

amended to read: (1.055) (1) Consent of the state of Wisconsin is hereby given to the acquisition by the United States by purchase, gift, lease or condemnation, with adequate compensation therefor, of such areas of land not exceeding * * * *five hundred thousand acres* as the United States may deem necessary for the establishment of national forests in the state, in accordance with the act of congress approved June 7, 1924, and the commissioners of public lands are hereby authorized to sell and convey for a fair consideration to the United States any state lands included within such areas; provided, that the state of Wisconsin shall retain concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and over such areas so far that civil process, in all cases, and such criminal process as may issue under the authority of the state of Wisconsin against any persons charged with the commission of any crime within or without said areas, may be executed thereon in like manner as if this consent had not been given. Provided, further, that * * * *the boundaries of any areas* so selected shall be first approved by the governor, the commissioners of public lands, * * * *the conservation commissioner, and the county board of each county in which any such area is located.*

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

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CHAPTER 462.

AN ACT to amend section 180.31 of the statutes, relating to certain corporations.

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

SECTION 1. Section 180.31 of the statutes is amended to read: 180.31 Any * * * corporation formed * * * to * * * furnish * * * *water, heat, light, power, telegraph or telephone service* or signals by electricity may, *subject to the provisions of chapter 184* and by a vote of * * * *two-thirds* of its capital stock * * * outstanding and entitled to vote, borrow * * * money * * * and execute * * * its bonds

or notes * * * *therefor*, and * * * *to* * * * *secure* the payment of such bonds or notes * * * *to a fixed amount or in amounts to be from time to time determined by the board of directors may mortgage or* * * * *trust deed* * * * any or all of * * * *the property*, * * * *rights and privileges and franchises that it may then own or thereafter acquire, and* * * * *may, in and by such mortgage* * * * *deed* * * * of trust, provide for the disposal of any of its property and the substitution of other property in its place * * * . Every such mortgage or deed of trust may be recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the county in which such corporation is located, and such record shall * * * have the same force and effect as if *the instrument were* filed in the proper office as a chattel mortgage, and so remain until satisfied or discharged without any further affidavit or proceeding whatever. * * *

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

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CHAPTER 463.

AN ACT to repeal section 67.25, and to create subsection (6a) of section 67.05 of the statutes, relating to a referendum upon the issuing of bonds or the borrowing of money in certain school districts.

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

SECTION 1. Section 67.25 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. A new subsection is added to section 67.05 of the statutes to read: (67.05) (6a) The provisions of paragraph (a) of subsection (2) and of subsection (6) shall not apply to the issuing of bonds or the borrowing of money in excess of five thousand dollars by any school district which includes within its territory a village, or a city of the fourth class, but in all such cases the procedure shall be as follows:

(a) Whenever the board of any such district, or the electors thereof at a regularly called school meeting, by a majority vote adopt a resolution to raise an amount of money in excess of