

in such case the \$1,800 per annum shall include the \$1,200 additional compensation to be received for maintaining daily office hours. The attorney to the Board of County Commissioners shall, in addition to the salary paid him as attorney to the Board, receive for services performed by him under the provisions of this Act, the further sum of \$1,000 per annum. All salaries paid under the provisions of this Act shall be charged to the Administrative Fund created under the provisions of Section 7 of this Act.

10. That whenever in its judgment, the public health, safety or comfort requires it, the Board of County Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to grade, construct, reconstruct, pave or otherwise improve any street, sidewalk, alley or public highway or parts thereof at such time and to such extent and of such materials and in such manner as it shall by ordinance provide, and such construction is hereby declared to be a benefit to all property abutting thereon. The total cost of the construction of gutters, curbs and sidewalks shall be charged as a benefit against the abutting property found to be specially benefited as hereinafter provided. The total cost or any portion thereof of the construction, paving or other permanent improvement of roads or highways, may be assessed against the abutting property found to be specially benefited as hereinafter provided, and any proportion of the cost of any such project not assessed against abutting property shall be paid from District-wide taxation or the proceeds of the sale of District-wide bonds as may be determined by said Board of County Commissioners, and the total cost of street lighting shall be borne from the general revenues to be collected under this Act and paid from the Street Lighting Fund.

Before entering upon the construction of any work or improvement specified herein, the Board shall by ordinance designate the location, extent and kind of work or improvement proposed to be done or made, the kind of materials to be used, the estimated cost of the improvement and the real property which will be especially benefited thereby and which it is proposed to assess to pay all or any part of the cost thereof, and shall fix a time and place when and where the owner or owners of the property to be so assessed therefor can be heard in reference thereto. Notice of such hearing, embodying the substance of such ordinance, shall be served personally upon