

Economic opportunity act—
Participation in.

any other county, city, or municipal corporation, or any private corporation qualified under said Economic Opportunity Act.

State action.

SEC. 2. The governor, or his designee, is hereby authorized and empowered to take whatever action is necessary to enable the state to participate in the programs set forth in the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 (Public Law 88-452; 78 Stat. 508). The governor, or his designee, is also authorized and empowered to accept and disburse federal grants or federal matching or other funds or donations from any source when made, granted or donated for a purpose covered by the said Economic Opportunity Act.

Emergency.

SEC. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House March 3, 1965.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1965.

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1965.

CHAPTER 15.

[House Bill No. 38.]

SPORTS STADIUM—PARTICIPATION.

AN ACT relating to the participation of counties and cities in the financing, acquisition, construction, operation, or maintenance of an all-purpose or multi-purpose sports stadium; authorizing the acquisition by condemnation or otherwise of necessary property therefor; authorizing an election; authorizing the issuance of bonds and matters incident thereto; prescribing powers, duties, and functions of public officers in relation thereto; and declaring an emergency.

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

Sports stadium—
Participation in "Municipality" defined.

SECTION 1. "Municipality" as used in this act, means any county or city of the state.

SEC. 2. The participation of any municipality in an all-purpose or multi-purpose sports stadium, whether acquired, constructed, or maintained within the boundaries of such municipality or within the boundaries of another municipality; the purchase, lease, condemnation, or other acquisition of necessary real property therefor; the acquisition by condemnation or otherwise, lease, construction, improvement, maintenance, and equipping of buildings or other structures upon such real property or other real property; the operation and maintenance necessary for such participation, and the exercise of any other powers herein granted to such municipalities, are hereby declared to be public, governmental, county and city functions, exercised for a public purpose, and matters of public necessity, and such real property and other property acquired, constructed, improved, maintained, equipped, and used by such municipalities in the manner and for the purposes enumerated in this act shall and are hereby declared to be acquired, constructed, improved, maintained, equipped, and used for public, governmental, county, and city purposes and as a matter of public necessity.

Participation
as public pur-
pose—Scope.

SEC. 3. Municipalities are authorized to participate solely or in conjunction with any other municipality in the financing, construction, acquisition, operation, and maintenance of an all-purpose or multi-purpose sports stadium, whether acquired, constructed, operated, or maintained within the boundaries of such municipality or within the boundaries of another municipality. Any municipality so participating is authorized, through its governing authorities, to purchase, lease, condemn, or otherwise acquire property, real or personal; to construct, improve, maintain and equip buildings or other structures; and expend moneys for investigations, planning, operations, and maintenance necessary for such participation.

Intergovern-
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participation.

Sports stadium—Participation in.

The cost of any such acquisition, condemnation, construction, improvement, maintenance, equipping, investigations, planning, operation, or maintenance necessary for such participation may be paid for by appropriation of moneys available therefor, gifts, or wholly or partly from the proceeds of bonds of the municipality, as the governing authority of the municipality may determine.

Election on participation, financing.

SEC. 4. The governing body of any municipality is hereby authorized and empowered in its discretion from time to time by resolution passed by the governing body to place before the voters of such municipality at any general or special election, or at a special election called for that purpose, for their approval or rejection, the proposition of whether or not the municipality shall participate solely or in conjunction with any other municipality in the construction or acquisition of an all-purpose or multi-purpose sports stadium and issue bonds in an amount specified in such proposition to finance the same.

Bonds to finance—Type—Issuance and retirement of.

SEC. 5. Any bonds to be issued by any municipality pursuant to the provisions of this act, shall be authorized and issued in the manner and within the limitations prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this state or charter of the municipality for the issuance and authorization of bonds thereof for public purposes generally which may be secured by a general tax levy as provided by law: *Provided*, That the provisions of RCW 39.44.070 and 36.67.040 shall not apply to such bond issues.

The bonding authority authorized for the purposes of this act shall include, but not be limited to, the issuance of general obligation bonds secured by a general tax levy, and the issuance of revenue bonds payable from a special fund or funds created solely from revenues derived from the facility, or any combination thereof. The governing authorities of such

municipalities may by ordinance take such action as may be necessary and incidental to the issuance of such bonds and the retirement thereof. The provisions of chapter 35.41 RCW not inconsistent with this act shall apply to the issuance and retirement of any such revenue bonds and the governing authority of a municipality shall have and may exercise the powers, duties, and functions incident thereto to the same extent as legislative authorities of cities and towns are authorized so to do under such chapter. The issuance and retirement of general obligation bonds shall be in accordance with general law.

SEC. 6. The governing bodies having power to appropriate moneys within such municipalities for the purpose of purchasing, condemning, leasing or otherwise acquiring property, constructing, improving, maintaining, and equipping buildings or other structures, and the investigations, planning, operation or maintenance necessary to participation in any such all-purpose or multi-purpose sports stadium, are hereby authorized to appropriate and cause to be raised by taxation or otherwise in such municipalities, moneys sufficient to carry out such purpose.

Moneys to finance, powers relative to.

SEC. 7. The powers and authority conferred upon municipalities under the provisions of this act, shall be construed as in addition and supplemental to powers or authority conferred by any other law, and nothing contained herein shall be construed as limiting any other powers or authority of such municipalities.

Powers cumulative.

SEC. 8. If any provision of this act, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

Severability.

SEC. 9. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety,

Emergency.

the support of the state government and its existing public institutions and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House March 2, 1965.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1965.

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1965.

CHAPTER 16.

[House Bill No. 52.]

IRRIGATION DISTRICTS—DIRECTORS' COMPENSATION.

AN ACT relating to irrigation districts; increasing directors' compensation; and amending section 39, page 692, Laws of 1889-90, as last amended by section 1, chapter 189, Laws of 1951, and RCW 87.03.460.

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

RCW 87.03.460 amended.

SECTION 1. Section 39, page 692, Laws of 1889-90, as last amended by section 1, chapter 189, Laws of 1951, and RCW 87.03.460 are each amended to read as follows:

Irrigation districts. Compensation of directors, officers, employees.

The directors shall each receive not to exceed twenty-five dollars per day in attending meetings and while performing other services for the district, to be fixed by resolution and entered in the minutes of their proceedings, and in addition thereto their necessary expenses in connection therewith. A director using his own automobile shall be entitled to compensation therefor not in excess of ten cents per mile for the actual and necessary number of miles traveled, based on a resolution fixing the rate per mile allowed for each make or type of car so used. The board shall fix the compensation of the secretary and all other employees. The board shall, upon the petition of at least fifty or a majority of the electors, submit to the electors at any general district election, a schedule of salaries and fees to be paid