

1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Takoma Park", and to Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Takoma Park", said sections to be known as 1106A (953A) and 1106B (953B) and to follow immediately after Section 1106 and 953, respectively, to create the Takoma Park Fire Commission and prescribe its powers and duties; and to authorize and direct the Mayor and Council of Takoma Park to pay over to the Takoma Park Volunteer Fire Department certain moneys upon the certification of the said Commission for operation and maintenance of said Volunteer Fire Department.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That 2 new sections be and they are hereby added to the Code of Public Local Laws of Montgomery County (1939 Edition—being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, 1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Takoma Park", and to Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Takoma Park", said sections to be known as Sections 1106A (953A) and 1106B (953B), to follow immediately after Sections 1106 and 953, respectively, and to read as follows:

1106A.

(953A). There is hereby created a Commission to be known as the Takoma Park Fire Commission, to consist of five members, one of whom shall be the duly qualified Mayor of Takoma Park and all of whom shall be qualified voters and property owners in the Town of Takoma Park. The remaining four members shall be elected from the active membership of the Takoma Park Volunteer Fire Department, Inc., or its successors, for a term of one year ending December 31st, of each year. It shall be the duty of the said Fire Commission to certify annually on or before March 1st of each year to the Mayor and Council of the Town of Takoma Park the amount necessary to assist the Takoma Park Volunteer Fire Department in the succeeding fiscal year, beginning July 1, thereafter, to render adequate fire protection to the inhabitants of the Town and to assist in maintaining the said Fire Department, except that for the year 1941 such certification may be made at least one week prior to the adoption of the town budget. The amount so certified shall not exceed such an amount as would be produced by a levy of 15c. per hundred dollars