

420.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE THE SANITARY DISTRICT SHALL BE UNDER THE JURISDICTION AND CONTROL OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY.

421.

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY (HEREAFTER CALLED "THE DIRECTOR"), APPOINTED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER ----- OF THIS CODE, SHALL BE THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER OF THE QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY SANITARY DISTRICT. THE DIRECTOR SHALL EXECUTE THE POLICIES OF THE COUNTY WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE. THE DIRECTOR SHALL HAVE WHATEVER ENGINEERING, LEGAL, ADVISORY, CLERICAL AND OTHER PERSONNEL AS IN HIS JUDGMENT ARE NECESSARY FOR CARRYING OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE AND ARE APPROVED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. SUCH PERSONNEL, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF LEGAL COUNSEL, SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY MERIT SYSTEM. LEGAL PERSONNEL SHALL RECEIVE SUCH WAGE AS MAY BE APPROVED BY THE COUNTY.

422.

THE DIRECTOR SHALL ANNUALLY, ON OR BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, PREPARE AND FILE A REPORT WITH THE COUNTY ON THE PHYSICAL PLANTS AND EQUIPMENT OF THE SANITARY DISTRICT, A STATEMENT OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE SANITARY DISTRICT DURING THE PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR, AND A STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES PROPOSED TO BE UNDERTAKEN DURING THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR AND WHATEVER OTHER STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL MATTERS IN CONNECTION WITH THE SANITARY DISTRICT AS MAY BE OF INTEREST TO THE COUNTY AND TO THE TAXPAYERS.

423.

THE COUNTY SHALL PUBLISH ANNUALLY IN A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY A SYNOPSIS OF THE RECEIPTS, EXPENSES AND EXPENDITURES UNDER THIS SUBTITLE, SHOWING THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF ALL ACCOUNTS AND FUNDS RELATING TO THE SANITARY DISTRICT. PRIOR TO THAT PUBLICATION, THE ACCOUNTS RELATING TO THE SANITARY DISTRICT SHALL BE AUDITED BY A CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT TO BE EMPLOYED AND PAID BY THE COUNTY OUT OF WHATEVER SANITARY DISTRICT FUNDS AS MAY AT THE TIME BE AVAILABLE.

424.

THE COUNTY IS HEREBY EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZED AND EMPOWERED TO ESTABLISH, CONSTRUCT, LOCATE, MAINTAIN, OPERATE, PROTECT, PRESERVE, REPAIR, REPLACE, EXTEND OR ENLARGE ANY SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SYSTEM, DISPOSAL SYSTEM, SANITARY LANDFILL, RECLAMATION PLANT SYSTEM, INCINERATOR, OR WATER SUPPLY, WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM, WATER MAIN, SEWER, SEWER SYSTEM, SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT OR FIELD, RESERVOIR, DAM, WATER PURIFICATION OR