

they shall be known by the corporate style of "County Commissioners for Prince George's County", [herein sometimes] *hereinafter* referred to as the Board. [They] *The said Board* shall elect a presiding officer to serve during his term of office who shall devote his full time to the duties of his office, and shall have, subject to the direction of and review by the Board, administrative supervision over all departments and employees of the County government. The presiding officer shall receive an annual salary of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and each of the other four commissioners shall receive an annual salary of Three Thousand Six Hundred Dollars, as full compensation for their official duties as Commissioner or in any ex officio capacity. The presiding officer shall be [known] *designated* as the President, but [shall also have] *may adopt* the title of Chairman for any purpose for which the use of such title is appropriate. County Commissioners shall take office on the first Tuesday of December following their election.

(b) The Board shall regularly meet at least two days a week as County Commissioners, in addition to such meetings as it may hold as the District Council of the Maryland-National Capital Park & Planning Commission. It shall have all the power and authority now or hereafter granted to it by law, *subject to the provisions of this Act*, and [may] *shall*, by resolution, ordinance, or other appropriate action:

- [1. Adopt rules of procedure for the conduct of its meetings.
2. Establish departments of the County government and prescribe their functions.
3. Provide for the appointment and removal of all County officers and employees except those whose appointment or election is provided for by the Constitution or Public General or Public Local Laws, and fix their salary or compensation.
4. Prescribe the duties, powers, and functions of any officer, employee, or board appointed by it or under its supervision, and to require any officer or employee to give bond in such form and penalty as it may prescribe.
5. Prescribe and provide for the payment of traveling and other expenses of the Judges, State's Attorney, Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, and of all other elected and appointed officers and employees of the County incurred in the performance of their official duties.
6. Provide for publication and distribution of all ordinances enacted under authority of this Act. An ordinance under this sub-paragraph shall be enacted on the effective date