

when ascertained and certified as provided in this act, shall constitute a valid claim against the high school district fund hereafter provided for in this act. The above tax shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes are collected, and shall be segregated by the county treasurer into a fund which shall be designated as the high school district fund and which shall be used only for reimbursing high school districts for the cost of educating non-resident high school pupils whose legal residence shall be in a non-high school district.

Passed the Senate February 15, 1923.

Passed the House March 5, 1923.

Approved by the Governor March 14, 1923.

CHAPTER 104.

[S. B. 165.]

HARBORS AND HARBOR AREAS.

An Act providing for the amendment of Section 1 of Article XV of the constitution of the State of Washington relating to harbors and harbor areas..

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

SECTION 1. That at the general election to be held in this state on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, 1924, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state, for their approval or rejection, an amendment to Section 1 of Article XV of the Constitution of the State of Washington, so that the same shall read when so amended as follows:

Section 1. The legislature shall provide for the appointment of a commission whose duty it shall be to locate and establish harbor lines in the navigable waters of all harbors, estuaries, bays and inlets of

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this state, wherever such navigable waters lie within or in front of the corporate limits of any city, or within one mile thereof on either side. Any harbor line so located or established may thereafter be changed, relocated or re-established by the commission pursuant to such provision as may be made therefor by the legislature. The state shall never give, sell or lease to any private person, corporation, or association any rights whatever in the waters beyond such harbor lines, nor shall any of the area lying between any harbor line and the line of ordinary high water, and within not less than fifty feet nor more than two thousand feet of such harbor line (as the commission shall determine) be sold or granted by the state, nor its rights to control the same relinquished, but such area shall be forever reserved for landings, wharves, streets, and other conveniences of navigation and commerce.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of State shall cause the amendment in Section 1 of this act to be published for three months next preceding said election in a weekly newspaper in every county where a newspaper is published throughout the state. Publication.

Passed the Senate February 16, 1923.

Passed the House March 5, 1923.

Filed without the signature of the Governor.

J. GRANT HINKLE,
Secretary of State.