

and parkways, acquiring and establishing a civic centre, or central square, or squares, or district, and extending the park system of Baltimore city; and provided, further, that when and so often as resort shall be had to condemnation proceedings under this Act, the procedure, so far as the acquisition by condemnation of any land or property or thing situated within the city of Baltimore, or any interest, franchise, easement, right or privilege therein is concerned may, in any case or cases, at the option of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, be such as may now, or at any time hereafter be provided for by any lawful ordinance or ordinances of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, adopted pursuant to the powers conferred upon it by section 6 of article 4, entitled "City of Baltimore," of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "General Powers," sub-title "Condemnation of Property," for the condemnation of land or property or interests therein for the municipal needs of the city of Baltimore, or such as may be provided for the very purpose by any lawful special ordinance or ordinances of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, which said lawful special ordinance or ordinances the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is hereby duly authorized to adopt, provided that in every such special ordinance provision is made for reasonable notice to the owner or owners, and for appeals to the Baltimore City Court, including the right of appeal to the Court of Appeals by any person interested, including the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, from the decision of the commissioners or other persons appointed to value any such land, property or thing, or interest, franchise, easement, right or privilege therein; but so far as the acquisition by condemnation of any land, or property or thing situated within Baltimore county, or within any other county of this State, or of any interest, franchise, easement, right or privilege therein is concerned, the procedures shall be marked out by section 6 of article 4, entitled "City of Baltimore," of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "General Powers," sub-title "Water."

SEC. 3. The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore is hereby authorized and empowered to delegate to the Board of Park Commissioners the power to expend such portion of the proceeds arising from the sale of said stock as it may by special ordinance or ordinances, or by the annual ordinance of estimates, determine, in construction of said boulevards or park ways, and of all needed foundations or sub-structures for said boulevards or park ways, and in the development and improvement of the park system of Baltimore as it now exists or may hereafter be extended.