

to be set apart and to be retained and set apart by the treasurers of such cities all moneys received from dog licenses and one per cent of all moneys received from all other licenses. There shall be deducted from the monthly pay of each member of the police department a sum equal to one per cent of such monthly pay, which shall be added to such fund; also all moneys deducted for time lost by members on account of sickness; and there shall also be paid and added to said fund all rewards earned and received by members of such departments, and all moneys received from sales of unclaimed property, and any and all moneys and property of every nature devised, bequeathed or donated thereto. *In all cities of the second class, on or before the fifteenth day of September in each year, the mayor, comptroller and chief of police shall meet at the office of the mayor and compile a list of all persons who may be entitled to pensions from the police pension fund during the ensuing fiscal year and the amount to be paid each. Said list shall then be filed with the comptroller and shall be included in the statement of the amount required by the police department, filed by the comptroller on the first day of October each year. Should the income from the police pension fund be less than the amount required to pay said pensions, the common council shall place in the annual levy for the ensuing fiscal year an amount equal to such deficiency, and said sum so levied and collected shall be paid over to the board of trustees of the police pension fund to be used for the payment of pensions by said board.*

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

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## CHAPTER 264.

AN ACT to amend subsection (1) of section 27.02; to repeal subdivision (12m) of section 776 and subdivision (30) of section 893 [892]; and to create subdivision (12m) of section 776 and subdivision (30) of section 893 [892] of the statutes, relating to county park commissions.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (1) of section 27.02 of the statutes is amended to read: (27.02) (1) In every county having a population of at least one hundred and fifty thousand, and in any other county wherein the county board has by resolution provid-

*ed for a county park commission subject to the provisions of sections 27.02 to 27.07, inclusive, which any county board is empowered to do, the chairman of the county board shall appoint a county park commission consisting of seven members. Such appointments shall be made in writing and filed in the office of the county clerk. The term of each member shall be the seven years next following the first day of July of the year in which his appointment is made and until the appointment and qualification of his successor, except that the first seven members shall be appointed respectively for such terms that on the first day of July in each of the seven years next following the year in which they are appointed the term of one member will expire. After such original appointments one commissioner shall be appointed annually in the month of June to succeed the member whose term will expire on July first then next following.*

SECTION 2. Subdivision (12m) of section 776 and subdivision (30) of section 893 [892] of the statutes are repealed.

SECTION 3. There are added to section 776 and section 893 [892] of the statutes new subdivisions to read as follows: (Section 776) (12m) To authorize the town board to acquire by gift, grant, devise, donation, purchase or condemnation or otherwise a sufficient tract or tracts of land for the reservation for public use of river fronts, lake shores, picnic groves, fine outlooks from hilltops or places of special historic interest and to use and maintain as a woodlot and to preserve and reforest the same under regulations approved by the state conservation commission. The sale of such woodlot may be authorized or directed in like manner.

(Section 893 [892] ) (30) To acquire by gift, grant, devise, bequest, donation, purchase or condemnation any estate, real or personal, situated within or without the village, for parks, libraries, community centers, picnic groves, river fronts, lake shores, places of historic interest, fine outlooks, water works plant, sewage disposal plant, and for any other public purpose: to sell, dispose of and convey the same; to improve and beautify the same; and to construct, own, lease and maintain buildings for instruction, recreation, amusement and any other public purposes on any of such property.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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