

CHAPTER 136

AN ACT to amend 11.04 of the statutes, relating to the extended use of voting machines in more populous municipalities.

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

11.04 of the statutes is amended to read:

11.04 *The common council of every city and the trustees of every village with a population of 10,000 or more, according to the last federal census, shall before the September 1966 primary election and the common council of any other city, the trustees of any other village and the town board of any town may adopt and purchase for use in the various precincts, any voting machine which complies with the requirements of s. 11.03 and none other * * *. No machine, however, shall be adopted or purchased by any city, village or town not required to have voting machines until the question of such adoption and purchase * * * has been submitted to a vote of the people of such village or town at some regular village or town election, and a majority of the votes cast on such question * * * were in favor of such adoption and purchase. * * * The proper officers of any city, village or town may, not later than 60 days before any election, unite 2 or more precincts or wards into one election precinct for the purpose of using therein at such election a voting machine * * *. In case 2 or more wards * * * are so united, such machine shall be so constructed that it will permit the voters of each ward to vote for any and all candidates nominated for offices in such ward, but will prevent such voters from voting for any and all candidates nominated for offices in all other wards; and a notice of such uniting shall be given in the manner prescribed by law for the change of election districts.*

Approved June 25, 1963.
