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**CHAPTER 550.**

AN ACT to amend 62.07 (1) (a) and (b) of the statutes, relating to annexation and detachment of territory in connection with cities.

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

62.07 (1) (a) and (b) of the statutes are amended to read:

62.07 (1) (a) A petition therefor shall be presented to the council (1) signed by a majority of the electors in such adjacent territory and by the owners of \* \* \* *one-half of the real estate within the limits of the territory proposed to be annexed*, or (2) if no electors reside \* \* \* *in the said adjacent territory signed* by the owners of one-half of \* \* \* taxable property *therein according to the last tax roll*, or (3) by a majority of the electors and the owners of one-half of the real estate in assessed value; provided, that no petition for annexation shall be valid unless at least \* \* \* 10 days and not more than \* \* \* 20 days before any such petition is caused to be circulated, a notice shall be posted in at least 8 public places in the municipality in which the adjacent territory is located, and a copy of such notice published in a newspaper of general circulation within the county in which said adjacent territory is located, at least \* \* \* 10 days prior to the time when such petition is caused to be circulated, such notice to set forth that an annexation petition is to be circulated, and including an accurate description of the territory involved.

(b) An ordinance annexing such territory to the ward or wards named therein shall be introduced at a regular *or special* meeting of the council after the filing of the petition, be published once each week for 4 successive weeks in the official paper and thereafter be adopted at a regular *or special* meeting by \* \* \* *two-thirds* of all the members of the council.

Approved July 6, 1951.

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