

## CHAPTER 111.

[S. B. 357.]

## EXTENDING THE BOUNDARIES OF CITIES.

AN ACT extending the powers and jurisdiction of incorporated cities into the bays, lakes, sounds, rivers and other navigable waters adjacent to the boundaries of such cities, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. That the powers and jurisdiction of all incorporated cities of the State of Washington having their boundaries or any part of their boundaries adjacent to or fronting on any bay or bays, lake or lakes, sound or sounds, river or rivers, or other navigable waters, be and the same are hereby extended into and over said waters and over any tide lands intervening between any such boundary and any such waters to the middle of such bays, sounds, lakes, rivers or other waters, in every manner and for every purpose that such powers and jurisdiction could be exercised when such cities' limits include such waters or any part of such waters: *Provided*, That in towns of the fourth class the territory added by this act shall be over and above the one square mile now established by law as the maximum territory within the limits of such town.

Limits extended to center of channel.

Emergency.

SEC. 2. An emergency exists and this act shall take effect immediately.

Passed by the Senate March 2, 1909.

Passed by the House March 10, 1909.

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