

cities and towns shall be under the direction and supervision of the director of highways, and in the event that any city shall fail or refuse to comply with any directions for the design, location, erection or operation of any such traffic devices or traffic control signals, the director of highways shall provide for the design, location, erection or operation thereof, and any cost incurred therefor be chargeable to and payable from, any funds in the motor vehicle fund of the State of Washington, which have or may accrue to the credit of such incorporated city and town, and the State Auditor is directed and empowered to issue warrants therefor upon vouchers submitted and approved by the director of highways.

Director of
highways.

SEC. 2. This act is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Effective
immediately.

Passed the Senate March 6, 1939.

Passed the House March 6, 1939.

Approved by the Governor March 10, 1939.

CHAPTER 82.

[S. B. 469.]

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.

AN ACT relating to the registration of voters, providing for deputy registrars and for payment of expenses of registration, and amending section 4, chapter 1, Laws of 1933 (section 5114-4, Remington's Revised Statutes).

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

SECTION 1. Section 4, chapter 1, Laws of 1933 (section 5114-4, Remington's Revised Statutes) is hereby amended to read as follows:

Amends
§ 5114-4, Rem.
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Section 4. The registrar of voters, deputy registrars of voters, and such clerks in his office as the

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registrar of voters shall deputize to take registrations, shall take and subscribe to the following oath or affirmation before taking any registrations: "I, A. B., do swear (or affirm) that I will truly, faithfully and impartially perform my duties as registration officer, to the best of my judgment and abilities, and that I will register no person except upon his personal application before me." This oath shall be administered and certified to by an officer legally authorized to administer oaths, and shall be filed with the registrar. The registrar and all persons authorized by him under the provisions of this act to take registrations, after themselves taking and subscribing to the above oath, are hereby authorized to administer such oaths and affidavits as are required by this act. The expense of registration in all cities and towns shall be paid by such cities and towns, respectively, the expense of registration in precincts outside cities and towns shall be paid by the county in which such precincts, respectively, are situated, and the expense of registration in precincts lying partly within and partly outside of any city or town shall be apportioned between the city or town and the county in which the balance of the precinct lies in the proportion which the number of voters registered in such precinct living in said city or town bears to the number of voters registered in said precinct living outside said city or town.

Passed the Senate March 3, 1939.

Passed the House March 6, 1939.

Approved by the Governor March 10, 1939.