

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED, §§ 3-201 THROUGH 3-207 OF THIS SUBTITLE APPLY TO:

(1) PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, EXCEPT THE CITY OF BOWIE; AND

(2) THE PORTION OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

[3-7.] 3-202. Authority of WSSC generally.

(A) IN THE SANITARY DISTRICT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WSSC'S CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROGRAM, THE [The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission] WSSC [is hereby authorized to] MAY plan, design, construct, maintain, and operate a system for the control and disposition of surface waters[, in accordance with the capital improvements program of the commission, within the limits of the Washington Suburban Sanitary District,].

(B) [and for this purpose, the commission is given all of the power and authority to] THE WSSC MAY implement the WSSC'S capital improvements program, including the right to condemn[, heretofore given it by law] UNDER § 1-202 OF THIS ARTICLE, [in the construction and operation of its water and sewer system,] and [the right and authority to] MAY negotiate AND MAKE CONTRACTS with any public agency [and to make contracts with the agency], including the government [of the United States] or any bureau or department [thereof;] OF THE UNITED STATES. [provided that except as otherwise provided herein, the above provisions shall not apply in Montgomery County, with the exception of that portion of the City of Takoma Park now situated in Montgomery County or to those portions of the City of Bowie over which the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission had jurisdiction prior to July 1, 1978, with respect to storm and surface water drainage.]

[3-7.1.] 3-203. Individual floodproofing.

(a) (1) If the [Commission] WSSC determines as part of a general stormwater management project that incidental floodproofing for some individual properties is the most sound alternative from [economical] ECONOMIC, environmental, and engineering points of view to correct a particular drainage or flooding problem, the [Commission] WSSC may expend funds for individual floodproofing facilities on private property [in the Prince George's County portion of the sanitary district and in that portion of the City of Takoma Park in Montgomery County].

(2) The WSSC [expenditure of funds under this section] may [be] EXPEND FUNDS UNDER THIS SECTION by [the commission]: