

L A W S
OF THE
STATE OF NEW YORK,

PASSED AT THE
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LEGISLATURE;

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Chap. 154.

AN ACT to amend the revised Charter of the city of Auburn.

Passed March 25, 1867; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Title six, section one of said charter is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 1. The common council in addition to the money authorized to be raised by an act passed April tenth, eighteen hundred and fifty, entitled "An act to regulate free schools in the city of Auburn," shall have power to cause each year, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand five hundred dollars, to be raised by tax to defray the expenses of laying out, making and repairing highways, roads and bridges, and to defray the expense of fire engines, engine houses, and apparatus necessary for the working of said engines, and for the construction and repairing of reservoirs of water for the use of the fire department, and for the contingent expenses of said city; and also a further sum not exceeding seventy-five dollars per hydrant for the purpose of procuring a supply of water for the use and protection of said city, as contemplated by section sixteen of the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Auburn water-works company," passed April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-nine; and also the further sum of not exceeding five hundred dollars for the payment of police expenses; and the common council may in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, in addition to the sums before mentioned, cause the sum of not exceeding six thousand dollars to be raised by tax to extinguish the floating debt of said city, and also a further sum of not exceeding two thousand dollars, whenever two-thirds of the taxable inhabitants of the said city, whose names appear on the last assessment roll thereof, shall petition therefor in writing. But nothing in this section contained shall

Amount city may raise for highways, fire department, contingent expenses, &c.

prohibit the levying and collecting of poll taxes for highway purposes as authorized by law, nor the raising of any sum for local improvements authorized by this act, when the same shall be rated and assessed locally according to benefits received.

Chap. 155.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Rochester Water-Works Company," passed April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, to increase the capital stock, and authorizing the city of Rochester to aid in the construction of said works, pursuant to section twenty-six of said act.

Passed March 26, 1867.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section two of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Rochester water-works company," passed April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 2. The capital stock of said company shall be two hundred thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of fifty dollars each, and the said company are hereby empowered to increase their capital stock at any time not to exceed eight hundred thousand dollars.

§ 2. The common council of the city of Rochester may, and they are hereby authorized to subscribe to the capital stock of said water-works company an amount not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and for that purpose may issue the bonds of said city payable in not less than twenty years, and shall be represented in the same manner in the management of the affairs of said company, as the other stockholders. The bonds so issued shall not be sold for less than par, and at the rate of interest not to exceed seven per cent per annum.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.