## CHAPTER 69.

[S. B. 323.]

AUTHORIZING COUNTIES TO CONVEY TO MUNICIPALITIES LANDS ACQUIRED BY UNITED STATES GRANT.

An Act authorizing counties to convey lands held for county purposes under grant from the United States.

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

Extent of power conferred.

Section 1. Whenever any county shall hold title to lands, for county purposes, acquired by grant, patent or other conveyance from the United States executed under and pursuant to an act of Congress, and the board of county commissioners of such county shall by resolution find and determine that any portion of said lands is not required for county purposes and that it would be for the best interest of the county to have such portion of said lands devoted to use by a municipality lying within said county and including said lands for municipal purposes, the board of county commissioners of said county shall have power, by and with the consent of the Congress of the United States, to, by a proper instrument of conveyance executed by the board of county commissioners on behalf of the county, convey such lands to such municipality for municipal purposes, either with or without consideration, and shall not be required to advertise or offer said lands for sale or lease in the manner provided by law for the sale or lease of county property.

Passed the Senate February 23, 1917. Passed the House March 6, 1917. Approved by the Governor March 10, 1917.