

The duties of the Commission shall be as follows:

(1) To survey the public roads, parks, and other public facilities to ascertain whether they are being kept free from trash and refuse.

(2) To provide active leadership for clean-up drives in Charles County and in such efforts to cooperate with the county highway department, private persons, the police and other public agencies in Charles County.

(3) To recommend beautification programs to the County Commissioners by judicious planting of trees and shrubs or by other appropriate methods and to utilize the services of the State Roads Commission, the State Department of Forests and Parks, the Department of Game and Inland Fish, and the services of county agencies or public officials. The County Commissioners are authorized to expend funds to implement this sub-paragraph, but the commission shall incur no expenses without the specific approval of the County Commissioners.

(4) To preserve the historical heritage of Charles County, with proper allowance for necessary change or progress, to cooperate with the Charles County Historical Society in these efforts, and to accept, with the approval of the County Commissioners, gifts to promote these objectives.

(5) To receive gifts, real or personal, from private persons or governmental agencies, to promote the purposes of the Commission and to buy or sell assets in its hands; provided that the County Commissioners shall approve both the acquisition of assets and the sale thereof.

(6) To cooperate with the "Keep Maryland Beautiful" program of the State of Maryland and to utilize the advice and services of the garden clubs of Charles County for the promotion of the objectives of this Act.

(7) To submit reports to the Charles County Planning Commission in those instances in which the Commission's observations relate to the functions of planning and zoning.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1959.*

Approved April 28, 1959.

CHAPTER 575

(Senate Bill 587)

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 41A of Article IV of the Constitution of Maryland, title "Judiciary Department", subtitle "People's Courts", providing for candidates other than an incumbent judge to run for election to the People's Court of Baltimore City, and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.