

COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

604. APPEALS FROM DECISIONS OF THE BOARD.

Within thirty days after any decision by the County Board of Appeals is rendered, any [party who is] PERSON aggrieved [thereby] BY THE DECISION OF THE BOARD AND A PARTY TO THE PROCEEDING BEFORE IT may appeal such decision to the Circuit Court of Anne Arundel County, which shall have power to affirm the decision of the Board, or if such decision is not in accordance with law, to modify or reverse such decision, with or without remanding the case for rehearing, as justice may require. Whenever such appeal is taken, a copy of the notice of appeal shall be served on the Board by the Clerk of said Court and the Board shall promptly give notice of the appeal to all parties to the proceeding before it. The Board shall, within fifteen days after the filing of the appeal, file with the Court the originals, or certified copies of all papers and evidence presented to the Board in the proceeding before it, together with a statement of facts found and the grounds for its decision. [The Board of Appeals shall be a party to an appeal to the Circuit Court by Anne Arundel County and shall be represented by the Office of County Solicitor.] Within thirty days after the decision of the Circuit Court is rendered, any party to the proceeding who is aggrieved thereby may appeal such decision to the Court of Appeals of the State. The review proceedings provided by this section shall be exclusive.

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