(4) A MEMBER REMOVED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION HAS THE RIGHT TO A DE NOVO REVIEW OF THE REMOVAL BY THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY.

3-8A-02.

AT ITS FIRST MEETING FOLLOWING THE FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER OF EACH CALENDAR YEAR, THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL ELECT A CHAIRMAN FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS.

3-8A-03.

THE COUNTY SHALL PAY THE ANNUAL COMPENSATION OF EACH ELECTED MEMBER OF THE COUNTY BOARD WITH FUNDS FROM ST. MARY'S COUNTY OPERATING ACCOUNTS IN 12 MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS.

3-8A-04.

- (A) THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL MEET AT LEAST ONCE EACH MONTH.
- (B) THE BOARD SHALL TAKE ACTION ONLY AFTER A PUBLIC MEETING. A RECORD OF THE MEETING AND ALL ACTION TAKEN SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC ALL ACTIONS OF THE COUNTY BOARD SHALL BE TAKEN AT A PUBLIC MEETING AND A RECORD OF THE MEETING AND ALL ACTIONS SHALL BE MADE PUBLIC.
- (C) THIS SECTION SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED TO PROHIBIT THE COUNTY BOARD FROM MEETING AND DELIBERATING IN EXECUTIVE SESSION, PROVIDED THAT THE BOARD TAKES ACTION ONLY AFTER A PUBLIC MEETING AND MAKES A RECORD OF THE MEETING AND ALL ACTION TAKEN AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC. THAT ANY ACTION OF THE COUNTY BOARD, TOGETHER WITH THE INDIVIDUAL VOTE OF EACH MEMBER, IS CONTAINED IN A PUBLIC RECORD.

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- (b) Each county board shall hold an annual meeting on or as near as possible to the second Tuesday in July, except that:
- (1) In Allegany County, the annual meeting shall be held on the second Tuesday of January;
- (2) In Montgomery County, the annual meeting shall be held on or before January 10;
- (3) In Prince George's County, the annual meeting shall be held on the first Monday in December; [and]
- (4) IN ST. MARY'S COUNTY, THE ANNUAL MEETING SHALL BE HELD FOLLOWING THE FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER; AND
- (5) In Washington County, the annual meeting shall be held in December, on or before the 16th day.