

the Department of Public Works, to the end that all unnecessary waste and duplication of effort may be eliminated. He shall see to it that no sub-department unnecessarily maintains duplicate equipment or personnel for work which should be centralized in one bureau and is empowered to centralize any such unnecessary duplication of work or personnel in one or more sub-departments for the purpose of eliminating such duplication and likewise shall have power to assign and re-assign equipment from the custody of one sub-department to another sub-department, as he may deem expedient. ~~All~~ NOTWITHSTANDING ANY CONTRARY provisions of Public Local Law concerning public works construction, preparation, approval and signature of plats, drawings, deeds, or other documents by the Roads Engineer, Chief Sanitary Engineer or other sub-departments of the Department of Public Works, THE SAME shall be subject to re-assignment by the Director of Public Works with the approval of the County Commissioners to any division which may be created for the purpose of consolidating such operations as design, drafting, construction, inspection, maintenance operations, land acquisition, etc., in the interest of efficiency and economy.

The **[Chief Engineer of Baltimore County]** *Director of Public Works* shall have supervision over all engineering questions and over all matters concerned or connected with any and every public improvement in Baltimore County or elsewhere, made by the County Commissioners of Baltimore County or any department, office, board, commission or agency thereof, and all plans and specifications of such public improvements shall be submitted to the said **[Chief Engineer]** *Director of Public Works* and be subject to his approval.

The **[Chief Engineer of Baltimore County]** *Director of Public Works* shall perform such additional duties as may be required of him by the County Commissioners of Baltimore County and said County Commissioners shall have full and complete authority to reverse, alter or amend in any way, any decision of the **[Chief Engineer of Baltimore County]** *Director of Public Works*.

The **[Chief Engineer of Baltimore County]** *Director of Public Works* shall have the power to assign and re-assign to and take from the sub-departments of the Department of Public Works the performance of any duties or the exercise of any powers incident to the conduct of the Department of Public Works as may seem to said **[Chief Engineer]** *Director of Public Works* to be necessary and