

be sold for such price or prices as may be determined to be for the best interests of the County, either at, above or below the par value of any such bonds.

In addition to making provision for the above-described terms and conditions of any group or series of bonds issued hereunder, the County, by an appropriate resolution, shall likewise fix the terms and conditions of the public sale of such group or series of bonds and shall adopt a suitable form of notice of sale, which shall briefly outline said terms and conditions in accordance with the provisions hereof. Said notice shall be published in one or more daily or weekly newspapers having a general circulation in the County, and may also be published in one or more journals having a circulation primarily among banks and investment bankers. At least one publication of the notice of sale shall be made not less than ten (10) days before the sale of said bonds. Said notice shall offer said bonds to the highest bidder or bidders therefor, and shall state how said highest bidder or bidders will be determined. Said notice of sale shall specify the date, place and hour at which bids for said bonds will be received and opened and the bonds awarded. It shall also specify that each bid shall be made in writing by a sealed proposal and shall be accompanied by a good faith deposit in a fixed or determinable amount as security for compliance by the bidder with his bid. Said notice shall refer to this Act as authority for the bonds and shall state the date of issue of the bonds offered, the total aggregate par amount thereof, the schedule of maturities thereof, the interest payable thereon or the method of determining the same, the purpose to which the proceeds thereof will be devoted, and the general form thereof, including a statement whether said bonds will be redeemable, will be in coupon or registered form, and whether the same will be registrable as to principal, or as to both principal and interest. Each such notice of sale shall also contain a brief summary of the current financial condition of the County or shall indicate where such a statement may be obtained and, finally, shall reserve unto the County the right to reject any or all bids received. In lieu of publishing said entire notice of sale, the County may, if it shall so elect in said resolution, publish a brief summary of said notice which need not contain all the information required for said notice of sale but which shall state where interested parties may obtain a complete copy thereof.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That before borrowing any money or issuing any bonds pursuant to the authority of this Act, the County may adopt, in addition to or as a part of any other resolution required by this Act, a resolution (i) determining the fire company or companies to which the proceeds of the bonds authorized by this Act shall be paid by the Treasurer of Prince George's County (or such other officer of the County designated to receive payment for the bonds in a resolution passed by the Board of County Commissioners for Prince George's County pursuant to Section 5 of this Act) and (ii) prescribing the terms and conditions upon which the proceeds of the bonds authorized by this Act shall be made available for use by such fire company or companies. The County may provide by such resolution that (i) in addition to the fact that the bonds authorized hereunder are an irrevocable pledge of the full faith and credit of the entire County, the principal of and interest on such bonds shall be paid primarily from the fire taxes