

**RCW 79.135.320 Vacation of reserve—Lease of lands—Designated state oyster reserve lands.** (1) In the event that the fish and wildlife commission approves the vacation of the whole or any part of a reserve, the department may vacate and offer for lease the parts or all of the reserve as it deems to be for the best interest of the state, and all moneys received for the lease of the lands shall be paid to the department.

(2) Notwithstanding RCW 77.60.020, subsection (1) of this section, or any other provision of state law, the state oyster reserves in Eld Inlet, Hammersley Inlet, or Totten Inlet, situated in Mason or Thurston counties shall permanently be designated as state oyster reserve lands. [2005 c 155 s 712; 2001 c 273 s 4; 2000 c 11 s 30; 1994 c 264 s 72; 1982 1st ex.s. c 21 s 144. Formerly RCW 79.96.110.]