

CHAPTER XIII.

[S. B. No. 200.]

PROVIDING FOR CHANGE OF PLAN FOR SUPPLYING
WATER TO CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS.

AN ACT providing a method for making changes in any adopted plan, system or extension for supplying water to cities of the first class, and providing for an emergency.

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

Extension of
plant, how
determined.

SECTION 1. When any plan, system or proposed extension thereof which shall have been adopted or specified for furnishing any water supply to any city of the first class in this state, shall after such adoption be deemed to be insufficient or inadequate for any reason, the said city may determine that fact by resolution of its council, and may thereupon by ordinance submit to the electors of such city any new plan or system, or any desired or proposed change in the adopted plan or system, or any adopted extension thereof, which new plan, system or proposed change of extension shall be clearly specified in general terms in said ordinance, and stated upon the ballot in general but clear terms sufficient for common understanding.

Annual or
special
election.

SEC. 2. Such proposed changes shall be submitted at either any annual or special city election for ratification or rejection, to the qualified voters of such city, of which election notice shall be regularly given in the paper doing the city printing, by publication for thirty days immediately preceding such election: *Provided*, That no such change shall be adopted unless assented to by at least three-fifths of all the electors voting on such proposition.

Water fund,
when diverted.

SEC. 3. Upon the adoption of such proposed change the fund devoted to the original plan, system or extension may thereupon be and is diverted to be used for the plan, system or extension so changed and adopted, in proportion as the said plan, system or extension is changed and adopted.

SEC. 4. Whereas, there is no law in this state permitting any such change of any plan, system or extension; and whereas, there are cities now in immediate need of such

legislation that they may be permitted to complete water systems: therefore, it is declared that an emergency does exist, and this act shall go into effect immediately.

Passed the senate February 28, 1895.

Passed the house February 28, 1895.

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CHAPTER XIV.

[S. B. No. 208.]

RELATING TO NUISANCES.

AN ACT relating to nuisances, amending section 2893 of volume 1 of Hill's Annotated Statutes and Codes of Washington.

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

SECTION 1. That section 2893 of volume 1 of Hill's Annotated Statutes and Codes of Washington is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2893. It is a public nuisance —

1. To cause or suffer the carcass of any animal or any offal, filth or noisome substance to be collected, deposited or to remain in any place to the prejudice of others.
2. To throw or deposit any offal or other offensive matter, or the carcass of any dead animal, in any watercourse, stream, lake, pond, spring, well, or common sewer, street or public highway, or in any manner to corrupt or render unwholesome or impure the water of any such spring, stream, pond, lake or well, to the injury or prejudice of others.
3. To obstruct or impede, without legal authority, the passage of any river, harbor, or collection of water.
4. To obstruct or encroach upon public highways, private ways, streets, alleys, commons, landing places, and ways to burying places.
5. To carry on the business of manufacturing gunpowder, nitroglycerine or other highly explosive substance, or mixing or grinding the materials therefor, in any build-