

the planning and community affairs agency or its successor, and other appropriate state and regional agencies. The plan shall relate to solid waste management for twenty years in the future and shall be reviewed biennially, revised as necessary, and extended so that perpetually the plan shall look to the future for twenty years as a guide in carrying out a state coordinated solid waste management program.

(3) Provide technical assistance to any person as well as to cities, counties, and industries.

(4) Initiate, conduct, and support research, demonstration projects, and investigations, and coordinate research programs pertaining to solid waste management systems.

(5) May, under the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, chapter 34.04 RCW, as now or hereafter amended, from time to time promulgate such rules and regulations as are necessary to carry out the purposes of this act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 27. Nothing in this act shall be deemed to change the authority or responsibility of the Washington utilities and transportation commission to regulate all intrastate carriers.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 28. 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 provisions to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

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CHAPTER 135
[House Bill No. 639]
METROPOLITAN MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS

AN ACT Relating to metropolitan municipal corporations; amending section 35.58.120, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, as amended by section 3, chapter 105, Laws of 1967, and RCW 35.58.120; amending section 35.58.140, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, as amended by section 4, chapter 105, Laws of 1967, and RCW 35.58.140; amending section 35.58.530, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, as amended by section 15, chapter 105, Laws of 1967, and RCW 35.58.530; and declaring

an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 35.58.120, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, as amended by section 3, chapter 105, Laws of 1967, and RCW 35.58.120 are each amended to read as follows:

A metropolitan municipal corporation shall be governed by a metropolitan council composed of the following:

(1) One member (a) who shall be the elected county executive of the central county, or (b) if there shall be no elected county executive, one member who shall be selected by, and from, the board of commissioners of the central county;

(2) One additional member selected by the board of commissioners of each component county for each county commissioner district containing ten thousand or more persons residing in the unincorporated portion of such commissioner district lying within the metropolitan municipal corporation who shall be either the county commissioner from such district or a resident of such unincorporated portion;

(3) One member from each of the six largest component cities who shall be the mayor of such city, if such city shall have the mayor-council form of government, and in other cities shall be selected by, and from, the mayor and city council of each of such cities.

(4) One member representing all component cities other than the six largest cities to be selected by and from the mayors of such smaller cities in the following manner: The mayors of all such cities shall meet on the second Tuesday following the establishment of a metropolitan municipal corporation and thereafter on the third Tuesday in June of each even-numbered year at two o'clock p.m. at the office of the board of county commissioners of the central county. The chairman of such board shall preside. After nominations are made, successive ballots shall be taken until one candidate receives a majority of all votes cast.

(5) One additional member selected by the city council of each component city containing a population of ten thousand or more for

each sixty thousand population over and above the first ten thousand, such members to be selected from such city council until all councilmen are members and thereafter to be selected from other elected officers of such city.

(6) One member, who shall be chairman of the metropolitan council, selected by the other members of the council. He shall not hold any public office of or be an employee of any component city or component county of the metropolitan municipal corporation.

Sec. 2. Section 35.58.140, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, as amended by section 4, chapter 105, Laws of 1967 and RCW 35.58.140 are each amended to read as follows:

Each member of a metropolitan council except those selected under the provisions of RCW 35.58.120 (1)(a), (4) and (6), shall hold office at the pleasure of the body which selected him. Each member, who shall hold office ex officio, may not hold office after he ceases to hold the position of elected county executive, mayor, commissioner, or councilman. The chairman shall hold office until the second Tuesday in July of each even-numbered year and may, if reelected, serve more than one term. Each member shall hold office until his successor has been selected as provided in this chapter.

Sec. 3. Section 35.58.530, chapter 7, Laws of 1965, as amended by section 15, chapter 105, Laws of 1967, and RCW 35.58.530 are each amended to read as follows:

Territory annexed to a component city after the establishment of a metropolitan municipal corporation shall by such act be annexed to such corporation. Territory within a metropolitan municipal corporation may be annexed to a city which is not within such metropolitan municipal corporation in the manner provided by law and in such event either (1) such city may be annexed to such metropolitan municipal corporation by ordinance of the legislative body of the city con-
curred in by resolution of the metropolitan council, or (2) if such city shall not be so annexed such territory shall remain within the metropolitan municipal corporation unless such city shall by resolu-

tion of its legislative body request the withdrawal of such territory subject to any outstanding indebtedness of the metropolitan corporation and the metropolitan council shall by resolution consent to such withdrawal.

Any territory contiguous to a metropolitan municipal corporation and lying wholly within an incorporated city or town may be annexed to such metropolitan municipal corporation by ordinance of the legislative body of such city or town requesting such annexation concurred in by resolution of the metropolitan council.

Any other territory adjacent to a metropolitan municipal corporation may be annexed thereto by vote of the qualified electors residing in the territory to be annexed, in the manner provided in this chapter. An election to annex such territory may be called pursuant to a petition or resolution in the following manner:

(1) A petition calling for such an election shall be signed by at least four percent of the qualified voters residing within the territory to be annexed and shall be filed with the auditor of the central county.

(2) A resolution calling for such an election may be adopted by the metropolitan council.

Any resolution or petition calling for such an election shall describe the boundaries of the territory to be annexed, and state that the annexation of such territory to the metropolitan municipal corporation will be conducive to the welfare and benefit of the persons or property within the metropolitan municipal corporation and within the territory proposed to be annexed.

Upon receipt of such a petition, the auditor shall examine the same and certify to the sufficiency of the signatures thereon. For the purpose of examining the signatures on such petition, the auditor shall be permitted access to the voter registration books of each city within the territory proposed to be annexed and of each county a portion of which shall be located within the territory proposed to be annexed. No person may withdraw his name from a petition after it has

been filed with the auditor. Within thirty days following the receipt of such petition, the auditor shall transmit the same to the metropolitan council, together with his certificate as to the sufficiency thereof.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. 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.

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CHAPTER 136
[Substitute House Bill No. 850]
INTOXICATING LIQUOR--CLASS
H LICENSES--AIRPORTS

AN ACT Relating to intoxicating liquor and class H licenses; and amending section 23S-3 added to chapter 62, Laws of 1933 ex. sess. by section 3, chapter 5, Laws of 1949, as amended by section 3, chapter 143, Laws of 1965 ex. sess., and RCW 66-.24.420.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 23S-3 added to chapter 62, Laws of 1933 ex. sess. by section 3, chapter 5, Laws of 1949, as amended by section 3, chapter 143, Laws of 1965 ex. sess., and RCW 66.24.420 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The class H license shall be issued in accordance with the following schedule of annual fees:

(a) The annual fee for said license, if issued to a club, whether inside or outside of incorporated cities and towns, shall be three hundred thirty dollars.

(b) The annual fee for said license, if issued to any other class H licensee in incorporated cities and towns, shall be graduated according to the population thereof as follows:

Incorporated cities and towns of less than 10,000 population;
fee \$550.00;