

chase is approved by the State Board of Health, and requires authority to consummate said purchase and finance the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That, in the event the corporate limits of the Town are extended by Act of the General Assembly of Maryland to include the sub-division in Montgomery County immediately to the southeast of the Town, known as Twin Brook, the Town is hereby authorized and empowered, upon the conditions hereinafter set forth, to enter into negotiations for the acquisition of, and to acquire, from the actual owner or owners thereof, whether corporate or individual, the water supply system, the sewerage system and the sewage disposal plant now installed and in operation in or adjacent to said sub-division within said corporate limits as extended. For the purposes of this Act, the term "water supply system" shall include all wells, pumps, machinery, feeder mains, tools, motor vehicles, mechanical equipment, whether affixed or detached from the land, real estate and the improvements thereon, easements and rights of way, supplies, pipe, and all equipment, whether in place or available for installation, which comprise the operating water supply system of the Twin Brook sub-division. For the purposes of this Act, the term "sewerage system" shall include all trunk sewers presently installed in the area adjacent to said sub-division of Twin Brook, the easements or rights of way therefor, or for any extensions or enlargements thereof, all surplus or standby equipment or supplies currently being used in the operation thereof, all lines connecting to the existing sewage disposal plant, all trunk line manholes and generally all tangible personal property in use in the operation of the sewerage system in Twin Brook and the area adjacent thereto at the time of the consummation of the purchase hereby authorized. For the purposes of this Act, the term "sewage disposal plant" shall include the present sewage treatment plant located in or adjacent to said sub-division on or near the shore of Rock Creek, including all trunks entering or leaving the same, all sewage treatment facilities located therein, the settling and aereating basins attached thereto, the real estate upon which the same is located together with the structure housing said plant and all equipment, tools, supplies, engines, motors, fuel or other material being used in the operation of said plant at the time of the consummation of its purchase. None of the foregoing definitions shall include any item of property to be purchased or installed by the Town under any program undertaken by it pursuant to the authority of Sec-