

title "Draining Lands", relating to the powers of the Board of Managers of drainage areas.

SECTION 1. *Beit enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 71 of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "County Commissioners", sub-title "Draining Lands", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

71. The Board of Managers shall proceed to carry out the plan of drainage improvements, and in exercising the authority herein conferred they may employ supervisors, ditchers and laborers; may purchase, hire or rent dredges, excavators, machines and explosives; and may do such other acts as may be necessary, including the power to borrow money from banks or other persons by promissory notes, in the name of the Board of Managers, provided said borrowing is first approved by the County Commissioners of the applicable county. They may, in their discretion, let contracts for all or part of the work. They shall have authority, in furtherance of the work, to enter into agreements with county, state and Federal agencies. They shall keep a regular account of their expenditures and report the same to the annual meetings of the taxables. All payments shall be made by orders drawn by the Board of Managers on the county treasurer.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1949.

Approved April 22, 1949.

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## CHAPTER 272

(Senate Bill 389)

AN ACT to amend the Charter of the town of Snow Hill by repealing and re-enacting with amendments Section 297 of Article 24 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 edition), title "Worcester County", sub-title "Snow Hill", and to add to said Article four (4) new Sections to follow immediately after said Section 297 and to be known as Sections 297A, 297B, 297C and 297D, to provide for extending the corporate limits of said town of Snow Hill, subjecting the territory annexed and the inhabitants therein to the Government of Mayor and