

service. The answer of the municipality rendering the service shall be served within twenty days, whereupon said cause shall be at issue and stand ready for trial upon fifteen days' notice to either party. All such actions shall have precedence over any civil cause of a different nature, except actions wherein the state or a department of state government is a party, and the said court shall always be deemed open for trial thereof, and the same shall be tried and determined as other civil actions. Either party to said action, within thirty days after service of a copy of the judgment of said court, may appeal to the supreme court as in other actions. In case said court shall determine that a reasonable compensation for said service is a sum equal to, or greater than the sum certified to the clerk of the municipality commencing said action, the costs of said action shall be paid by the municipality commencing said action, otherwise by the municipality furnishing the service.

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

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CHAPTER 511.

AN ACT to create section 778a of the statutes, validating certain bonds issued by towns.

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: Section 778a. Bonds heretofore issued by any town, in pursuance of authorization by the electors thereof, for the purpose of paying, taking up or refunding town orders previously issued, which orders may have been invalid for any reason are hereby declared to be valid, legal and binding obligations of such town.

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

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