

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the preservation of the public safety, and being passed on a ye and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to the two houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved January 31, 1935.

CHAPTER 3.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 5, Chapter 394 of the Acts of 1931, as said section was amended by Chapter 506 of the Acts of 1933, relating to the levying of taxes upon the taxable property in the special taxing district in the First Election District of Howard County and if necessary upon all the taxable property of the county for the payment of the interest and for the retirement of the water bonds authorized by said Acts, also for annual rental for fire hydrants and providing that the moneys received from the sale of said bonds and taxes shall be kept in a special account.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 5 of Chapter 394 of the Acts of 1931, as said section was amended by Chapter 506 of the Acts of 1933, be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

5. For the purpose of paying the interest and providing for the retirement of the bonds as herein provided and the annual rental for fire hydrants for the water supply to be established in the special taxing district of the First Election District, the county commissioners of Howard County are hereby authorized and directed to levy an annual front foot tax, not exceeding twenty (20c) cents per front foot (except as hereinafter provided) upon all the property in said special taxing district, improved and unimproved, abutting or binding upon a street, road, lane, alley or right of way in which a water main has been laid. In addition to this front foot tax the said county commissioners shall levy an annual tax upon all the taxable property in said special taxing district which shall be sufficient, together