

CHAPTER 715

(House Bill 1702)

AN ACT concerning

Calvert County - Public Local Laws

FOR the purpose of repealing the Calvert County Code of Public Local Laws and enacting it anew so as to present an updated, contemporary statement of the local laws for Calvert County; revising and clarifying language; eliminating gender references; renumbering as appropriate; making the Calvert County Code of Public Local Laws more clear and readable; changing and clarifying the boundaries of County election districts; clarifying the powers of the County Commissioners in general and as to election districts; eliminating any existing authority of the Commissioners to set precinct boundaries; changing the duties of the clerk to the Commissioners and eliminating the bonding requirement of the clerk; providing for transition between County Treasurers; providing for the placement of funds collected by the County Treasurer; increasing the bond of the County Treasurer; restating the duties of the County Treasurer and relating generally to the County Treasurer; providing new budget procedures; establishing requirements for and limitations on subsequent budget changes; providing for emergency appropriations; adding provisions on contracting by the County; providing for competitive bidding procedures and certain exceptions to them; authorizing multiyear contracts in certain circumstances; amending certain provisions on the Board of Electrical Examiners and Supervisors and the Calvert County Plumbing Board; requiring insurance to be carried by electricians and increasing the bond requirements to be posted by plumbers; changing the fines and penalties applicable to electricians and plumbers; adding certain provisions on County electrical and plumbing inspectors; providing that firearms may only be discharged under certain circumstances; providing for the setting of salaries of employees serving the Circuit Court; repealing provisions on fences; repealing other obsolete or redundant provisions; and generally relating to the public local laws of Calvert County.

BY repealing

The Public Local Laws of Calvert County
Article 5 - Public Local Laws of Maryland
(1981 Edition, as amended)

BY adding

New Public Local Laws of Calvert County