

(1994 Replacement Volume)

Preamble

~~WHEREAS, the provisions of Article 23A, § 44A of the Code provide power and authority for municipal corporations to create special taxing districts for the development of infrastructure improvements and to borrow money for financing the improvements through the issuance of bonds to be paid from assessable property within the special taxing districts; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the General Assembly finds and determines that it is in the best interests of the citizens of the State in general, and of the various municipal corporations and counties in particular, whether the subdivisions are subject to the provisions of Articles 23A, 25, 25A or 25B of the Code, to permit the certain counties to have the same such powers and to permit those counties and municipal corporations, either individually or jointly, to create such special taxing districts in order to facilitate the development and financing of infrastructure improvements; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the General Assembly further finds and determines that it is appropriate to update, clarify and revise the existing authority granted to municipal corporations to create special taxing districts; now, therefore,~~

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

~~Article 31 — Debt — Public~~

34.

~~(A) ALL THE POWER AND AUTHORITY GRANTED TO MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS UNDER ARTICLE 23A, § 44A OF THE CODE IS GRANTED TO ALL OF THE COUNTIES OF MARYLAND;~~

- ~~(1) ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY;~~
- ~~(2) CECIL COUNTY;~~
- ~~(3) (2) FREDERICK COUNTY;~~
- ~~(4) (3) GARRETT COUNTY;~~
- ~~(5) HARFORD COUNTY;~~
- ~~(6) (4) PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY;~~
- ~~(7) (5) WASHINGTON COUNTY; AND~~
- ~~(8) (6) WICOMICO COUNTY.~~