

62.22 (6) The provisions of sections 61.36, 61.37 and 61.38 shall apply to cities; provided, that in cities of the second, third and fourth class, the whole or any part of any road, street, slip, pier, lane or alley may be discontinued by the common council upon the written petition of the owners of all the frontage of the lots and lands abutting upon the portion thereof sought to be discontinued, and of the owners of more than one-third of the frontage of the lots and lands abutting on that portion of the remainder thereof, which lies within 2,650 feet from the ends of the portion proposed to be discontinued, *or which lies within so much of said 2,650 feet as shall be within the corporate limits of said city.* The beginning and ending of an alley shall be deemed to be within the block in which it is located.

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#### CHAPTER 422.

AN ACT to amend 88.06 (6) (e) of the statutes, relating to the drainage of land and effect on water levels.

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

88.06 (6) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

88.06 (6) (e) Whether the public health or public welfare will be promoted by the proposed work *the board in determining whether public health and welfare will be promoted shall include in their consideration whether the cumulative effect of such drainage over a period of years will lower the water levels of lakes, or streams, or the subterranean sources that supply farm and city water systems and whether the general need for the type of land that will be made available for cultivation or other purposes by such drainage is sufficiently great to warrant the possible lowering of such water levels;*

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