

HOWARD COUNTY

This Bill, having been approved by the Executive and returned to the Council, stands enacted on June 7, 1972.

COUNCIL BILL NO. 26

AN ACT to add new Section 18.700 of title 18 of the Howard County Code, Title "Public Works" to follow immediately after Section 18.601 thereof and to be under the new subtitle "Specifications" granting authority to the Director of Public Works to adopt "Specifications" as they relate to Storm Drains, Bridges and Culverts.

Section 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF HOWARD COUNTY, MARYLAND, that new Section 18.700 be and it is hereby added to the Howard County Code, Title "Public Works," to follow immediately after Section 18.601, thereof and to be under new subtitle "Specifications" and to read as follows:

SECTION 18.700 - AUTHORITY TO ADOPT STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS AS TO STORM DRAINS, BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

(A) THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS SHALL BE EMPOWERED TO DEVELOP STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS AFFECTING THE DESIGN AND INSTALLATION OF STORM DRAINS, BRIDGES AND CULVERTS TO BE USED IN HOWARD COUNTY AND SHALL PUBLISH [[SAME]] THEM IN A CODE TO BE MADE AVAILABLE BY THE HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AT A MINIMUM CHARGE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC UPON REQUEST. THE CODE AND [[AMENDMENTS THERETO,]] ITS AMENDMENTS, SHALL INCLUDE GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR DESIGN AND INSTALLATION OF STORM DRAIN SYSTEMS, AS WELL AS DETAILS FOR MISCELLANEOUS STRUCTURES USED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH SYSTEMS.

(B) [[FOUR WEEKS PRIOR TO THE PRESENTATION OF SAID STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS OR AMENDMENTS THERETO TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL, NOTICE SHALL BE PUBLISHED AT LEAST ONCE EACH WEEK FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE WEEKS IN ONE OR MORE NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY, STATING THAT THE PROPOSED STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE INSPECTED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC