

CHAPTER CXXXIX.

[S. B. No. 69.]

AMENDING MUNICIPAL CORPORATION LAW.

AN ACT to amend section 165 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, classification, incorporation and government of municipal corporations, and declaring an emergency."

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

SECTION 1. That section 165 of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization, classification, incorporation and government of municipal corporations, and declaring an emergency," approved March 27, 1890, be so amended as to read as follows: Sec. 165. Nothing in this chapter contained shall be construed to prevent any town having a bonded or other indebtedness contracted under laws heretofore passed from levying and collecting such taxes for the payment of such indebtedness and the interest thereon, as are provided for in such laws, in addition to the taxes and limit herein authorized to be levied and collected: *Provided*, That if such indebtedness shall exceed the limit in this chapter prescribed, it shall not require a vote of the people to authorize the payment of such indebtedness by the town council: *And provided further*, That any ordinance duly passed by the town council of any town prior to the passage of this act authorizing the payment of said indebtedness, shall be and the same is hereby declared valid (and legal and binding): *Provided further*, All moneys received from licenses, street poll tax, and for fines, penalties and forfeitures, shall be paid into the general fund.

SEC. 2. There being no law allowing towns having an indebtedness other than a bonded indebtedness to bond the same, and there being a necessity therefor, therefore an emergency exists, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 7, 1891.