

SEC. 18. Section 32, chapter 176, Laws of 1913, as last amended by section 2, chapter 38, Laws of the Extraordinary Session of 1933 (sec. 4440, Rem. Rev. Stat.), and all other acts or parts of any act in conflict herewith are repealed. Repealing clause.

SEC. 19. The adjudication of invalidity of any section, clause or part of a section of this act shall not impair or otherwise affect the validity of this act as a whole, or any other part hereof. Partial invalidity.

SEC. 20. This act is necessary for the immediate support of the state government and its existing institutions and shall take effect immediately. Emergency.

Passed the Senate February 21, 1949.

Passed the House February 19, 1949.

Approved by the Governor February 24, 1949.

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## CHAPTER 27.

[ H. B. 118. ]

### FLOOD CONTROL.

AN ACT relating to flood control, providing for contribution by the state to a joint state-county-federal project for flood control on the Green River and making an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. The State of Washington hereby declares its intention to participate jointly with the Federal government and King County in financing the construction by the Federal government of the Eagle Gorge Dam Flood Control Reservoir Project now approved and recommended by the Chief of Engineers United States Army. The state hereby undertakes to contribute one million five hundred thousand dollars to said project, contingent upon contribution by King County of five hundred thousand dollars and the adoption and authorization of the project by Congress and the making of a Federal appropriation therefor. State shall aid in financing Eagle Gorge Dam Project.

Amount.

Contingency.

Fund.

SEC. 2. There is hereby established in the state treasury a fund to be known as the Eagle Gorge Dam Flood Control Project Fund in which the amount of the state's contribution shall be held until expenditure is required as hereinafter provided. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the Eagle Gorge Dam Flood Control Project Fund one million five hundred thousand dollars.

Appropriation to fund.

Appropriation from fund.

SEC. 3. There is hereby appropriated from the Eagle Gorge Dam Flood Control Project Fund to the Department of Conservation and Development one million five hundred thousand dollars for payment to the Federal government as the state's share of the Eagle Gorge Dam Flood Control Reservoir Project on Green River for utilization without limitation by the United States for the construction of such project. Such payment shall be made at such time as Congress shall have adopted and authorized the construction of the Eagle Gorge Dam Flood Control Reservoir Project and shall have made an appropriation therefor and King County shall have issued a warrant in the sum of five hundred thousand dollars payable to the Treasurer of the United States as the county's contribution to said project and shall have delivered same to the Director of Conservation and Development for transmittal to the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, Seattle District and the Secretary of the Army along with the state's contribution. The Director of Conservation and Development is authorized to determine when these conditions have been met and to request the State Auditor to issue a proper warrant for the state's contribution.

Payment upon contingency.

Duties of Director of Conservation and Development.

Passed the House February 9, 1949.

Passed the Senate February 23, 1949.

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