

1. TRAVEL.....\$ 300; AND
2. OTHER EXPENSES FOR EACH MEETING, OTHER THAN THE ANNUAL MEETING ATTENDED ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY.....\$ 25; AND

(VII) WORCESTER COUNTY:

1. MEMBER.....\$ 2,000; AND
2. CHAIRMAN.....\$ 2,400.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 77, §37 except subsection (e)(6) which now appears as §3-403(b) of this article.

Subsection (a) of this section is new language derived from the exception in present Art. 77, §56D(a).

In subsection (d) of this section, the phrase "except as provided in Title 3 of this Article" is added to note the obvious exception for many of the elected boards from the requirement for the election of a president and vice president. In light of this addition, present Art. 77, §37(b)(2), which excepts Howard County, is deleted.

Present Art. 77, §37(e)(11)(i), which relates to Washington County Board members, was added by Ch. 30, Acts of 1977. It is deleted as it conflicts with an after-enacted statute, Ch. 89, Acts of 1977. Compensation and expense provisions for Washington County Board members now appear in §3-1002 of this article.

Art. 77, §37(e)(11)(ii) is deleted as obsolete.

The only other changes are in style.

Although subsection (e) of this section provides for open meetings of the county boards and requires minutes of the meetings to be public, Art. 76A, §§ 7 through 15, the "sunshine law", contains more specific requirements for open meetings and would apply to meetings of the county board. This is so since the provisions of the "sunshine law" that relate to meetings prevail over other provisions in the Code unless these other provisions "are more stringent".

4-107. DUTIES IN GENERAL.

EACH COUNTY BOARD SHALL:

- (1) TO THE BEST OF ITS ABILITY CARRY OUT THE