

be made *as in other actions, at law or in equity, or in the manner provided in the act of General Assembly, entitled "An act to authorize the execution of process in certain cases in equity, concerning property within the jurisdiction of the court, and on the defendants not resident or found therein,"* approved the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine (*Pamphlet Laws 387*).

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1955.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 264

AN ACT

Amending the act of May one, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (*Pamphlet Laws 905*), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the use of highways, and the operation of vehicles, tractors, street cars, trackless trolley omnibuses, bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, including liens, encumbrances, and legal claims; registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof, upon payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, the Department of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of vehicles, and garage keepers; providing that records are admissible as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, within the Commonwealth, liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees, and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds," authorizing incorporated towns to remove and impound vehicles.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Subsection (b) of section one thousand one hundred three, act of May one, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (*Pamphlet Laws 905*), known as "The Vehicle Code," amended June twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred fifty-one (*Pamphlet Laws 929*), is amended to read:

Section 1103. Powers of Local Authorities.—

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(b) Local authorities in cities of the first class, second class, second class A and third class, townships of the first class, *incorporated towns* and boroughs, in their respective jurisdictions, shall have the authority to provide, by ordinance, for the removal and impounding of

The Vehicle Code.

Subsection (b), section 1103, act of May 1, 1929, P. L. 905, amended June 28, 1951, P. L. 929, further amended.

any vehicle parked on the streets, highways, or public property of such city, *township, incorporated town or borough*, in violation of any local ordinance, adopted pursuant to the authority of this act or of any of the provisions of this act.

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1955.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 265

AN ACT

Amending the act of July twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred fifty-three (Pamphlet Laws 723), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second class; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," conferring additional powers and duties on the county planning commission.

Second Class
County Code.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Subsection (f),
section 2201, act
of July 28,
1953, P. L. 723,
amended.

Section 1. Subsection (f) of section two thousand two hundred one, act of July twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred fifty-three (Pamphlet Laws 723), known as the "Second Class County Code," is amended to read:

Section 2201. Creation and Powers of County Planning Commissions.— * * *

(f) The county planning commission may be given the additional [power and duty] *powers and duties* of serving as the county zoning commission *and county transit and traffic commission*, with all the powers and duties that have been or may be conferred upon such county [zoning commission] *commissions* by other acts of Assembly.

Section 2251, act
of July 28,
1953, P. L. 723,
amended by add-
ing a new sub-
section (d).

Section 2. Section two thousand two hundred fifty-one of the act is amended by adding thereto a new subsection to read:

Section 2251. Duties of the County Transit and Traffic Commission.— * * *

(d) *In lieu of the creation of a county transit and traffic commission in the county where a county planning commission has been established, the county commissioners may, by resolution, confer and impose on such planning commission the additional powers and duties of serving as the county transit and traffic commission, with all the powers and duties conferred by this sub-section upon the county transit and traffic commission. Upon the passage of such resolution by the county commissioners, the terms of office of the existing county transit and traffic commissioners shall terminate and*