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**STATE TOLL BRIDGES, TUNNELS, AND FERRIES**

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*Bridges across navigable waters: RCW 79.110.110 through 79.110.140.*

*Port districts, toll facilities: Chapter 53.34 RCW.*

*Toll bridge bonds authorized, adjoining counties: RCW 36.76.140.*

*Traffic violations and unlawful acts on toll facility or ferry: RCW  
46.61.690.*

*Viaducts, bridges, elevated roadways, tunnels, etc., authority of  
cities to construct: Chapter 35.85 RCW.*