

CHAPTER 261.

[H. B. 484.]

DISPOSITION OF STATE PARKS LAND.

AN ACT authorizing the State Parks Committee to sell land not needed for park purposes.

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

Disposal
authorized.

School lands.

Lands held
under re-
strictive
covenant.

Other lands.

Bids.

Publication.

Proceeds
of sale.

Unanimous
consent.

SECTION 1. Whenever the State Parks Committee shall find that any land under its control cannot advantageously be used for park purposes, it is authorized to dispose of such land. If such lands are school lands, control thereof shall be relinquished by resolution of the State Parks Committee to the proper state officials. If such lands were acquired under restrictive conveyances by which the state may hold them only so long as they were used for park purposes, the same may be returned to the donors or grantors by the State Parks Committee and the necessary conveyances may be executed by the Governor. All other such lands may be sold by the State Parks Committee to the highest bidder. Sealed bids on all sales shall be solicited at least twenty (20) days in advance of the sale date by an advertisement appearing at least in three consecutive issues of a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the land to be sold is located. All proceeds of any sale of such park property shall be paid to the parkway fund: *Provided*, That no sale of state park lands shall be made without the unanimous consent of the State Parks Committee.

Passed the House March 9, 1947.

Passed the Senate March 9, 1947.

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1947.