

as the disability of said corporation as trustee shall have been removed.

SECTION 15. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed, but sections 959-9 to 959-17 of the statutes of 1898, shall continue in force.

SECTION 16. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to divide the town of Lincoln, Monroe county, and create the new town of Grant.

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

Town of Grant defined.

SECTION 1. All that portion of the town of Lincoln, in Monroe county, described as township number nineteen north, of range number two west, is hereby set off and detached from the town of Lincoln, and erected into a separate town under the name and title of the town of Grant.

Powers of.

SECTION 2. The said town of Grant is hereby created and organized with all the rights, powers and privileges by law granted to other towns in this state, and subject to all the general laws enacted for town government therein.

Date of first town meeting. Appointment of inspectors.

SECTION 3. The first town meeting of the said town of Grant, shall be held on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1899, in the school house of the school district number one, located in section fifteen of said township, and the inspectors of said town meeting shall be James Shepard, William Mosher, and Henry Schroeder, if present at the

time and place appointed, and if not present, the person or persons necessary to fill any vacancy, shall be selected by the electors of said town present at such time and place; and the requisite number of clerks for such town meeting shall be chosen by such electors present, from the persons present at such time and place.

SECTION 4. The assets and funds now possessed by or due the town of Lincoln shall be ascertained, and the town of Lincoln shall pay over to the town of Grant, such proportion of the same as the assessed valuation of the property in such detached territory shall bear to the whole assessed valuation of the town of Lincoln; all to be based upon the assessment as equalized by the town board of review of the town of Lincoln in the year 1898.

Division of
assets.

SECTION 5. All indebtedness now owing, and all valid claims due or to become due, against the old town of Lincoln, shall be valid against and paid by both the town of Lincoln and the town of Grant, in the same proportion as provided in section 4, regarding the division of assets.

Division of
liabilities.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect and be in force, from and after its passage and publication.

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