

CHAPTER 208

[House Bill No. 733]

MUNICIPAL COLLECTION AND
DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE AND ITS
PROCESSING, CONVERSION AND SALE

AN ACT Relating to the collection and disposal of solid waste and its processing, conversion and sale; adding a new section to chapter 35.21 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 35.92 RCW; and adding a new chapter to title 35 RCW.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 35.21 RCW a new section to read as follows:

A city or town may construct, condemn, purchase, acquire, add to, and extend systems and plants for the collection and disposal of solid waste and for its processing and conversion into other valuable or useful products with full jurisdiction and authority to manage, regulate, maintain, operate and control such systems and plants, and to enter into agreements providing for the maintenance and operation of systems and plants for the processing and conversion of solid waste and for the sale of said products under such terms and conditions as may be determined by the legislative authority of said city or town: PROVIDED HOWEVER, That no such solid waste processing and conversion plant now in existence or hereafter constructed may be condemned: PROVIDED FURTHER, That contracts relating to the processing and conversion of solid waste into valuable and useful products and the sale thereof shall take place only after receipt of competitive written offerings by such city or town subject to final approval by the legislative authority of such city or town; and be it further provided that after the award of such processing, conversion or sale contract all competitive offerings and other documentary material considered in connection therewith shall become matters of public record.

Agreements relating to systems and plants for the processing and conversion of solid wastes to useful products and agreements relating to sale of such products shall be in compliance with RCW 35.21.120 and shall be entered into only after public advertisement and evaluation of competitive offerings.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 35.92 RCW a new section to read as follows:

A city or town may construct, condemn, purchase, acquire, add to, and extend systems and plants for the collection and disposal of solid waste and for its processing and conversion into other valuable or useful products with full jurisdiction and authority to manage, regulate, maintain, operate and control such systems and plants, and to enter into agreements providing for the maintenance and operation of systems and plants for the processing and conversion of solid waste and for the sale of said products under such terms and conditions as may be determined by the legislative authority of said city or town: PROVIDED HOWEVER, That no such solid waste processing and conversion plant now in existence or hereafter constructed may be condemned: PROVIDED FURTHER, That contracts relating to the processing and conversion of solid waste into valuable and

useful products and the sale thereof shall take place only after receipt of competitive written offerings by such city or town subject to final approval by the legislative authority of such city or town: AND BE IT FURTHER PROVIDED, That after the award of such processing, conversion or sale contract all competitive offerings and other documentary material considered in connection therewith shall become matters of public record.

Agreements relating to systems and plants for the processing and conversion of solid wastes to useful products and agreements relating to sale of such products shall be in compliance with RCW 35.21.120 and shall be entered into only after public advertisement and evaluation of competitive offerings.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. There is added to title 35 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Nothing in this act will relieve a city of its obligations to comply with the requirements of RCW 70.95.

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CHAPTER 209

[Substitute House Bill No. 762]

WINTER RECREATIONAL PARKING

AN ACT Relating to winter recreational parking; adding new sections to chapter 43.51 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 46.61 RCW; defining crimes; and providing penalties.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 43.51 RCW a new section to read as follows:

In addition to its other powers, duties, and functions the state parks and recreation commission may:

(1) Plan, construct, and maintain suitable parking areas for winter recreational activities on lands administered or acquired by the commission or as authorized on lands administered by other public agencies by agreement;

(2) Provide and issue upon payment of the proper fee, with the assistance of such authorized agents as may be necessary for the convenience of the public, a permit to park in designated winter recreational area parking spaces;

(3) Administer the snow removal operations for all designated winter recreational area parking spaces; and

(4) Compile, publish, and distribute maps indicating such parking spaces and adjacent trails and areas suitable for winter recreational activities.

The commission may contract with any public or private agency for the actual conduct of such duties, but shall remain responsible for the proper administration thereof.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 43.51 RCW a new section to read as follows: