

Application registered.

be registered in the office of the person issuing the permit and shall be forwarded by him to the department each day together with the fee accompanying it.

Fees—Disposition.

A fee of fifty cents shall be charged by the person authorized to issue such permit which shall be accounted for in the same manner as the other fees collected by such officers, provided that such fees collected by county auditors or their agents shall be paid to the county treasurer in the same manner as other fees collected by the county auditor and credited to the county current expense fund.

New section.

SEC. 3. Section 6, chapter 145, Laws of 1957 and RCW 46.16.360 are each amended to read as follows:

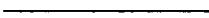
Rules and regulations.

The director of licenses may make such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper operation and enforcement of chapter 46.16 RCW.

Passed the House January 30, 1959.

Passed the Senate February 25, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 3, 1959.



CHAPTER 67.

[H. B. 154.]

COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES.

AN ACT relating to county roads and bridges; and amending section 32, chapter 187, Laws of 1937 and RCW 36.77.010 through 36.77.040.

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

SECTION 1. Section 32, chapter 187, Laws of 1937 (heretofore divided and codified as RCW 36.77.010 through 36.77.040) is divided and amended as set forth in sections 2 through 5 of this act.

SEC. 2. (RCW 36.77.010) Whenever it is ordered by resolution of the board that any county road shall

be laid out and established and altered, widened, or otherwise constructed or improved, the county road engineer employed by the county shall prepare such maps, plans, and specifications as shall be necessary and sufficient. A copy of such maps, plans, and specifications shall be approved by the board of county commissioners with its approval endorsed thereon, and such copy shall be filed with the clerk of the board.

RCW 36.77.010
enacted
without
amendment.

SEC. 3. (RCW 36.77.020) Upon approval of such maps, plans, and specifications and the filing thereof the board shall, if it determines that the work shall be done by contract, advertise a call for bids upon such construction work by publication in the official county paper and also one trade paper of general circulation in the county, in one issue of each such paper at least once in each week for two consecutive weeks prior to the time set in the call for bids for the opening of bids. All bids shall be submitted under sealed cover before the time set for the opening of bids.

RCW 36.77.020
enacted
without
amendment.

SEC. 4. (RCW 36.77.030) At the time fixed in the call for bids the board shall proceed to publicly open and read such bids as have been submitted, in the board room at the county seat. No bid shall be considered unless it is accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a surety bond, cash, cashier's check, or certified check in an amount equal to five percent of the amount of the bid proposed.

RCW 36.77.030
amended.
Opening of
bids—Deposit.

SEC. 5. (RCW 36.77.040) The board shall proceed to award the contract to the lowest and best bidder but may reject any or all bids if in its opinion good cause exists therefor. The board shall require from the successful bidder a contractor's bond in the amount and with the conditions imposed by law. Should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract and furnish the con-

RCW 36.77.040
enacted
without
amendment.

tractor's bond as required within ten days after notice of the award, exclusive of the day of notice, the amount of the bid deposit shall be forfeited to the county and placed in the county road fund and the contract awarded to the next lowest and best bidder. The bid deposit of all unsuccessful bidders shall be returned after the contract is awarded and the required contractor's bond given by the successful bidder is accepted by the board.

Passed the House February 5, 1959.

Passed the Senate February 25, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 68.

[H. B. 171.]

LAW AGAINST DISCRIMINATION— CREDIT APPLICATIONS.

AN ACT relating to the law against discrimination; and adding a new section to chapter 49.60 RCW.

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

New section.

SECTION 1. There is added to chapter 49.60 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Unfair practice as to credit application.

It shall be an unfair practice to require designation of the race, creed, color or national origin of any person on credit applications of banks, loan companies, insurance companies or any other financial institution.

Passed the House February 13, 1959.

Passed the Senate February 25, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 3, 1959.