

is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

207. At the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in the month of November in the year nineteen hundred and forty-six (1946) and every four years thereafter, there shall be elected three County Commissioners for Anne Arundel County, one of whom shall be nominated and elected as Chairman; said Commissioners shall meet at their office in the Court House at Annapolis, for the transaction of the duties of their office at least one day in each week, and on such other days as the Chairman may deem necessary.

A person to be eligible to the office of County Commissioners in Anne Arundel County shall have actually resided in the county for at least ten years, and the Chairman shall be a taxpayer upon real estate in said county, assessed for at least \$5,000. and each of the other commissioners shall be a taxpayer upon real estate in said county, assessed for at least \$2,500. The Chairman shall give his full time to the duties of his office and shall receive a salary of \$4,500. per year and \$500. for traveling and other expenses, and each of the other two commissioners shall receive a salary of \$1,800. per year and \$400. for traveling and other expenses, and said commissioners shall receive no other extra compensation of any kind whatsoever.

The candidates for county commissioners shall be nominated and elected in accordance with the general election laws of the State.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall not become effective until it shall have been submitted, for adoption or rejection, to the qualified voters of Anne Arundel County at the General Election in November, 1944. There shall be printed on the ballots to be used at said election the title of this Act and underneath said title on separate lines, a square or box to the right of and opposite the words "For Three County Commissioners," and a corresponding square or box to the right of and opposite the words "Against Three County Commissioners," so that the voters shall be able to designate by a cross mark in the proper square or box his or her decision for or against said question. If a majority of the votes cast on said question shall be "For Three County Commissioners," then this Act shall thereupon become effective, but if a majority of the votes cast thereon shall be "Against Three County Commissioners," then this Act shall become null and void and of no effect whatsoever.