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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Anne Arundel County - Bayhead Park Loan of 2001

- 3 FOR the purpose of changing the name of the loan, changing the project description,
- 4 and altering the date by which the grantee is required to provide a matching
- fund, from June 1, 2003, to June 1, 2005, pursuant to Chapter 268 of the Acts of
- 6 the General Assembly of 2001, Anne Arundel County Broadneck Recreational
- 7 Complex Loan of 2001; and generally relating to the Anne Arundel County -
- 8 Bayhead Park Loan of 2001.
- 9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 10 Chapter 268 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2001
- 11 Section 1(1), (3), and (5)
- 12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 14 Chapter 268 of the Acts of 2001
- 15 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 16 MARYLAND, That:
- 17 (1) The Board of Public Works may borrow money and incur indebtedness on
- 18 behalf of the State of Maryland through a State loan to be known as the Anne Arundel
- 19 County [Broadneck Recreational Complex] BAYHEAD PARK Loan of 2001 in a total
- 20 principal amount equal to the lesser of (i) \$250,000 or (ii) the amount of the matching
- 21 fund provided in accordance with Section 1(5) below. This loan shall be evidenced by
- 22 the issuance, sale, and delivery of State general obligation bonds authorized by a
- 23 resolution of the Board of Public Works and issued, sold, and delivered in accordance
- 24 with §§ 8-117 through 8-124 of the State Finance and Procurement Article and
- 25 Article 31, § 22 of the Code.
- 26 (3) The cash proceeds of the sale of the bonds shall be paid to the Treasurer
- 27 and first shall be applied to the payment of the expenses of issuing, selling, and
- 28 delivering the bonds, unless funds for this purpose are otherwise provided, and then
- 29 shall be credited on the books of the Comptroller and expended, on approval by the

- 1 Board of Public Works, for the following public purposes, including any applicable
- 2 architects' and engineers' fees: as a grant to the County Executive and County Council
- 3 of Anne Arundel County (referred to hereafter in this Act as "the grantee") for the
- 4 planning, design, construction, and capital equipping of [the Broadneck Recreational
- 5 Complex] BAYHEAD PARK and related facilities and parking, to be located in
- 6 [Broadneck Park in] Anne Arundel County.
- 7 (5) Prior to the payment of any funds under the provisions of this Act for the
- 8 purposes set forth in Section 1(3) above, the grantee shall provide and expend a
- 9 matching fund. No part of the grantee's matching fund may be provided, either
- 10 directly or indirectly, from funds of the State, whether appropriated or
- 11 unappropriated. No part of the fund may consist of real property, in kind
- 12 contributions, or funds expended prior to the effective date of this Act. In case of any
- 13 dispute as to the amount of the matching fund or what money or assets may qualify
- 14 as matching funds, the Board of Public Works shall determine the matter and the
- 15 Board's decision is final. The grantee has until June 1, [2003] 2005, to present
- 16 evidence satisfactory to the Board of Public Works that a matching fund will be
- 17 provided. If satisfactory evidence is presented, the Board shall certify this fact and 18 the amount of the matching fund to the State Treasurer, and the proceeds of the loan
- 19 equal to the amount of the matching fund shall be expended for the purposes provided
- 20 in this Act. Any amount of the loan in excess of the amount of the matching fund
- 21 certified by the Board of Public Works shall be canceled and be of no further effect.
- 22 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
- 23 June 1, 2004.