

AN ACT to incorporate the village of Beloit.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

Limits of vil-
lage.

SECTION 1. That the town of Beloit, in the county of Rock as laid out and platted by the proprietors of said town, a map or plat of which has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county, including also all that portion of the burying ground as now laid out adjoining to and not included within said recorded plat, shall hereafter constitute the village of Beloit, and the inhabitants now residing, or who may hereafter reside within the limits of said village, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name and style of the "trustees of the village of Beloit," and by that name they and their successors forever hereafter shall and may have perpetual succession, and shall be persons in law capable of suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, answering and being answered unto, defending and being defended in all courts and places, and in all suits whatsoever.

SEC. 2. That the provisions of an act entitled "an act to incorporate the village of Geneva," approved January 27, 1844, so far as the same are applicable, be and the same are hereby adopted for the regulation and government of said corporation.

Inhabitants
when and
where to meet.

SEC. 3. It shall be lawful for the inhabitants of said village qualified to vote, to meet at the common school house in said village on the first Monday in April next, at ten o'clock A. M. and proceed to organize said village by choosing the officers specified, and in the manner particularly pointed out in the third section of said act, which said officers, when so elected shall hold their offices by the like tenor, possess all the powers, perform all the duties and be subject to all the liabilities pertaining to said office respectively by the provisions of said act.

Tax how rais-
ed for 1845.

SEC. 4. In order to raise a tax in said village for the year 1845, the assessors shall, during the months of April and May next, make out an assessment roll, upon which the trustees may proceed to levy a tax in the manner specified in the 38th section of said act.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

APPROVED, February 24, 1845.