

of Maryland, be allocated by said County Commissioners and expended for the following purposes:

(1) The improvement of the system of highways, roads, streets, *sidewalks* and other public rights-of-way in said district including such improvements as may be made in conjunction or co-operation with the State Roads Commission, the Federal Works Agency, Public Roads Administration or within any other Federal, State, Regional or local agency of government. Such improvement shall be deemed to include the establishment and construction of new streets and other public rights-of-way, the acquisition by dedication, gift, purchase or condemnation of any land, including buildings or other structures which may be hazardous, unsightly, dangerous to traffic or otherwise required in the acquisition of land to be used for public street or right-of-way purposes. Improvements in width, alignment and/or grade, the channelization or other treatment of highway or street intersections, the preparation of plans and specifications in connection with any improvements, the improvement of roadsides including tree planning and other landscaping.

(2) The acquisition by gift, purchase or condemnation of lands and buildings required for playgrounds or other recreational activities.

(3) The installation, operation and maintenance of lighting equipment for highways, streets or intersections. Provided, that all or any part of the funds allocated for street or highway improvements or construction may be used in addition to and in conjunction with any available State or Federal funds, and the said County Commissioners are hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the State Roads Commission, the Federal Works Agency, Public Roads Administration, or any other Federal, State, Regional or local agency of government with regard to such improvements as may be required by the terms of said contract to pay the funds contracted to be paid to said administration or agency.

SEC. 3. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1961.

Approved May 3, 1961.

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## CHAPTER 875

(House Bill 848)

AN ACT to repeal Sections 30 and 31 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Charles County (1959 Edition, being Article 9 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Charles County", sub-title "Circuit Court", and to repeal the sub-title "Circuit Court", to repeal obsolete provisions in the local laws of Charles County specifying the terms of the Circuit Court of Charles County.

**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.