

CHAPTER 13

[Senate Bill No. 2065]

COUNTY HOMESITE LANDS—REPEALED

AN ACT Relating to county homesite lands; repealing section 36.59.300, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.59.300; repealing section 36.59.310, chapter 4, Laws of 1963, section 39, chapter 292, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 36.59.310; and repealing sections 36.59.320 through 36.59.430, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.59.320 through 36.59.430.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

- (1) Section 36.59.300, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.59.300;
- (2) Section 36.59.310, chapter 4, Laws of 1963, section 39, chapter 292, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 36.59.310; and
- (3) Sections 36.59.320 through 36.59.430, chapter 4, Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.59.320 through 36.59.430.

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CHAPTER 14

[Senate Bill No. 2066]

TOWNSHIP GUIDEPOSTS—REPEALED

AN ACT Relating to guideposts; and repealing sections 105 through 109, chapter 175, Laws of 1895 and RCW 45.68.010 through 45.68.050.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Sections 105 through 109, chapter 175, Laws of 1895 and RCW 45.68.010 through 45.68.050 are each repealed.

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CHAPTER 15

[Senate Bill No. 2068]

TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS—POWERS AND DUTIES

AN ACT Relating to town supervisors; amending section 48, chapter 175, Laws of 1895 as last amended by section 2, chapter 108, Laws of 1919 and RCW 45.24.010; and repealing section 50, chapter 175, Laws of 1895 and RCW 45.24.030.

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

Section 1. Section 48, chapter 175, Laws of 1895 as last amended by section 2, chapter 108, Laws of 1919 and RCW 45.24.010 are each amended to read as follows:

The supervisors shall have charge of such affairs of the town as are not by law committed to other town officers (~~(; and they shall have power to designate the justice of the peace, or other suitable person, as police judge in and for such township; and such police judge shall have the same powers and duties as are conferred by law upon the police judge in cities of the fourth class; and)~~). They shall have power to draw orders on the town treasurer for the disbursement of such sums as may be necessary for the purpose of defraying the incidental expenses of the town, and for all moneys raised by the town to be disbursed for any other purpose. (~~(They shall have charge of all highways and bridges in their respective townships, and the care and supervision thereof; and shall have power to divide their respective townships into road districts and to appoint one resident elector of each road district as overseer thereof for the first year of township organization; to establish new highways and bridges and to vacate or alter all highways and bridges wholly within the township in the same manner as now provided by law for the establishing of new highways and bridges and the vacation or alteration of the same by the county commissioners in the case of county roads and bridges, except that the duties therein provided to be performed by the county commissioners shall be performed by the township board of supervisors except that all notices therein provided shall be given by the county engineer and all meetings therein provided shall be held at his office in the county court house and all records and files maintained therein, and all expenses for the condemnation and procuring of right of ways therein provided shall be met and paid by the township treasurer on order of the board of township supervisors, and it shall be unlawful for any township funds to be expended upon any roads not established in accordance with said law: PROVIDED, Nothing in this act contained shall be construed as prohibiting any county from or denying to any county the power to build, repair, alter and maintain, at the county's expense, such highways and bridges as the county generally is interested in or such as may be of so large cost that a single township could not undertake the construction of, or such as are located in sparsely settled townships as are unable to construct the same. Whenever the electors of any township shall have voted to establish a river improvement fund, such fund shall be expended by the board of township supervisors to acquire by condemnation or otherwise, any land bordering upon or in the vicinity of the banks of any river or stream to be improved, which in their judgment it is advisable to acquire, to strengthen and preserve the banks of any river or stream and prevent overflow thereof, and confine such river or stream within its proper channel, or to straighten the channel by dredging or construction of a new channel; to construct any levee, embankment, channel or other construction at such point where such land is acquired, as in their judgment they may deem necessary or advisable; to protect and render more secure the banks of any river by constructing therein stone or masonry work, contrivance or piling or such other construction as in their judgment is best adapted to accomplish such purpose; to remove log jams or obstructions that may be or hereafter form in such river, and to do any other act to prevent the formation of any obstruction in such river or stream; to employ such persons as they deem necessary and fix their compensation~~

~~to patrol such rivers and streams and remove such log jams or obstructions now existing or which may hereafter form, and for the purpose of preventing the formation thereof, and who shall perform such other duties as are contemplated by this act and directed by said board of township supervisors. And such))~~ The board of township supervisors shall be authorized ~~((, in the expenditure of such funds for any of the purposes aforesaid,))~~ to cooperate with the board of county commissioners of the county acting under the provisions of RCW 86.12.010 through 86.12.030 in making new flood control improvements and to enter into contracts with the county to pay a certain portion of the cost of ~~((any))~~ such improvements made by the county.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. Section 50, chapter 175, Laws of 1895 and RCW 45.24.030 are each repealed.

Passed the Senate February 8, 1977.

Passed the House March 3, 1977.

Approved by the Governor March 17, 1977.

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CHAPTER 16

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2095]

STATE TREASURER—RECEIPT PROCEDURES

AN ACT Relating to the state treasurer's office; and amending section 43.08.060, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.08.060.

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

Section 1. Section 43.08.060, chapter 8, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.08.060 are each amended to read as follows:

All persons required by law to pay any moneys into the state treasury, or to transmit any public funds to the state treasurer on state accounts, shall, at the time of making such payments or transmissions ~~((, notify the budget director thereof, specifying))~~ specify the amount and date of such payment, and for what particular fund or account.

For all sums of money so paid the state treasurer shall forthwith give duplicate receipts ~~((under his seal of office, one of which he shall deposit with the budget director, who shall credit the payor accordingly, and charge the treasurer with the amount. The other receipt the treasurer shall transmit to the payor))~~ in accordance with the rules and regulations promulgated by the office of program planning and fiscal management as authorized by RCW 43.88.160(1).

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