

of Maryland, payable to the Board as repayment for its loan to the Society, may be used by the Board to finance other publications of the Maryland Historical Society about the history of Maryland; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be sent to Mr. Leonard C. Crewe, Jr., President of the Maryland Historical Society, 201 West Monument Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, and to the Honorable Marvin Mandel, the Honorable Louis L. Goldstein, and the Honorable William S. James.

Approved May 26, 1977.

No. 55

(Senate Joint Resolution 75)

A Senate Joint Resolution concerning

Sawmill Creek
(Anne Arundel County)

FOR the purpose of ~~requiring~~ requesting that land be set aside in Anne Arundel County for a Sawmill Creek Park and that the Department of State Planning amend a certain plan to this end.

Land should be set aside as a sanctuary for the citizens of Maryland and particularly of Anne Arundel County, a county which is experiencing accelerated urbanization with 1976 setting an all-time construction record.

The facilities programmed for open space needs to be increased in the rapidly growing area. At present, the rapidly expanding northern sector of the county contains only Severn Run State Park and a small portion of Patapsco State Park. Yet, in 1975 the population of Anne Arundel County was 344,756, with 193,146 in the north end.

The area in question is inappropriate for being zoned for housing, due to the location of Baltimore-Washington International Airport. Therefore, the development of open space in this area would serve as a buffer zone from Baltimore-Washington International Airport, as well as being a valuable State park; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That