

improving or expanding the system in order to assure, to the extent practicable, that any such properties having value for state recreation trail purposes may be made available for such use.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. From time to time, the IAC shall report to the governor and the legislature on the status of the state recreational trail system.

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CHAPTER 77
[Engrossed House Bill No. 164]
DEMONSTRATION CITIES AND METROPOLITAN DEVELOPMENT ACT
OF 1966--
CITIES, PARTICIPATION

AN ACT Relating to cities; authorizing all cities to contract with the United States; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, all cities shall have the power and authority to enter into agreements with the United States or any department or agency thereof, to carry out the purposes of the Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Development Act of 1966 (PL 89-754; 80 Stat. 1255), and to plan, organize and administer programs provided for in such contracts. This power and authority shall include, but not be limited to, the power and authority to create public corporations, commissions and authorities to perform duties arising under and administer programs provided for in such contracts.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

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