(12) "Multicounty authority" means an authority other than a regional authority which consists of two or more counties.

NOTE: See also section 2, chapter 238, Laws of 1967.

Passed the House March 31, 1967.

Passed the Senate April 8, 1967.

Approved by the Governor April 19, 1967.

CHAPTER 62.

[Engrossed House Bill No. 60.]

MARINE RECREATION LAND ACT OF 1964-AMENDMENTS.

AN ACT relating to state and local government; amending section 6, chapter 5, Laws of 1965, and RCW 43.99.060; amending section 11, chapter 5, Laws of 1965, and RCW 43.99.110; amending section 13, chapter 5, Laws of 1965, and RCW 43.99.130; and adding new sections to chapter 5, Laws of 1965, and to chapter 43.99 RCW.

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

Section 1. Section 6, chapter 5, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.99.060 RCW 43.99.060 are each amended to read as follows:

amended.

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There is created the outdoor recreation account in the general fund, in which shall be deposited all account in moneys received from the marine fuel tax refund general fund created—Uses. account pursuant to RCW 43.99.070, the proceeds of the bond issue authorized by chapter 12, Laws of 1963, extraordinary session, and any moneys made available to the state of Washington by the federal government for outdoor recreation not specifically designated for another fund or agency.

Grants, gifts, or other financial assistance awarded or designated for a particular purpose, or proceeds received from public bodies as administrative cost contributions, may be received and, when appropriated by the legislature, may be expended in

accordance with the general budget and accounting act.

RCW 43.99.110 amended.

Interagency committee for outdoor recreation— Creation— Members— Term— Expenses and per diem.

Sec. 2. Section 11, chapter 5, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.99.110 are each amended to read as follows:

There is created the interagency committee for outdoor recreation consisting of the commissioner of public lands, the director of parks and recreation, the director of game, the director of fisheries, the director of highways, and the director of commerce and economic development, and, by appointment of the governor, five members from the public at large who have a demonstrated interest in and a general knowledge of outdoor recreation in the state. The terms of members appointed from the public at large shall commence on January 1st of the year of appointment and shall be for three years or until a successor is appointed, except in the case of appointments to fill vacancies which shall be for the remainder of the unexpired term; provided the first such members shall be appointed for terms as follows: One member for one year, two members for two years, and two members for three years. The governor shall appoint one of the members from the public at large to serve as chairman of the committee for the duration of the member's term. Members employed by the state shall serve without additional pay and participation in the work of the committee shall be deemed performance of their employment. Members from the public at large shall serve without pay, but shall be entitled to reimbursement individually for necessary travel and other expenses incurred in performance of their duties as members of the committee on the same basis as is provided by law for state officials and employees generally.

RCW 43.99.130 amended. Sec. 3. Section 13, chapter 5, Laws of 1965 and RCW 43.99.130 are each amended to read as follows:

When requested by the committee, members employed by the state shall furnish assistance to the state departments. committee from their departments for the analysis and review of proposed plans and projects, and such assistance shall be a proper charge against the appropriations to the several agencies represented on the committee. Assistance may be in the form of money, personnel, or equipment and supplies, whichever is most suitable to the needs of the committee.

Assistance furnished by

The committee shall employ an administrator and may employ an assistant administrator to serve at the pleasure of the committee and shall appoint such professional, technical, and clerical personnel and other assistants and employees as may be necessary to carry out the work of the committee.

Sec. 4. There is added to chapter 5, Laws of 1965 New section. and to chapter 43.99 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The committee subject to the authority and re- comprehensponsibility of the state planning agency is authorized to prepare, maintain, and keep up-to-date a recreation resources. comprehensive plan for the development of the outdoor recreation resources of the state.

Sec. 5. There is added to chapter 5, Laws of 1965 New section. and to chapter 43.99 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The committee may apply to any appropriate Application agency or officer of the United States for participa- aid. tion in or the receipt of aid from any federal program respecting outdoor recreation not specifically designated for another fund or agency. It may enter into contracts and agreements with the United States or any appropriate agency thereof, keep financial and other records relating thereto, and furnish to appropriate officials and agencies of the United States such reports and information as may be rea-

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sonably necessary to enable such officials and agencies to perform their duties under such programs.

New section.

Sec. 6. There is added to chapter 5, Laws of 1965 and to chapter 43.99 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Limitation of committee—
Areas for public recreation
—Limitation
on other state agencies.

The committee for outdoor recreation shall make no commitment nor enter into any agreement until it has determined that sufficient funds are available to meet project costs. It is the legislative intent that, to such extent as may be necessary to assure the proper operation and maintenance of areas and facilities acquired or developed pursuant to any program participated in by this state under authority of this chapter, such areas and facilities shall be publicly maintained for outdoor recreation purposes. When requested by a state agency or public body, the committee may enter into and administer agreements with the United States or any appropriate agency thereof for planning, acquisition, and development projects involving participating federal-aid funds on behalf of any state agency, public body, or subdivision of this state: *Provided*, That recipients of funds give necessary assurances to the committee that they have available sufficient matching funds to meet their shares, if any, of the cost of the project and that the acquired or developed areas will be operated and maintained at the expense of such state agency, public body, or subdivision for public outdoor recreation use.

New section.

Sec. 7. There is added to chapter 5, Laws of 1965 and to chapter 43.99 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Interest on funds made available.

Interest earned on funds granted or made available by the committee shall not be expended by the recipient but shall be returned to the outdoor recreation account of the general fund for disburse-

ment by the committee in accordance with general budget and accounting procedure.

Passed the House April 10, 1967.

Passed the Senate April 8, 1967.

Approved by the Governor April 19, 1967.

CHAPTER 63.

[Engrossed House Bill No. 65.]

PUBLIC LANDS.

AN ACT relating to public lands; amending section 1, chapter 178, Laws of 1961 and RCW 79.64.010; amending section 4, chapter 178, Laws of 1961 and RCW 79.64.040; adding a new section to chapter 178, Laws of 1961 and to chapter 79.64 RCW; repealing section 8, chapter 178, Laws of 1961 and RCW 79.64.080; repealing section 16, chapter 56, Laws of 1965 and RCW 79.08.107; and repealing section 6, chapter 175, Laws of 1933 and RCW 79.56.070.

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

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 178, Laws of 1961 RCW 79.64.010 and RCW 79.64.010 are each amended to read as follows:

amended.

Unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context, the following words and phrases as managing and administering hereinafter used in this chapter shall have the following meanings:

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- (1) "Account" means the resource management cost account in the state general fund.
- (2) "Department" means the department of natural resources.
- (3) "Board" means the board of natural resources of the department of natural resources.
- (4) "Rule" means rule as the same is defined by RCW 34.04.010.
- (5) The definitions set forth in RCW 79.01.004 shall be applicable.