

CHAPTER 17

AN ACT to amend 85.845 (1); and to create 67.04 (1) (x) of the statutes, relating to issue of general obligation bonds by counties for the acquisition of sites for, and the construction and maintenance of, parking facilities including parking meters, and the use of the revenue from such meters.

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

SECTION 1. 67.04 (1) (x) of the statutes is created to read:

67.04 (1) (x) To acquire sites for parking lots and to construct buildings and other equipment and appurtenances necessary for the operation and maintenance of the same.

SECTION 2. 85.845 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

85.845 PARKING METERS IN CITIES, VILLAGES AND COUNTIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS. (1) It is * * * declared to be the public policy of the state that the use of parking meters to measure the time for parking vehicles on city streets is a local matter to be determined by local authority and local authorities in cities * * *, villages and counties may use the revenues of parking meters not only to meet the cost of regulation of parking but also to make provision for additional parking places off the street and such other expenses and purposes as the local authority deems reasonably necessary to provide for the convenience, safety and welfare of persons using the streets and highways of the municipality for vehicular traffic. Local authorities may also by ordinance, resolution, rule or regulation provide for the installation and operation of parking meters on the streets or highways within the limits of the municipality and may provide for the use of moneys collected from such parking meters for general street and highway maintenance, repair and construction, traffic regulations and for the purchase and operation of municipally owned, off-street parking lots. This section shall not apply to cities of the first class.

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