maximum beneficial use and control of the water resources of this state. [1955 c.707 §19]

536.460 Preparation and submission of information or recommendations to other persons or agencies. The Water Resources Commission may prepare and submit information or proposals and recommendations relating to the water resources of this state or the functions of the commission as provided by law to any person, local voluntary committee or association, state agency or public corporation of this or any other state, any interstate agency, any agency of the federal government or any committee of the legislature of this or any other state or of the Congress of the United States. [1955 c.707 822]

536.470 Coordination of local, state, interstate and federal programs. The Water Resources Commission may consult and cooperate with any state agency or public corporation of this or any other state, any interstate agency or any agency of the federal government for the purpose of promoting coordination between local, state, interstate and federal plans, programs and projects for the use or control of the water resources of this state or to facilitate and assist the commission in carrying out its functions as provided by law. [1955 c.707 §21]

536.480 Making available information **concerning water resources.** The Water Resources Commission, insofar as practicable, shall make available, free or at cost, to the public and to any state agency or public corporation of this or any other state, any interstate agency or any agency of the federal government, information concerning the water resources of this state or the functions of the commission as provided by law, including information relating to the state water resources policy, to any plan or program devised by the commission for the development of the water resources of this state, to the results of any investigation, survey or study conducted by the commission and to the results of any hearing held by the commission. [1955 c.707 §23]

536.490 Attendance at conferences and meetings. The Water Resources Commission, or any member thereof or any other person designated by the commission, may attend and participate in any public conference, meeting or hearing held within or without this state for the purpose of considering water resources problems. [1955 c.707 §24]

536.500 Acceptance and expenditure of moneys from public and private sources. The Water Resources Commission may accept and expend moneys from any public or private source, including the federal government, made available for the purpose of encouraging, promoting and securing the

maximum beneficial use and control of the water resources of this state or to facilitate and assist in carrying out its functions as provided by law. All moneys received by the commission under this section shall be deposited in the State Treasury and, unless otherwise prescribed by the source from which such moneys were received, shall be kept in separate accounts in the General Fund designated according to the purposes for which the moneys were made available. Notwithstanding the provisions of ORS 291.238, all such moneys are continuously appropriated to the commission for the purposes for which they were made available and shall be expended in accordance with the terms and conditions upon which they were made available. [1955 c.707 §25]

536.510 [1955 c.707 §26; repealed by 1985 c.673 §185]

536.520 State agencies and public corporations furnishing information and services to commission. (1) In order to facilitate and assist in carrying out its functions as provided by law, the Water Resources Commission may:

- (a) Call upon state agencies or public corporations of this state to furnish or make available to the commission information concerning the water resources of this state which such state agencies or public corporations have acquired or may acquire in the performance of their functions.
- (b) Have access to the records, facilities or projects of state agencies or public corporations of this state, insofar as such records, facilities or projects may concern the water resources of this state or the functions of the commission with regard thereto.
- (c) Otherwise utilize the services, records and other facilities of state agencies or public corporations of this state to the maximum extent practicable.
- (2) Upon request by the commission, all officers and employees of state agencies or public corporations of this state shall cooperate to the maximum extent practicable with the commission under subsection (1) of this section.
- (3) Upon receipt and approval by the commission of approved claims therefor, any special or extraordinary expense incurred by any state agency or public corporation of this state in cooperating with the commission under this section shall be paid by the commission. [1955 c.707 §§27,28]

 $\bf 536.530$ [1955 c.707 $\S 29;$ repealed by 1975 c.581 $\S 29$ and by 1975 c.605 $\S 33]$

536.540 Approval of voucher claims. All voucher claims for indebtedness or expenses authorized and incurred by the Water Resources Commission in carrying out its functions as provided by law shall be ap-