

missioners, to annually levy and certify to the county auditor, a tax sufficient to provide for such payments, and if they shall neglect or fail so to do, the board of supervisors shall make a levy sufficient for such purposes.

Relation of townships and districts.

SEC. 8. Where any such city, shall contain more than one organized township, at least one commissioner, shall be a resident of each of said townships; and, unless all of the commissioners shall agree upon the location of one park for a whole city, each township shall constitute a separate district for park purposes, and the proceeds of the bonds issued under this act, shall be apportioned to, and expended in each district, in proportion to the tax levied thereon, and all funds received from taxes collected, shall be expended in the same manner.

Disagreement of commissioners.

SEC. 9. If said commissioners and the owners of any property desired by them for park purposes, cannot agree as to the price to be paid therefor, the commissioners may cause the same to be condemned, in the same manner provided by law, for the condemnation of right of way for railroads, and all the provisions of law, relating to the condemnation of right of way for railroads, including the right of appeal, are hereby made applicable to such proceedings.

Property condemned.

SEC. 10. All acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Repealing clause.

SEC. 11. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Publication clause.

Approved March 24, 1892.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* and *Des Moines Leader*, March 25, 1892.

W. M. McFARLAND, *Secretary of State*.

## CHAPTER 2.

### BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, ADDITIONAL.

S. F. 402.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An Act to Establish a Board of Park Commissioners in certain cities of the first class defining their powers, and prescribing their duties," passed March 24, 1892, and approved March 25, [24] 1892.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

Section 1, chapter 1, twenty-fourth general assembly amended

SECTION 1. That section one of an act entitled "an act to establish a board of park commissioners in certain cities of the first class defining their powers and prescribing their duties,"

passed March 24, 1892, and approved March 25, 1892, be amended by inserting between the words "at the time of the city election in 1892" and the words "three park commissioners" the words "or if for any reason there shall be failure to elect at any regular election then at a special election called by the city council for that purpose."

Special election.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Publication clause.

Approved April 7, 1892.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, April 16, and the *Des Moines Leader*, April 12, 1892.

W. M. McFARLAND, *Secretary of State*.

### CHAPTER 3.

#### BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS IN FIRST-CLASS CITIES.

AN ACT amending Section 1, of Chapter 1, of the Acts of the Twenty-second General Assembly, entitled "An Act creating in all cities of the first class, having a population according to any legally authorized census, of more than thirty thousand inhabitants, a board of public works and defining the powers and duties of its members.

S. F. 191.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. That section 1, of chapter 1, of the acts of the twenty-second general assembly, entitled, "an act creating in all cities of the first class, having a population according to any legally authorized census of more than thirty thousand inhabitants, a board of public works, and defining the powers and duties of its members," be amended by striking out the word "shall" in the first line of said section, and inserting the word "may" in lieu thereof: and by striking out the words "on or before the first Monday of April, 1889," in the sixth and seventh line of said section.

Chapter 1, twenty-second general assembly amended.

"May" substituted for "shall."

Approved April 7, 1892.