

Board of Park Commissioners (cont'd)

Although the Board of Park Commissioners is entrusted with the power of managing and controlling the parks of Baltimore City, that power does not authorize it to lease for advertising purposes park property which has been dedicated to public use, and I am accordingly of the opinion that the Park Board is without power to enter into the contemplated agreement.

Very truly yours,

(signed) CHARLES C. G. EVANS

CCGE/RRS

City Solicitor

File No. 69233

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City Service Commission  
City Hall  
Baltimore, Maryland

Gentlemen;

Reference is made to your letter of August 26th, in which you request an opinion with regard to the right of the Board of State Aid and Charities of the State of Maryland to fix the salaries of certain employees of the Department of Public Welfare of Baltimore City.

The State pays 80% and the City pays 20% of the salaries of those employees of the Department of Public Welfare of Baltimore City employed in connection with the programs of old age pensions, aid to dependent children and assistance to the needy blind. This division of administrative costs has been prescribed by the Board of State Aid and Charities in accordance with the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 11 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1937, Special Session, which provides in part as follows: