

deputy conservation warden, in the performance of his official duties, shall be exempt from any and all liability to any person for acts done or permitted or property destroyed by authority of law. * * * *In any action brought against the commissioner or warden involving any official action it shall be the duty of the district attorney of the county in which the action is commenced to represent such commissioner or warden. No taxable costs or attorney fees shall be allowed to either party in said action.*

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 353.

AN ACT to create sections 60.181 to 60.184 of the statutes, relating to town planning and town parks.

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

SECTION 1. Four new sections are added to the statutes to read: 60.181 The qualified electors of each town may at any annual town meeting by vote provide for a town park commission consisting of seven members. Such commissioners shall be appointed by the town board in writing and such appointments shall be filed with the town clerk. The term of each member shall be the seven years next following the first day of July of the year in which his appointment is made and until the appointment and qualification of his successor, except that the first seven members shall be appointed respectively for such terms that on the first day of July in each of the seven years next following the year in which they are appointed the term of one member will expire. After such original appointments one commissioner shall be appointed annually in the month of June to succeed the member whose term will expire on July first then next following. Each of said commissioners shall take and file the official oath.

60.182 (1) Within thirty days after their appointment and qualification the said commissioners shall convene at the town hall and perfect an organization; and thereupon such park commission shall have the usual powers of such bodies in addition to

those hereinafter enumerated, shall use a common seal, make by-laws and choose annually from its members all necessary officers.

(2) It may also appoint such other agents and employes as may be necessary to carry out its functions, and may remove them at pleasure, and make all rules and regulations concerning its work.

(3) The town board shall provide suitable offices where the maps, plans, documents and records of the commission shall be kept, subject to public inspection at all reasonable hours and under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe.

60.183 The commission shall make a thorough study of the town with reference to making reservations of lands therein for public uses and laying out ample open spaces, parks, highways, roads and boulevards; make plans and maps of a comprehensive town highway and park system; gather such information in relation thereto as it may deem expedient; and report the same to the town meeting within two years from the date of its organization. It shall make such other reports, from time to time, as may be requested by the town board.

60.184 The said commission shall have charge and supervision of all lands heretofore or hereafter acquired by the town for park or reservation purposes; and shall have power:

(1) To lay out, improve, maintain and govern all such parks and open spaces; to lay out, grade, construct, improve and maintain highways, roads, parkways, boulevards and bridges therein or connecting the same with any other park or open spaces or with any municipality, using such methods and materials as it may deem expedient; to determine and prescribe building lines along the same; and to make rules for the regulation of the use and enjoyment thereof by the public;

(2) To accept, in the name of the town, grants, conveyances and devises of land and bequests and donations of money to be used for park purposes;

(3) To acquire, in the name of the town, by purchase, land contract, lease, condemnation, or otherwise, with the approval and consent of the town board, such tracts of land or public ways as it may deem suitable for park purposes; but no land so acquired shall be disposed of by the town without the consent of said commission, and all moneys received for any such lands, or any materials, so disposed of, shall be paid into a town park fund.

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

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CHAPTER 354.

AN ACT to create subsection (19) of section 20.43 of the statutes, relating to public health, and making an appropriation.

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 20.43 of the statutes to read: (20.43) (19) Annually, beginning July 1, 1925, not to exceed eight thousand dollars, for public health work and the investigation and prevention of disease with special reference to the Indian population of this state.

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

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No. 434, S.]

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CHAPTER 355.

AN ACT to create section 66.006 of the statutes, declaring the status of the system of public instruction in relation to the constitutional amendment vesting home rule in cities and villages.

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

SECTION 1. A new section is added to the statutes to read: 66.006 All laws relating to public instruction, pursuant to sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of article X of the constitution, remain and shall continue in force for the establishment, administration and government of the district schools as heretofore, until amended or repealed by the legislature. The term "district schools" as here used, in addition to common schools includes, among others, any and all public high schools, trade or vocational schools, auxil-