

by the board of health, or by the board of public works where such board exists. If any person or persons fails, neglects or refuses to so connect any building or buildings with the public sewer and water systems of such city or incorporated village, as herein provided, for more than ten days after being notified to do so in writing by the board of health or the board of public works, any such city or incorporated village may cause such building or buildings to be connected with said sewer and water systems. In case such city or village shall cause such building or buildings to be connected with said public sewer and water systems, the costs and expenses thereof shall be assessed as a special tax against the property and premises so connected, and such amount shall, *subject to the provisions of subsection 2 of this section*, be levied and collected in the same manner as other taxes.

*2. Such amount shall be levied and collected in one sum unless, within thirty days after the completion of the work of making such sewer and water connections, the owner of such property and premises shall file a written option with the city or village clerk stating that he cannot pay such amount in one sum and asking that such amount be levied and collected in not to exceed five equal annual instalments. If such option is so filed, such amount shall be collected in instalments and the instalment due each year together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the date of the completion of such work shall be levied and collected. The balance of such amount together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum shall remain and constitute a special tax lien against such property and premises until wholly paid; provided, however, that the provisions of this subsection shall not apply to cities of the first class.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 224.

AN ACT to create section 113.145 of the statutes, relating to the appointment of an additional court commissioner in and for the county of Milwaukee.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. A new section is added to the statutes to read: 113.145 The judge of the first branch of the circuit court in

and for the county of Milwaukee is hereby authorized to appoint an additional court commissioner in and for said county, provided, that the authority hereby vested in said judge is limited to the one appointment.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication

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### CHAPTER 225.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money named herein to reimburse Frank B. Metcalfe for expenses incurred in a contest to determine the right to a seat in the assembly.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. There is appropriated to Frank B. Metcalfe out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of two hundred fifty-five dollars and thirty-one cents to reimburse him in full for all expenses incurred by him in the contest to determine his right to a seat in the assembly at this session of the legislature.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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### CHAPTER 226.

AN ACT to renumber chapter 45r of the statutes relating to the commission form of government of cities to be chapter 63 and to renumber, and amend or revise the sections of said chapter 45r.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Chapter 45r of the statutes and the title thereof are amended to read:

#### CHAPTER \* \* \* 63.

\* \* \* COMMISSION \* \* \* GOVERNMENT FOR CITIES.

SECTION 2. Section 925m—301 of the statutes is renumbered to be section 63.01 and is amended to read:

63.01 CITY COMMISSION PLAN; ADOPTION; CITIES APPLICABLE TO. \* \* \* Any city of the second, third