

Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Anne Arundel County," sub-title "Annapolis," as said Section was enacted by Chapter 417 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at its January Session in the year 1931, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

73A. The Mayor [, Counselor] and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis are hereby authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to acquire by gift, grant, purchase or condemnation, any land, with any improvements thereon, either within or without the limits of said city, for parks, playgrounds or any other municipal purpose or use, and to enact ordinances regulating the use thereof and *said Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Annapolis are hereby further authorized and empowered to sell any such land, or any parcel of land, including the improvements thereon, no longer needed by the city for any public use. No such sale of any such property no longer needed for public use shall be made until the same shall have been first approved by an ordinance of the city duly enacted and every such sale shall be made at public sale unless a private sale thereof be expressly authorized in such ordinance. The conveyance of any such property shall be evidenced by a deed executed on behalf of the city by the Mayor and a majority of the Aldermen and such deed shall make express reference to the ordinance approving such sale by number and date of passage. The power hereby conferred shall apply to all property acquired by the city by gift, grant, purchase or condemnation, as aforesaid, as well as all property acquired by and vested in the city by tax sales or otherwise, and the finding in the ordinance above mentioned that any such property so sold is no longer needed for public use shall be conclusive.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 13, 1951.

CHAPTER 438

(House Bill 734)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 29 (a) of Article 66½ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*
 [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.
 CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.