

to time be deemed necessary for corporate purposes, by levying and assessing the same generally upon the whole of the assessable property of said town; provided, that the taxes for all purposes shall not exceed [forty cents] \$1.00 on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property in any one year, which taxes shall be collected by such person as the said Commissioners may see fit to appoint; and the said Commissioners shall fix the term of office, amount of bond and compensation of such collectors.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the effectiveness of this Act shall be subject to the requirement of Section 5 of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland that no such local law shall become effective in regard to a municipal corporation until and unless it shall have been approved at a regular or special municipal election by a majority of the voters of that municipal corporation voting on the question.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Section is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths 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 April 3, 1959.

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## CHAPTER 332

(House Bill 363)

AN ACT to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Cecil County to borrow, upon the faith and credit of the County an amount not to exceed \$180,000.00 and to evidence such borrowing by the issuance and sale of the general obligation bonds of the County in such form and bearing such rate or rates of interest as said County Commissioners may by resolution determine, provided the average interest cost of each issue of such bonds shall not exceed four per centum (4%) per annum; to provide that all proceeds of the sale of any such bonds shall be used exclusively for the purpose of constructing an addition to the Union Hospital, situated in Elkton, Cecil County, Maryland, for equipment used in connection therewith, and for the payment of architects' and other professional fees in connection therewith; to authorize and direct the County Commissioners of Cecil County to provide for the payment of the maturing principal of and the interest on any bonds issued hereunder by the annual levy, until all of said bonds and the interest thereon, shall have been paid or provisions made for their payment, of ad valorem taxes upon all property subject

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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.