

mentioned in the report of the commissioners to the Legislature of 1824. This act passed the Assembly on February 18, 1825.

One further change was made in the boundaries of Anne Arundel County by the Convention of 1851, which separated the already established Howard district, constituting it Howard County. The limits of this district were established by an Act of Assembly 1838, Chapter 22, which defines the boundary as follows:

“Beginning . . . . at the intersection of the west shore of Deep Run with the southern shore of the Patapsco River, at or near Ellicott Furnace, and running southerly with Deep Run, until it reaches the Baltimore and Washington Rail Road [now the Metropolitan Branch of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad]; and thence with the said Rail Road and including the same until it reaches the southwestern line of Anne Arundel County on the Big Patuxent River.”

#### ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY ELECTION DISTRICTS.

- 1798 Ch. 115. County divided into 5 election districts.
- 1799 Ch. 48. Confirms Acts of 1798 Ch. 115.
- 1799 Ch. 50. Commission appointed to lay off county in 5 election districts.
- 1809 Ch. 38. Excludes inhabitants of Annapolis from voting for Anne Arundel county delegates.
- 1810 Ch. 49. Confirms Acts of 1809 Ch. 38.
- 1816 Ch. 252. Annapolis taken from 2d election district to form 6th district.
- 1820 Ch. 168. Line between 4th and 5th election districts changed as follows:  
 “It shall begin at the bridge across the Patapsco Falls, near Ellicott’s Mills, and run with and bind on the Cumberland turnpike road from said bridge to the 2d turnpike gate on said road, now erected in Howard’s lane and from said turnpike gate in Howard’s lane with the lane as heretofore established by law to the line of Prince George’s County.”
- 1821 Ch. 123. Repeals Acts of 1817 Ch. 149 in so far as related to “the electors of the Senate of this State.”
- 1822 Ch. 16. Confirms Acts of 1821 Ch. 123.
- 1822 Ch. 116. Commission appointed to divide 4th and 5th or only the 5th election districts into not exceeding 3 districts [making in all 6 districts].
- 1822 Ch. 156. Polling place of the 2d district changed to Black Horse Tavern.
- 1823 Ch. 58. Confirms Acts of 1822 Ch. 116.
- 1824 Ch. 13. Polling place of 2d district changed to the Free school.
- 1832 Ch. 63. Confirms Acts of 1831 Ch. 232.