne Arundel County," be and it hereby is amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 505A to follow immediately after Section 505, and by adding seven new sections thereto to be known respectively as Sections 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, and 522, to follow immediately after the sub-title "Taxing and Assess-