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CHAPTER 95.

AN ACT to amend section 3, of chapter 218, of the laws of 1897, entitled "An act to amend chapter 313, of the laws of 1895, entitled, 'An act to regulate the civil service of cities.'"

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

Section 1. Chapter 313, of the laws of 1895, as amended by section 3, chapter 218, of the laws of 1897, is amended to read: Section 3. From and after the passage and publication of this act, the common council shall levy and collect annually upon all taxable property of the said city, at the same time and in the same manner as other city taxes are levied and collected by law, a * * * tax not exceeding * * * seventeen one thousandths of a mill upon each dollar of the assessed value of said taxable property, the amount of which shall be determined by said board of city service commissioners, and certified by it to the common council and to the city comptroller, within ten days after the passage and publication of this act, and thereafter before the twentieth day of January in each year, and the * * * tax shall constitute a separate entire amount of such and distinct fund to be known as the "city civil service fund", and shall not be used or appropriated, directly or indirectly, for any other purpose than paying the salaries of the chief examiner, clerks and employes of said board, and the other necessary expenses of carrying out the purposes of this act. All disbursements on account of such city civil service fund, except for the salary of the chief examiner, shall be paid by the city treasurer on the orders of the president and secretary of the board, countersigned by the city comptroller.

Section 2. All acts or parts of acts contravening any of the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 96.

AN ACT to authorize any city of the first class in this state to levy and collect a tax for sewerage purposes.

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

Section 1. In any city of the first class in this state, the board of public works, or commissioner of public works, or other

officer, board or body, having special charge and superintend ence, or which may hereafter have special charge and superintendence, of all sewers and work pertaining thereto, shall report to the common council on or before the fifteenth day of December in each year, as accurately as may be, the amount of money required for sewerage purposes for the ensuing year in each district which may now exist, or may hereafter exist, in addition to the special assessments made, and the common council is hereby authorized to direct the levy and collection of a tax for sewerage purposes in each district which may now exist, or may hereafter exist, for such amount as may be necessary, not, however, to exceed in any one year the sum of nine-tenths (.9) of a mill on the dollar on the assessed value of all the property, real and personal, subject to taxation within any such sewerage district; which tax, so levied, shall, when collected, be paid into the city treasury, and be placed in the fund of the sewerage district in which the same has been collected; and the city comptroller is hereby directed and required to keep a separate and distinct account with each sewerage district. The tax to be levied under the provisions of this section may be added on the tax roll to the general city tax assessed against such property.

Section 2. This act is amendatory of the charters of the various cities to which it applies or may hereafter become applicable, and any provision of such charters inconsistent herewith is hereby modified, amended or repealed by this act to the extent necessary to give full force and effect to the intent hereof. All acts or parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 97.

AN ACT to amend section 16, of chapter 459, of the laws of 1907, relating to school boards and common and high schools in cities of the first class, as amended by chapter 369, laws of 1909, by an act entitled, "An act to amend section 16, of chapter 459, laws of 1907, relating to school boards and common and high schools in cities of the first class."

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

SECTION 1. Section 16, of chapter 459, laws of 1907. as amended by chapter 369, laws of 1909, is amended to read: Sec-