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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
AS PASSED BY THE
One Hundred and Sixth Legislature
1ST SPECIAL SESSION
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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Sixth Legislature

AT THE

SPECIAL SESSION

January 2, 1974

to

March 29, 1974

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

County Commissioners of Oxford County; funds authorized. The county commissioners of Oxford County are authorized to expend up to \$60,000 from 1974 Federal Revenue Sharing Funds for the construction of a combination administrative hangar facility at the Oxford County Regional Airport.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

Effective January 25, 1974

CHAPTER 176

AN ACT Relating to the Borrowing Capacity of School Administrative District No. 24.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, School Administrative District No. 24 is now:

1. Operating 3 small elementary schools with classes being held in the basement without proper safety and that these schools also lack proper health, physical education, special area and cafeteria facilities;
2. Operating rented elementary school and other rented facilities for physical education and administration;
3. Operating a high school which is overcrowded by 200 students and that in a separate facility built by students and these facilities are considered this high school is also operating an industrial arts and vocational program unsafe;
4. Housing its trainable mentally retarded children in a wooden parish rectory which does not meet school facility standards; and

Whereas, there is a critical need for new school construction to consolidate these schools; and place these children in safe and upgraded facilities; and

Whereas, the borrowing capacity of the district is insufficient to meet the needs for such construction; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

School Administrative District No. 24 authorized to borrow money. The school directors of School Administrative District No. 24 are authorized to

borrow a sum of money not in excess of \$6,000,000 upon approval of the voters of the district voting on an appropriate article as set out in the Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 225. This authority is granted notwithstanding any other provision of the Revised Statutes, Title 20 to the contrary.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

Effective January 25, 1974

CHAPTER 177

AN ACT Extending the Territorial Limits of Kennebunk, Kennebunkport and Wells Water District to Include all of the Town of Wells.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1921, c. 159, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 159 of the private and special laws of 1921 as amended by section 1 of chapter 35 of the private and special laws of 1969 is further amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1. Territorial limits, corporate name and purpose. The territory and people constituting the Towns of Kennebunk, Kennebunkport and Wells, ~~except that portion of the Town of Wells situated one mile and more northerly and westerly of the state highway through said town~~ shall constitute a body politic and corporate under the name of the Kennebunk, Kennebunkport and Wells Water District, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of said district and said municipalities, and also the portions of the Town of York and the City of Biddeford now being served by the York County Water Company and the Town of Arundel, with pure water for domestic and municipal purposes.

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1921, c. 159, § 5, amended. Section 5 of chapter 159 of the private and special laws of 1921 is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5. Management of affairs. All the affairs of the said water district shall be managed by a board of trustees composed of 3 members, one chosen by the municipality of Kennebunk, one by the municipality of Kennebunkport and the other by the ~~inhabitants of the municipality of Wells residing within the limits of said district~~. The trustees chosen by the municipalities of Kennebunk, ~~and Kennebunkport and Wells~~ shall be elected by ballot at their annual town meetings, respectively, as town officers are elected ~~and the trustees chosen by the inhabitants of the district within the Town of Wells shall be elected at a meeting of said inhabitants called and held in the manner provided in section fourteen of this act.~~

The first board of trustees shall be elected at the meeting of each of said Towns of Kennebunk and Kennebunkport and the meeting of the inhabitants of the district in the Town of Wells, when this charter is accepted, which meeting may be a special meeting called for said purpose. As soon as convenient after said trustees have been chosen, they shall hold a meeting at the office of the selectmen in the Town of Kennebunk and organize by the election of a president and clerk, adopt a corporate seal, and when necessary may choose a treasurer and all other needful officers and agents for the prop-