

CHAPTER 154.

[H. B. 273.]

CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF COUNTY ROADS.

AN ACT relating to roads and fixing the compensation of road commissioners, and amending section 5577 of Remington & Ballinger's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Washington.

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

SECTION 1. That section 5577 of Rem. & Bal. Code be amended to read as follows:

Division of
county into
districts.

Section 5577. Each county commissioner shall be *ex-officio* road commissioner of the several road districts in his commissioner district, and shall see that all of the orders of the board of county commissioners pertaining to roads in his district are properly executed: *Provided*, When in any county the members of the board of county commissioners are not elected by districts, it shall be the duty of the board of county commissioners, by proper order to be entered on its records, to divide such county into commissioners' districts to correspond with the number of members of such board, and to assign to each member of the board one of such districts, of which he shall be such road commissioner: *Provided*, That for time actually spent in the performance of their duties as road commissioners they shall be entitled to the same compensation as is provided by law for their services as county commissioners: *Provided, however*, That the compensation provisions of this act shall not apply to county commissioners whose annual salaries are fixed by law.

Passed the House February 26, 1921.

Passed the Senate March 7, 1921.

Approved by the Governor March 21, 1921.