

payment of principal and interest; exempting the bonds and re-funding bonds, the interest thereon and any income derived therefrom, from all State, county and municipal taxation in the State of Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That, as used herein, the term "County" shall mean the body politic and corporate of the State of Maryland known as the County Commissioners of Dorchester County, and the term "construction and development of public facilities" shall mean the following:

(a) the construction of a new Dorchester County public library, including the acquisition and development of sites therefor, the architectural and engineering services incident thereto and the acquisition and installation of necessary furnishings and fixed permanent equipment therefor;

(b) the construction, improvement, repair, opening, relocation, grading, resurfacing, widening, extension and drainage of public roads, streets, highways and sidewalks in the County now or hereafter maintained and operated by or under the jurisdiction of the County, including the acquisition of necessary rights of way, the acquisition of equipment or highway construction, maintenance and repair and planning and engineering services;

(c) the establishment, construction, reconstruction, extension, acquisition, improvement, enlargement, alteration and repair of sanitary land fill, solid waste disposal and mosquito control projects for Dorchester County, together with related structures, facilities and equipment and including the acquisition and development of sites therefor, the acquisition of equipment for the operation and maintenance of such projects, and planning and engineering services;

(d) the reconstruction, improvement, alteration, renovation and repair of the Dorchester County Jail, including the architectural and engineering services incident thereto and the acquisition and installation of necessary furnishings and fixed permanent equipment therefor; and

(e) the construction, reconstruction, development and improvement of public park and recreational areas and facilities, including roads, paths, ways, structures, buildings, piers, ramps, bulkheads, beaches, launching facilities and other equipment, appurtenances or improvements appropriate to the full use thereof.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the County is hereby authorized and empowered to finance the construction and development of public facilities, as defined in Section 1 of this Act, and, in order to make such financing possible, said County is hereby granted the power and authority to borrow money and incur indebtedness for such purpose, from time to time, in an amount not exceeding the sum of Six Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$650,000), and to evidence such borrowing by the issuance and sale upon its full faith and credit of its general obligation bonds in like par amount, which may be issued at one time or from time to time, in one or more groups or series, as funds for such public facilities construction or development become necessary. Of the total amount authorized to be borrowed hereunder, the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars