or special tax area.

(b) Payment.

- (1) An agreement made under this section may include provision for the payment by the municipal corporation or special tax area of a portion or all of the cost of conducting the referendum and tabulating the votes.
- (2) Any moneys paid to a county under such an agreement shall be credited to the general funds of the county.
- (c) Implementation of section. The board of supervisors of elections and the County Commissioners may provide for the details and procedures for giving effect to the provisions of this section. (1963, ch. 367; 1970 ed. sec. 11–1; 1984, ch. 289)

Title 5. Business Regulation

Subtitle 1. Closing-Out Sales

5-101. Definitions.

- (a) Meanings. In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) Closing-out sale.
- (1) "Closing-out sale" means any sale in connection with which there is any representation by the person conducting the sale that the sale is being conducted, or is required or compelled to be conducted, for reasons of economic or business distress, inability to continue business at the same location, or the age or health of the owner or owners of the business.
- (2) "Closing-out sale" includes all sales advertised, represented, or held forth under the designation of "going out of business", "discontinuance of business", "selling out", "bankruptcy sale", "liquidation", "lost our lease", "must vacate", "forced out", "removal", or any other designation of like meaning.
- (c) Person. "Person" means individuals, partnerships, voluntary associations, and corporations. (1961, ch. 804, sec. 167A; 1970 ed. sec 7-1; 1984, ch. 289)

5-102. Licenses.

- (a) Required; application.
- (1) A person may not advertise or offer for sale [in Washington County] a stock of goods, wares, or merchandise under the description of closing-out sale, or a sale of goods, wares, or merchandise damaged by fire, smoke, water, or otherwise, unless the person has obtained a license to conduct the sale from the County Commissioners.
- (2) The applicant for such a license shall make an application for the license, in writing and under oath, showing all the facts relating to the reasons and character of the sale, including:
 - (i) The opening and terminating dates of the proposed sale;