

by the Name of *Worcester* Parish, from and alter that of the two Contingencies aforesaid, which shall first happen, by virtue of this Act, shall be deemed, adjudged, reputed and taken for *Worcester* Parish, and not as part or parcel of *Abkhalloes* Parish aforesaid: And the Inhabitants of the said *Worcester* Parish, shall have and enjoy all Benefits and Privileges, Powers and Authorities, in every respect, equal with any Inhabitants of any other Parish within this Province. And further giving to the Freeholders of *Worcester* Parish aforesaid, at a certain Day to be by them appointed, after the falling of either of the said Contingencies, which shall first happen, full and ample Power to elect and make choice of the number of Six select Vestry-men and Two Church-wardens, and the same to alter and renew at such Times and in such Manner as former Laws of this Province do direct; any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

An Act for laying out the Town a-new commonly called *Upper-Marlborough* Town, in *Prince-George's* County.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, several of the Inhabitants of *Upper-Marlborough* Town, and other Inhabitants of *Prince-George's* County, have by their Petition to this General Assembly set forth, that the Bounds of the said Town, and Lots therein, are so obscure, that the same are scarcely known by the Owners, or others, which in Time may be very prejudicial to them, and prevent the further Settlement of the said Town, which lies very commodious for Trade and Commerce; wherefore they humbly pray, that an Act of this General Assembly may Pass, to lay out a-n-w the said Town, containing One Hundred Acres of Land, as near as may be to the original Bounds thereof, without injury to the Improvements therein already made, or to a piece of Meadow Ground already much improved by Mr. *Daniel Carroll*, one of the Proprietors thereof.

Commissioners appointed

Be it therefore Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That Mr. *Turnor Wootton*, Mr. *James Weems*, Mr. *Thomas Clark*, Mr. *Thomas Gaunt*, Senior, Mr. *Richard Keane*, Mr. *William Murdock*, and Mr. *Thomas Harwood*, be, and are hereby appointed, Commissioners, and are by virtue of this Act, authorized and impowered to survey and lay out the same One Hundred Acres of Land, formerly laid out for a Town, under an Act of Assembly of this Province, begun and held at the Town and Port of *Annapolis*, the Second Day of *April*, *Anno-que Domini*, Seventeen Hundred and Six, by the Name of *Upper-Marlborough*, as agreeable as it conveniently may be to the original Survey, without incommoding the present Settlements, and exclusive of the piece of Meadow Ground lately drained by Mr. *Daniel Carroll*, one of the Proprietors of said Town.

And be it further Enacted, That the said Commissioners, or the major Part of them, be, and are hereby impowered and required, at any Time, by