

such city, at the same time and in the same manner as other city taxes are levied and collected by law, a \* \* \* tax not exceeding \* \* \* *fifty-one one hundredths (.51)* of a mill upon each dollar of the assessed value of said taxable property, the amount of which tax shall be determined by the board of park commissioners of such city, and certified to the common council and the city comptroller at the time of making their annual report to such common council, and the entire amount of such \* \* \* tax shall be collected, paid into and held in the city treasury as a separate and distinct fund to be known as the park and boulevard fund, and shall not be used or appropriated directly or indirectly for any other purpose than for the improvement, maintenance and control of the public parks and boulevards of such city, and for the payment of the salaries of the employes and other proper expenses of such board of park commissioners; provided, that of the said \* \* \* tax levied and collected in any such city, one-tenth of a mill upon each dollar of the assessed value of its taxable property shall be used each year by its board of park commissioners solely for the purpose of filling in and improving as a public park or boulevard any strip of submerged land granted or which may be granted to said city to be managed, controlled and improved by its board of park commissioners.

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 All acts or parts of acts contravening any of the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.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 99.

AN ACT to amend section 8, of chapter 426, of the laws of 1905, relating to the erection and maintenance of auditoriums and music halls for cities of the first class, as amended by chapter 354, of the laws of 1909, by an act entitled, "An act to legalize proceedings taken, or to be taken, under chapter 426, of the laws of Wisconsin for the year 1905, regulating actions by taxpayers and cities joined in the erection of buildings thereunder, and amending said chapter 426, laws of 1905, relating to the erection and maintenance of auditoriums and music halls for cities of the first class."

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

SECTION 1. Section 8, of chapter 426, of the laws of 1905, as amended by chapter 354, of the laws of 1909, is amended to read:

Section 8. Any city availing itself of the provisions of this act shall have the right to levy a tax upon all the taxable property thereof of not to exceed \* \* \* *sixty-three thousandths of a mill* per annum upon each dollar of the assessed value of the taxable property in said city, and the same shall be a \* \* \* tax for the exclusive benefit of \* \* \* *the auditorium fund*, and may issue and sell bonds for said purpose and provide for the payment of the same with interest by a \* \* \* tax levied as aforesaid.

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 100.

AN ACT to amend section 925q—163 of the statutes, relating to the organization and government of cities and of common councils.

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

SECTION 1. Section 925q—163 of the statutes is amended to read: Section 925q—163. The common council of such cities of the first class shall have power to levy annually, for the general city fund, exclusive of the amount required for \* \* \* *all school purposes*, and for the payment of interest and principal on the funded debt of the city, and \* \* \* other funds authorized by *this section*, \* \* \* a sufficient sum upon the total assessed valuation of all property, real and personal, in said city subject to taxation; also a sufficient sum for contingent fund; also for a sewerage fund in each sewerage district, a sum not exceeding \* \* \* *nine-tenths of a mill* upon the dollar of the total assessed valuation of all property, real and personal, in such sewerage district subject to taxation; also for the \* \* \* *general sewerage fund* for said city, a sufficient sum upon the total assessed valuation of property, real and personal, in said city, subject to taxation; also for \* \* \* *other funds* herein provided for in lieu of ward funds hereby abolished, a further sufficient sum; provided, that all expenses, burdens and charges which are by law now chargeable to any ward fund shall be provided for and paid out of the general fund except in so far as the same may be payable out of any \* \* \* *other funds* herein provided for; *also for a park and boulevard fund*,