

appropriations must be made; specifying the manner in which appropriations may be expended; providing for financing and generally relating to community and regional community colleges.

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 77A - Higher Education
Sections 5(a), 6 ~~[[and 7]]~~ , 7(a) and 7(c)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1969 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Sections 5(a), 6 ~~[[and 7]]~~ , 7(a) and 7(c) of Article 77A - Higher Education, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 77A - Higher Education

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[(a) Except for regional community colleges, the county superintendent of schools (and in Baltimore City the superintendent of public instruction) shall serve as secretary and treasurer to the board of trustees. The president of the community college shall attend all meetings of the board, except those involving his personal position as president. Except for regional community colleges, the board of trustees, the secretary-treasurer, and the president of the community colleges [are charged with the preparation of the annual budget, its presentation] SHALL PREPARE AND PRESENT to the county commissioners, county council, or the board of estimates of Baltimore City, AN ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET, AND AN ANNUAL CAPITAL BUDGET, AND WHEN REQUIRED BY CHARTER, LOCAL LAW, OR ORDINANCE, AN ANNUAL LONG-TERM CAPITAL PROGRAM and SHALL RECEIVE AND EXPEND the [receipt and expenditures of] budgeted funds under an adequate accounting system, subject to review by the auditor of the county or of Baltimore City, as the case may be. [Notwithstanding other provisions of this subtitle, the] THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET SHALL CONTAIN AN ESTIMATE OF ANY REVENUE, INCLUDING ANY SURPLUSES, CATEGORIZED TO SHOW THE REVENUE BY FUND AND SOURCE OF INCOME, AND A STATEMENT OF ANY EXPENDITURES REQUESTED INCLUDING CAPITAL EXPENDITURES, TOGETHER WITH ANY REASONABLE SUPPORTING DATA REQUIRED BY LOCAL FISCAL AUTHORITIES. ANY ANNUAL LONG-TERM CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM SHALL CONTAIN A STATEMENT OF ANY REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES AND SHALL CONFORM WITH LOCAL FISCAL PROCEDURES TO THE EXTENT THEY