

*Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada*, passed in the year 1839. Toronto: Robert Stanton, 1839.

2 Victoria – Chapter 54

**An Act granting a sum of money to improve and keep in repair the Kettle Creek Harbour, at Port Stanley. Passed 11th May, 1839.**

Most Gracious Sovereign:

Whereas it is expedient to improve and keep in repair the Kettle Creek Harbour, at Port Stanley, We Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Upper Canada, in Provincial Parliament assembled, do therefore humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted: And be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled, "*An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province,'*" and by the authority of the same, That out of the rates and duties now levied and collected, or hereafter to be levied and collected, and unappropriated, there be granted to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, the sum of Two Thousand Pounds, to be expended and applied as hereinafter provided, in improving and repairing the Kettle Creek Harbour, at Port Stanley.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor of this Province, to appoint under his Seal at Arms, not more than three Commissioners for expending and applying the said sum of Two Thousand Pounds, under the superintendence and direction of a Civil Engineer, to be appointed as hereinafter provided.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor of this Province, to appoint a Civil Engineer to examine the Harbour at Port Stanley, and point out in writing, to the Commissioners that may be appointed under this Act, the best method for improving and repairing the said Harbour, and to report the same to the Lieutenant Governor, that the same may be laid before the Legislature at its next meeting; and it shall be the duty of the said Commissioners, and they are hereby required, to expend and apply the said Two Thousand Pounds for the improvement and repairing the said Harbour, after the manner that may be pointed out to them by the said Civil Engineer.

IV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said Commissioners shall and they are hereby required, on or before the thirty first day of December next, to render an account in detail of the money so expended in the improvement of the said Harbour to

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the Lieutenant Governor, that the same may be laid before the Legislature at its next Meeting.