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#### Chapter 106

# RESOLVE, Providing Funds to the Washington County Development Authority for Development of Recreational Areas.

Washington County Development Authority. Resolved: That there is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$5,000 to be paid to the Washington County Development Authority for the development of a public landing on Cathance Lake and adjacent camping sites and recreational areas in the Town of Cooper, Washington County.

Effective September 21, 1963

### Chapter 107

#### **RESOLVE**, In Favor of Town of Woolwich.

Town of Woolwich; reimbursed. Resolved: That there is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$1,000 to be paid to the Town of Woolwich as settlement of the town's claim against the State by the acquisition of certain property by the State.

Effective September 21, 1963

### Chapter 108

#### **RESOLVE**, Appropriating Money to Supplement Federal Vocational Funds for Area Education Programs for Apprentices and Other Adult Workers.

Department of Education; appropriation. Resolved: That there is appropriated to the Department of Education from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$15,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964 and the sum of \$20,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965 to supplement present vocational funds for conducting classes of related instruction for apprentices or classes of technical or related instruction for other adult workers when such classes enroll persons not all of whom are residents of the area within the jurisdiction of one administrative school unit. Rates of reimbursement, established by the State Board of Education, will reimburse local school units partially or in full for expenditures made on account of nonresident students. In cases where such area programs of instruction cannot be provided adequately by local school administrative units, these funds may be used to supplement other vocational funds for the purpose of contracting with educational institutions to provide the proposed area programs of instruction.

Effective September 21, 1963

### Chapter 109

#### RESOLVE, Appropriating Moneys to Match Federal Funds Provided Under Title VIII of the National Defense Education Act.

Appropriating moneys to match federal funds. Resolved: That there is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$10,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964 and the sum of \$15,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965 for the purpose of matching federal funds made available for technical education, electronics course at Maine Vocational Technical Institute, under the provisions of Title VIII of the National Defense Education Act.

Effective September 21, 1963

### Chapter 110

#### RESOLVE, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Forbidding Discrimination Against Any Person.

**Constitutional amendment. Resolved:** Two-thirds of each branch of the Legislature concurring, that the following amendment to the Constitution of this State be proposed:

Constitution, Article I, amended. Article I of the Constitution is amended by adding thereto a new section 6-A, to read as follows:

'Section 6-A. Discrimination against persons prohibited. No person shall be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law, nor be denied the equal protection of the laws, nor be denied the enjoyment of his civil rights or be discriminated against in the exercise thereof.'

Form of question and date when amendment shall be voted upon. Resolved: That the aldermen of cities, the selectmen of towns and the assessors of the several plantations of this State are empowered and directed to notify the inhabitants of their respective cities, towns and plantations to meet in the manner prescribed by law for calling and holding biennial meetings of said inhabitants for the election of Senators and Representatives at the next general election in the month of November or special state-wide election on the Tuesday following the first Monday of November following the passage of this resolve to give in their votes upon the amendment proposed in the foregoing resolution, and the question shall be:

"Shall the Constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature Forbidding Discrimination Against Any Person?"

And the inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall vote by ballot on said question, and shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. The ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings and returns made to the office of the Secretary of State in the same manner as votes for Governor and members of the Legislature, and the Governor and Council shall count the same, and if it shall appear that a majority of the inhabitants voting on the question are in favor of the amendment, the Governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation, and the amendment shall thereupon, as of the date of said proclamation, become a part of the Constitution.