

House Bill 1282

By: Representative Hatfield of the 177<sup>th</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the board of commissioners for Charlton County, approved August  
2 4, 1927 (Ga. L. 1927, p. 529), as amended, so as to change provisions relating to the number  
3 of meetings to be held by the board; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting  
4 laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 An Act creating the board of commissioners for Charlton County, approved August 4, 1927  
8 (Ga. L. 1927, p. 529), as amended, is amended by revising Section 7 to read as follows:

9 "Section 7. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that said Board of  
10 Commissioners shall hold two regular meetings in each month. One of the regular  
11 meetings shall be held on the first Thursday thereof, the first meeting to be held on the First  
12 Thursday in January, 1928 at 2:00 O'Clock P.M. when the present Commissioners of Roads  
13 and Revenues for said County shall turn over to them their office, all records, books, and  
14 official papers therein, together with all County property, with a full inventory of the same,  
15 and a full and complete statement showing the financial condition of the County. At this  
16 meeting, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the Board of Commissioners shall organize  
17 by electing one of the members as Chairman, one as Vice-Chairman, and every one year  
18 thereafter on the first Thursday in January a Chairman and a Vice-Chairman shall be  
19 elected, but any Chairman or Vice-Chairman shall hold his office until his successor is  
20 elected, and nothing therein shall prevent the re-election of any Chairman or  
21 Vice-Chairman. The Vice-Chairman shall, in the absence or disqualification of the  
22 Chairman or during the vacancy in office of Chairman, perform and discharge all of the  
23 duties of the Chairman, and in the event of a vacancy in the office of Chairman or  
24 Vice-Chairman the same shall be filled by the Board at its next regular meeting after such  
25 vacancy becomes known. The Chairman shall be the chief executive of the Board. He  
26 shall see that all orders, resolutions, and rules of said Board are faithfully filed and

27 impartially executed and enforced, and that all the officers, employees, and agents of said  
28 Board faithfully and impartially discharge the duties required of them. He shall have the  
29 general supervision of the affairs of the County, acting under orders of the Board, and shall  
30 preside at all meetings of the Board. He shall have the power to convene the Board in extra  
31 session upon his own motion or upon the written request of the other four members of the  
32 Board, and shall do so whenever the other four members make such request in writing."

33 **SECTION 2.**

34 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law  
35 without such approval.

36 **SECTION 3.**

37 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.