

the common council, and also to the conference committee, an estimate of the expenses of the city for the then next succeeding fiscal year, and likewise the revenue necessary to be raised for said year. And said estimate shall be itemized so as to clearly show the amount necessary to be raised for each of the purposes necessary to carry on the business and financial affairs of said city, as these purposes are set forth in section three (3) of this chapter, and said estimate shall also show the probable amount that said city will receive during the then fiscal year next succeeding from the different sources named in subdivision twenty-four (24) of said section three (3).

SEC. 14. That section eighty-one (81) of said section seven (7) of said act approved March twenty-fourth (24th), one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (1891), is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section the following words.

SEC. 15. That section two (2) of title one (1) of chapter seven (7) of Chapter seven (7) of the Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887), as found on page three hundred and thirty-three (333) of said Special Laws, as amended by Special Laws one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), chapter thirty-two (32), be and the same is hereby amended by inserting in said section after the words "street sprinkling" whenever they occur in said section the words "street sweeping."

SEC. 16. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1891.

CHAPTER 8.

[H. F. No. 1,007]

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ST. PAUL AND THE ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. That section five (5) of chapter three (3) of an act entitled "An act to reduce the law incorporating the city of St. Paul, in the county of Ramsey and state of Minnesota, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and certain other acts relating to said city, into one (1) act, and to amend the same," approved March fifth (5th), one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (1874), is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to-wit:

Sec. 5. The law department of the city of St. Paul shall consist of a corporation attorney and three (3) assistant corporation attorneys, called first (1st), second (2d) and third (3d) assistants respectively, who shall be appointed by said corporation attorney.

The corporation attorney shall be the legal head and to have the control, supervision and direction of the law department of the city government and of the several heads and departments thereof. He shall be elected by the common council of the city on the second (2d) Tuesday of March of each odd numbered year, and shall hold his office for the term of two (2) years thereafter and until his successor shall be elected and qualify, and shall receive a salary of five thousand (5,000) dollars per annum.

He shall be the legal adviser of the mayor, the common council and of the committees thereof, the board of public works and the school inspectors, and the board of health and all other boards and officers of said city, and he shall render and perform all the legal services incident to his office, and when required shall furnish opinions upon such legal questions as may be submitted to him by the mayor, the common council or any of its committees, or by either of the above named boards. He shall, in person, or by one (1) of his assistants to be by him assigned for that purpose, attend the stated and special meetings of the common council, the board of public works, the board of education, the board of health, and shall also render and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the common council by ordinance.

The law department of the city shall be allowed such clerical force as in the opinion of the common council shall be required for the prompt and efficient dispatch of the business of the department.

It is made the duty of the corporation attorney and the first assistant to give their whole professional time and attention to the discharge of the duties of their respective offices at the city hall, or such other place as the common council shall designate and provide for.

The assistant corporation attorneys shall hold office during the pleasure of the corporation attorney, who shall appoint them, and shall receive the following salaries:

The first assistant the sum of one thousand eight hundred (\$1,800) dollars per annum, the second assistant the sum of one thousand two hundred (\$1,200) dollars per annum, and the third assistant the sum of one thousand two hundred (\$1,200) dollars per annum.

The board of public works, the school inspector and the board of health, and the park board and all boards and officers of said city, and each of them, are hereby prohibited from retaining, feeing or employing an attorney for their respective boards, and it is hereby made the duty of said boards, and each of them, whenever the advice, opinion or services of an attorney is required by either of said boards, either at the meeting of their respective boards, or at any other time or upon any other occasion, to call upon the corporation attorney, whose duty it shall be, either by himself in person or by one (1) of his assistants to be by him designated for that purpose, to give such advice, furnish such opinions, or render such services as may be required by such boards, or by either of them. The corporation attorney may be allowed a sum not exceeding eighteen hundred (\$1800) dollars per annum for clerk hire for the law department.

The salaries of the corporation attorney and his assistants and clerks shall be paid monthly.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

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

Approved April 1, 1891.