

Appropriation.

SEC. 4. There is hereby appropriated the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the General Fund of the State Treasury, to be used by the Washington State Department of Health for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act: *Provided*, That such sum, greater or smaller, is obtained from the Federal Government.

Effective immediately.

SEC. 5. 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.

Passed the Senate February 25, 1945.

Passed the House March 4, 1945.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1945.

CHAPTER 213.

[S. B. 297.]

STATE HOSPITAL SEDRO-WOOLLEY—SANITATION.

AN ACT relating to the State Hospital at Sedro-Woolley; providing adequate water and sewerage facilities therefor; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

Water supply and sewer system at Sedro-Woolley.

SECTION 1. The Director of Finance, Budget and Business is hereby authorized and directed to construct an adequate, modern, and power driven water supply system for the State Hospital at Sedro-Woolley, Washington, to replace the present gravity system which has recently been damaged by washouts in its watershed. and to install a modern sewerage system for the hospital.

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SEC. 2. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Finance, Budget and Business the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), or so much thereof as may be neces-

sary, from monies not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

SEC. 3. 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 April 1, 1945.

Effective immediately.

Passed the Senate March 1, 1945.

Passed the House March 5, 1945.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1945.

CHAPTER 214.

[S. B. 75.]

FOURTH CLASS CITIES AND TOWNS.

AN ACT relating to fourth class cities and towns; prescribing the powers of the council thereof; and amending section 154, chapter VII, pages 201-202, Laws of 1889-90, as last amended by section 1, chapter 74, Laws of 1941 (section 9175, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 383-29).

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. Section 154, chapter VII, pages 201-202, Laws of 1889-90, as last amended by section 1, chapter 74, Laws of 1941 (section 9175, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 383-29), is amended to read as follows:

Section 154. The council of said town shall have power:

1. To pass ordinances not in conflict with the constitution and laws of this state, or of the United States;

Powers of city council in fourth class cities.

2. To purchase, lease or receive such real estate and personal property as may be necessary or proper for municipal purposes, and to control, dispose of and convey the same for the benefit of the town; the towns whose population shall be between 1250 and 1350 according to the 1940 Federal census shall have