

SECTION 10. The special improvement bonds authorized to be issued by section four (4) of this act, shall be receivable for taxes levied to pay either principal or interest upon the assessment so divided and extended to the amount of such principal and interest only; and may be delivered for such purpose either to the city treasurer, or to the county treasurer before sale for the non-payment of any such assessment or installment thereof.

Special improvement bonds shall be receivable for taxes levied to pay principal or interest.

SECTION 11. This act is not intended to modify or repeal any provision of any city charter, or of any act relating to the subjects covered hereby, except where the same are inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

Where this act should apply.

SECTION 12. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the legislature that sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, of this act, shall be taken and deemed to be independent, and not dependent.

Certain section deemed independent.

SECTION 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 185.

AN ACT to detach certain territory from the towns of Holway and Grover, in the county of Taylor, and to create the town of Aurora.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. All that certain territory in the county of Taylor, and state of Wisconsin, described as follows, to-wit: Township number thirty, of range three west, township number

Town of Aurora constituted a separate town.

thirty, of range four west, of the town of Holway, and township number thirty-one of range four west, of the town of Grover, all of the fourth principal meridian, is hereby set off and detached from the towns of Holway and Grover, and is hereby created and constituted a separate town, to be known and designated as the town of Aurora.

Assets and liabilities of towns of Holway and Grover to be apportioned to town of Aurora.

SECTION 2. The assets and liabilities of the said towns of Holway and Grover, to be apportioned to the said town of Aurora, shall bear the same ratio to the whole of said assets and liabilities of said towns as the assessed valuation for the year 1895, of the taxable property of the above described detached territory from the towns of Holway and Grover, respectively bears to that of the assessed valuation for the year 1895, of the whole of the taxable property of said towns of Holway and Grover, as shown by the assessment rolls for said year of 1895.

Time and place of first town meeting designated.

SECTION 3. The qualified electors of the town of Aurora, shall meet at the schoolhouse on the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-nine, township thirty-one, of range four west, in said town of Aurora, on the day appointed by law for the holding of annual town meetings, and the election of town officers in this state, and shall, in the manner provided by law, elect town officers for said town, and for the purposes of such election the qualified voters of said town of Aurora, assembled at the place aforesaid, shall, between the hours of nine and eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, choose three of their number to act as inspectors of said election, and such inspectors shall, before entering upon their duties, take and subscribe the usual oath of office, and file the same with their return, and such inspectors shall canvass and return the votes cast at such election in all respects as provided by law for inspectors at annual town meetings, and the qualified electors so assembled at the place aforesaid, may vote for judicial officers to be chosen on said day, and the votes cast for such judicial officers,

whether for justices of the supreme court, judge of the circuit court, or county judge, or all of them, shall be counted, canvassed and returned in the same manner and shall have the same effect as if the said town of Aurora were fully organized.

SECTION 4. When such election shall have been held as herein provided, and the town officers required by law elected, and such officers have duly qualified as required by law, the said town of Aurora shall be deemed to be duly organized and shall possess all the rights, powers and liabilities of other towns in this state.

Town deemed fully organized after the election.

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

Approved April 3, 1897.

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CHAPTER 186.

AN ACT relating to school boards and common and high schools in cities of the first class, containing a population of one hundred and fifty thousand or more.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The public schools in every city of the first class, meaning thereby every city in the state of Wisconsin, now or hereafter having a population of one hundred and fifty thousand or over, whether organized under special charter or under the general law, shall be under the general management, control and super-

Cities of 150,000 and over to have a board of school directors.