

## COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

emergency ordinance shall not levy taxes, create revenue, or grant a franchise or special privilege, or abolish or create any office, or change any salary, term or duty of any officer or create any vested right or interest, OR CREATE OR EXPAND ANY CAPITAL PROJECT, OR INCREASE THE FUNDING THEREOF (EXCEPT IN CASES WHERE THE INCREASE IN FUNDING IS REQUIRED SOLELY TO MEET COST ESCALATION AND DOES NOT AFFECT THE SCOPE OF THE PROJECT AS ORIGINALLY BUDGETED).

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That if any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or any other application, and to this end, all the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That at the next general election to be held in this State on November 7, 1972, the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Charter of Anne Arundel County, shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of Anne Arundel County for their adoption or rejection pursuant to Section 1202 of the Charter of Anne Arundel County and at the said general election, the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Charter shall be by ballot; and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Charter Amendment" and "Against the Charter Amendment." If a majority of the votes cast in said election shall be in favor of the proposed amendment, such amendment shall stand adopted from and after the thirtieth (30th) day following said election; but if a majority of the votes cast in the election shall be against the proposed amendment, then the provisions of this Ordinance shall be null and void and of no effect.

APPROVED AT THE GENERAL ELECTION - NOVEMBER 7, 1972

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Bill No. 76-72

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Charter of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 404 thereof, Article IV, "The County Executive," to clarify the type of crime for which a County Executive must be convicted