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CHAPTER 217

AN ACT to amend 62.07 (1) (a) of the statutes, relating to annexation petitions.

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

62.07 (1) (a) of the statutes is 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; * * * *but* 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 * * * *is* 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. *If the petition is signed by the owners of all the taxable property and all the electors in the territory proposed to be annexed, such petition shall be valid without the posting and publication required by this paragraph.*

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