

CHAPTER 79.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER FOUR (4) SPECIAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX (1876), BEING AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CITY OF NEW ULM.

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

SECTION 1. That section one (1) of chapter two (2) of an act to incorporate the city of New Ulm, approved February twenty-fourth (24th), one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (1876), be amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 1. The officers of said city of New Ulm shall be one (1) mayor, five (5) councilors, two (2) city justices, one (1) treasurer, one (1) clerk and one (1) constable, who shall be elected by the qualified voters of said city, and one (1) attorney and one (1) marshal, who shall be selected from among the qualified electors of said city of New Ulm, by the council, upon the recommendation of the mayor.

SEC. 2. That section two (2) of said chapter two (2) be amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. The mayor, councilors, city justices, treasurer, clerk and constable shall each hold their offices for the term of two (2) years, and until their successors are elected and qualified; the attorney and marshal for one year, unless removed for causes by the council: *Provided*, that alternately every other year there shall be elected three councilors and every other year two.

SEC. 3. That section three (3) of chapter four (4) of said act to incorporate the city of New Ulm shall be amended by adding at the end of said section three (3) the following words: "To encourage, direct and regulate the planting and preserving of ornamental and shade trees in the streets and public grounds, and to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of any taxes on the property benefited by such improvements, or for the assessment, levy and collection of any general tax for such purposes.

SEC. 4. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 18, 1881.