

denied, such additional fee of forty dollars for each motor vehicle *and five dollars for each trailer or semitrailer* accompanying the application shall be refunded to the applicant. Every holder of a certificate shall also pay to the commission an annual fee of forty dollars for each motor vehicle *and five dollars for each trailer and semitrailer* for the operation of which a permit is in force, which fee shall accompany the annual report prescribed in section 194.07. Such annual report shall not be accepted by the commission unless accompanied by such fee. Such fee shall be paid into the state treasury and are reappropriated as provided in subsection (5) of section 20.51.

(2) No such auto transportation company shall operate any such motor vehicle, *trailer or semitrailer* within or through any city or village unless and until the consent of such city or village to the proposed routes be first obtained, and any city or village, either as a condition to such consent or approval or otherwise, may require reasonable compensation for the repair and maintenance of pavements and bridges and compensation for the regulation of street traffic, and for any further expense occasioned by the operation of such motor vehicles, \* \* \* *trailers or semitrailers*. No action by any city or village under this subsection shall be subject to review by the railroad commission. But the compensation to be required by any such city or village for interurban service shall not exceed in amount the tax which would result by applying to actual operation in such city or village the rates prescribed in subsection (2) of section 76.54 of the statutes.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect January 1, 1932.

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## CHAPTER 455.

AN ACT to amend subsection (2) of section 20.07, section 20.205 and subsection (2) of section 70.58 (as created by chapter 4, laws of 1931); and to create subsections (5) and (6) of section 59.98 of the statutes, relating to state aid for county or town forest reserves and forest crop lands, and making appropriations. *The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Subsection (2) of section 20.07, section 20.205 and subsection (2) of section 70.58 of the statutes are amended to read: (20.07) (2) FOREST CROP LANDS. On July 1, 1931, \* \* \* *one hundred* thousand dollars; on July 1, 1932, \* \* \* *one hundred twenty* thousand dollars; on July 1, 1933, one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars; on July 1, 1934, one hundred thirty thousand dollars; and annually thereafter one hundred and fifty thousand dollars to carry out the provisions of chapter 77, including payment of administration expenses pursuant to section 77.14.

20.205 There is appropriated from the general fund to the state conservation commission:

(1) Annually, beginning July 1, 1931, a sum sufficient for the payment of bounties chargeable against the state and fifteen thousand dollars for predatory animal control.

(2) *Annually, beginning July 1, 1931, six hundred thousand dollars to be used for acquiring, preserving and developing the forests of the state, including the acquisition of lands owned by counties by virtue of any tax deed and of other lands suitable for state forests, and for the development of lands so acquired and the conduct of forestry thereon, including the planting of trees, and for the payment of aid for county forest reserves as authorized in subsection (5) of section 59.98. Out of this appropriation there is first allotted a sum sufficient to establish and maintain an adequate system of forest fire prevention, and the balance shall be used for other forestry purposes authorized by law.*

(70.58) (2) \* \* \* *There is levied an annual tax of \* \* \* one-tenth of one mill for each dollar of the assessed valuation of the property of the state as determined by the tax commission pursuant to section 70.57, for the purpose of acquiring, preserving and developing the forests of the state, the proceeds of such tax to be paid into the conservation fund. But such mill tax shall not be levied in any year in which the legislature has provided funds for the purposes specified in this section, equal to or in excess of the amount which such mill tax would produce.*

SECTION 2. Two new subsections are added to section 59.98 of the statutes to read: (59.98) (5) Any county having established and maintaining a county forest reserve under the provisions of this section and having entered the same under the forest crop law shall receive from the state an amount equal to ten cents for

each acre of land within such forest reserve, to be used for the purchase, development, preservation and maintenance of such forest reserve. On or before the first day of April of each year the county clerk or town clerk shall certify to the state treasurer the number of acres included within the forest reserve of his county together with the legal description of such forest reserve, and the state treasurer shall pay to such county the amount due to it as state aid on or before the first day of May of each year.

(6) No timber shall be cut from state forest lands except with the consent of the conservation commission and the governor, nor from county forest lands except with the consent of the county board, the conservation commission and the governor. The state shall receive seventy-five per cent of the revenue from timber cut from county forest land on which it has paid state contribution under the forest crop law.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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### CHAPTER 456.

AN ACT to repeal certain obsolete statutes and chapters of laws, relating to cities of the first class.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 95 of the laws of 1911, as amended, and section 16.56 of the statutes for the year 1919 and section 16.56 of chapter 572 of the laws of 1919 as amended, relating to the mill tax for the activities of the board of city service commissioners; section 1, of chapter 352 of the laws of 1913, section 6 of chapter 179 of the laws of 1891, chapter 249 of the laws of 1907, and chapter 98 of the laws of 1911, as amended, relating to park and boulevard funds; chapter 354 of the laws of 1909, section 8 of chapter 426 of the laws of 1905 and chapter 99 of the laws of 1911, as amended, relating to auditorium tax, except as such may apply to a tax for the retirement of auditorium bonds already issued and sold; section 9 of chapter 328 of the laws of 1882, section 1 of chapter 168 of the laws of 1897 and chapter 93 of the laws of 1911,