

provement herein designated. Nothing herein shall be construed as preventing said joint boards from contracting to have any of said improvements made or done at less than the sum herein appropriated therefor.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on said bonds as they respectively become payable and mature, the County Commissioners of Wicomico County shall levy, for the first year following the date of the issue of said bonds, and annually thereafter until all of said bonds shall mature and be paid, an ad valorem tax upon all the property in Wicomico County, Maryland subject to assessment for taxation by the County Commissioners of Wicomico County sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds outstanding from time to time, and to pay the principal of said bonds as they mature, said taxes to be collected as other taxes levied in said County are collected, and to be used for no other purpose. Said tax shall be in addition to all other taxes authorized or limited by law.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That all bonds issued under the authority of this Act shall be exempt from taxation by the State of Maryland and by the counties and municipalities of said State.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an acute emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and welfare and having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 31, 1953.

CHAPTER 255

(House Bill 549)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 33B of Article 14 of the Code of Public Local Laws of

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.