

## COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

municipalities subject to the provisions of Article XI-E of the State Constitution which operate and maintain their own road or street system.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That new Section 718 (i) be, and it is hereby added to the Charter of Anne Arundel County, Article VII, "Budgetary and Fiscal Procedures", to follow immediately after Section 718 (h) thereof, and to read as follows:

## Section 718

(I) TAXES AND BENEFIT ASSESSMENTS MAY BE LEVIED WITHIN SPECIAL DISTRICTS CREATED BY ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECONSTRUCTING AND IMPROVING EXISTING [[SUBSTANDARD]] ROADS [[TO THEN CURRENT COUNTY STANDARDS]].

SECTION 3. 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 4. 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.

**FAILED AT THE GENERAL ELECTION - NOVEMBER 7, 1972**