

## CHAPTER 248.

Cities of more than 10,000 and less than 50,000; assessments for water mains. An act to authorize and allow cities of ten thousand (10,000) and over, and not exceeding fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants, to assess, levy and collect an annual frontage tax and assessment upon each and every lot and parcel of land abutting or bordering upon any water mains and pipes, for a period of ten (10) years from and after the first levy of any such tax or assessment.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Empowered to levy frontage tax for ten years after first assessment. Section 1. Every city in this state having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and over and not exceeding fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants, shall have the right and are hereby empowered to assess, levy and collect an annual frontage tax and assessment upon each and every lot and parcel of land abutting or bordering upon any water mains or pipes, defraying the expense in whole or in part of the construction and maintenance of any system of water works, for a period of ten (10) years from and after the first levy of any such tax or assessment.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with

this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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## CHAPTER 249.

Villages, appointment of assessors.

An act to provide for the appointment of assessors in villages where assessors have not been elected for the year 1899.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Village council to appoint for 1899 when electors have failed. SECTION 1. Where the electors of any village in this state have failed to elect an assessor for the year 1899, as provided by the act approved March 2nd, 1899, the village council of any such village shall have the authority to appoint some person properly qualified to act as assessor for such year and whose duties and authority shall be the same as though such assessor had been duly elected.