

municipal street, road or alley or any public highway, for the purpose or installing, maintaining and operating the water supply system provided for under this Act, and it may construct in such street, road or alley or public highway, a water main, or any appurtenance thereof, without the receipt of a permit of the payment of a charge: provided that whenever any State, county or municipal highway is to be disturbed, the public authority having control thereof shall be duly notified, and provided further that said highway shall be repaired and left by the Commissioners of Leonardtown in the same, or a not inferior condition to that existing before being torn up, and that all costs incident thereto shall be borne by the Commissioners of Leonardtown.

SEC. 13. *And be it further enacted*, That any employee or agent of the said Commissioners of Leonardtown shall have the right of entry, at all reasonable hours, upon any private premises and into any building in the town of Leonardtown while in the pursuit of his official duties, and any restraint or hindrance offered to such entrance by any owner or tenant or agent of said owner or tenant shall be a misdemeanor, punishable under Section 15 of this Act.

SEC. 14. *And be it further enacted*, That any individual, firm or corporation, having building, conduits, pipes, tracks or other physical constructions, in, over or under the public roads, streets, or alleys of the town of Leonardtown, which shall block or impede the progress of the water supply system of the Commissioners of Leonardtown, while in the process of construction and establishment, shall, upon reasonable notice from said Commissioners of Leonardtown, promptly so shift, adjust, accommodate or remove the same, at their own cost and expense, as to fully meet the exigencies occasioning the said notice, and should the exigencies of any case involve a taking, in the constitutional sense, of the franchise or right in the exercise of which such obstruction had its origin, the Commissioners of Leonardtown shall be empowered to condemn an easement in said franchise or right. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor punishable under Section 15 of this Act.

SEC. 15. *And be it further enacted*, That every act of omission designated as a misdemeanor in this Act, unless otherwise provided, shall be punishable before any Justice of the Peace, or the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County, and