

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

SECTION 1. A new subsection is added to section 29.33 of the statutes to read: (29.33) (13) (a) No person shall fish with a trapnet in Green Bay or Lake Michigan or have one in his possession without permit from the conservation commission unless he shall have obtained a permit from the conservation commission. Such permit shall only be denied after the commission has exercised the powers granted to it in paragraph (b).

(b) The conservation commission, in co-operation with state and federal agencies, shall promptly investigate the feasibility of allowing the use of trapnets, the type of such nets which may be used without endangering the fish supply, the conditions under which they may safely be used, the distance between trapnets, the proximity and priority of pound nets, the manner and use of the nets and the size of the mesh. The conservation commission, after a public hearing, may issue permits allowing the use of such nets under such conditions as it shall specify.

(c) "Trapnets" as used in this chapter means and includes a net held in place by anchors instead of by fixed stakes and whose pot or crib is square or rectangular in shape and the top of which is partially or entirely closed; however, this subsection shall apply to such nets, whether anchored or held by stakes.

(d) On February 1, 1933, the conservation commission shall submit to the 1933 legislature a written report of what it has done in complying with the provisions of this subsection.

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

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CHAPTER 287.

AN ACT to amend section 62.195 of the statutes, relating to special assessments in populous counties.

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

SECTION 1. Section 62.195 of the statutes is amended to read: 62.195. In counties having a population of two hundred

fifty thousand or more, in addition to other methods provided by law, the *common council* of any city of the second, third or fourth class, or *the village board of any village*, may by ordinance provide that the cost of installing, constructing or laying storm sewers *wholly or partially in any street or highway*, sanitary sewers, water mains, paving or any other public improvement to be installed along or in any street or highway in such city or *village*, shall be charged in whole or in part to the property benefited thereby, and to make an assessment against such property in such manner as such council or *village board* may determine.

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

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CHAPTER 288.

AN ACT to amend subsections (6), (10) and (11b) of section 59.57 of the statutes, relating to fees of registers of deeds.

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

SECTION 1. Subsections (6), (10) and (11b) of section 59.57 of the statutes are amended to read: (59.57) (6) For filing * * * and entering bills of sale, chattel mortgages, conditional sales contracts, assignments and renewals or copies thereof, foreclosure affidavits, or any other paper relating thereto, fifty cents; and for filing and entering releases thereof, twenty-five cents. Chattel mortgages or conditional sales contracts, together with a printed or written assignment thereon, offered for filing at the same time, shall be considered as one instrument receiving but one document number. The filing fee for such instruments shall be fifty cents. Whenever after January 1, 1932, there shall be offered for filing any instrument which varies from the approved size or substance of paper as prescribed by section 59.51, an additional filing fee of one half the regular fee shall be made by such register.

(10) For recording plats containing from one to fifty lots, twenty-five dollars, and * * * for each additional lot, ten cents, except cemetery plats, containing from one to two hun-