

HOWARD COUNTY

PLAN THE OPERATION OF TRAFFIC ON THE STREETS AND HIGHWAYS OF THIS COUNTY, TO COOPERATE WITH OTHER COUNTY OFFICIALS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF WAYS AND MEANS TO IMPROVE TRAFFIC CONDITIONS, AND TO CARRY OUT THE ADDITIONAL POWERS AND DUTIES IMPOSED BY ACTS OF THE COUNTY.

21.210 - EMERGENCY AND EXPERIMENTAL REGULATIONS

(A) THE CHIEF OF POLICE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER IS HEREBY EMPOWERED TO MAKE REGULATIONS NECESSARY TO MAKE EFFECTIVE THE PROVISIONS OF THE TRAFFIC ACTS OF THIS COUNTY AND TO MAKE AND ENFORCE TEMPORARY OR EXPERIMENTAL REGULATIONS TO COVER EMERGENCIES OR SPECIAL CONDITIONS. NO SUCH TEMPORARY OR EXPERIMENTAL REGULATION SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT FOR MORE THAN 90 DAYS.

(B) THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER MAY TEST TRAFFIC-CONTROL DEVICES UNDER ACTUAL CONDITIONS OF TRAFFIC.

21.111 - TRAFFIC COMMISSION - POWERS AND DUTIES

(A) [[THERE IS HEREBY]] THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE MAY ESTABLISH A TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION, CONSISTING OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS OR IN HIS DISCRETION AS HIS REPRESENTATIVE THE CHIEF OF TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DIVISION, THE CHIEF OF POLICE OR IN HIS DISCRETION AS HIS REPRESENTATIVE THE CHIEF OF THE TRAFFIC DIVISION, THE DIRECTOR OF PLANNING AND ZONING, AND THE COUNTY SOLICITOR AND SUCH NUMBER OF OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF UNOFFICIAL BODIES AS MAY BE DETERMINED AND APPOINTED BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE. THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND MAY BE REMOVED BY HIM.

(B) IT SHALL BE THE DUTY OF THE TRAFFIC COMMISSION, AND TO THIS END IT SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE FUNDS AT ITS DISPOSAL, TO COORDINATE TRAFFIC ACTIVITIES, TO CARRY ON EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES IN TRAFFIC MATTERS, TO SUPERVISE THE PREPARATION AND PUBLICATION OF TRAFFIC REPORTS, TO RECEIVE COMPLAINTS HAVING TO DO WITH TRAFFIC MATTERS, AND TO RECOMMEND TO THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF THIS COUNTY AND TO THE COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEER, THE CHIEF OF THE TRAFFIC SUBDIVISION, AND OTHER COUNTY OFFICIALS WAYS AND MEANS FOR IMPROVING TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AND THE ADMINISTRATION AND