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## Chapter XII - Utility Districts

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## Chapter XII - Utility Districts

### Blountville Utility Districts

#### Private Acts of 1947 Chapter 244

**SECTION 1.** That all Acts and proceedings heretofore taken in connection with the organization of the Blountville Utility District of Sullivan County, Tennessee, are hereby legalized and validated and said District is hereby constituted a valid utility district under the provisions of Chapter 248 of the 1937 Public Acts of Tennessee.

**SECTION 2.** That the boundaries of the Blountville Utility District of Sullivan County, Tennessee, shall consist as follows: Beginning in the State line between Tennessee and Virginia at the west corporate limit line of the City of Bristol, Tennessee; thence S 55° 00' W 43,220 feet to a stake west of Blountville; thence S 35° 00' E 4,000 feet to a stake southwest of Blountville; thence N 55° 00' E 44,180 feet to a stake in corporate limit line of the City of Bristol, Tennessee; thence N 88° 00' W 3,000 feet with the corporate limit line of the City of Bristol, Tennessee, to the southwest corner of said corporate limits; thence With said corporate limit line of the City of Bristol, Tennessee, N 2° 00' E 2,600 feet to the point of beginning.

**SECTION 3.** That all acts and proceedings heretofore had or taken in connection with the selection of the members of the Board of Commissioners of said District, together with all proceedings by said Board relative to the selection of officers thereof and designation of a corporate seal, are hereby legalized and validated.

**SECTION 4.** That all acts and proceedings heretofore had or taken by the Board of Commissioners of said District in connection with the letting of contracts for the acquisition and construction of a Waterworks System for said District are hereby legalized and validated.

**SECTION 5.** That all acts and proceedings heretofore had or taken by the Board of Commissioners of said District in connection with the authorization and sale of Two Hundred and Seventy-Five Thousand (\$275,000) Dollars Waterworks Revenue Bonds of said District are hereby legalized and validated and said bonds when delivered in accordance with the provisions of such proceedings shall constitute the valid and binding obligations of said District payable from the sources provided in such proceedings.

**SECTION 6.** That said District shall operate under the provisions of Chapter 248 of the 1937 Public Acts of Tennessee as same may be amended from time to time.

**SECTION 7.** That this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: February 13, 1947.

### Kingsport - Long Island Utility District

#### Private Acts of 1949 Chapter 688

**SECTION 1.** That the Kingsport Long Island Utility District of Sullivan County, Tennessee, heretofore created by decree of the County Judge of said County, rendered on March 26, 1943, pursuant to a petition, notice, and hearing, is hereby found and declared to be a validly organized and existing utility district of the State of Tennessee under the provisions of the Utility District Act of 1937, same being Chapter 248 of the 1937 Public Acts of Tennessee, together with all amendments thereto.

**SECTION 2.** That the boundaries of The Kingsport Long Island Utility District of Sullivan County, Tennessee, shall be as follows: BEGINNING at the northwest corner of the southwest abutment of the bridge over the Holston River on the Horse Creek Road, said point of beginning being a corner in the boundaries of the city limits of the City of Kingsport, thence with the low water marks or line of the southwest side of the Holston River as it meanders, upstream in a southeasterly direction 5,300 feet more or less to a stake where the Holston River and the slough on the southwest side of Long Island (Cherokee Island) [sic] divide; thence in a northwesterly direction with the low water marks or line of said slough, as it meanders 3,400 feet to a stake in the southeast line of Mason Road extended; thence in a northwesterly direction with the low water marks or line of the slough as it meanders 2,700 feet to a stake in the center line of Horse Creek Road and the low water line of the slough; thence with the low water mark or line on the southwest side of Long Island (Cherokee Island) in a northwesterly direction as it

meanders, 16,500 feet to a stake at the intersection of the low water lines of the slough and the Holston River at the most westerly point of Long Island (Cherokee Island); thence in an easterly direction with the low water marks or line of Holston River, upstream, as it meanders 4,000 feet more or less to a stone monument on the southwest bank of the Holston River, said monument being a corner in the boundaries of the city limits of the City of Kingsport; thence with the boundaries of the city limits of the City of Kingsport, following said northwest bank, its several courses and distances, in a general southeastern direction and along the northeast edge of Long Island (Cherokee Island) and with the boundaries of the city limits of Kingsport 13,600 feet more or less to the point or place of beginning.

**SECTION 3.** That all proceedings heretofore taken by the Board of Commissioners of said District in connection with obtaining a water system for said District and in the authorization and sale of \$275,000 Waterworks Revenue Bonds of said District, dated March 1, 1949, are hereby validated and legalized.

**SECTION 4.** That this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.  
Passed: April 8, 1949.

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