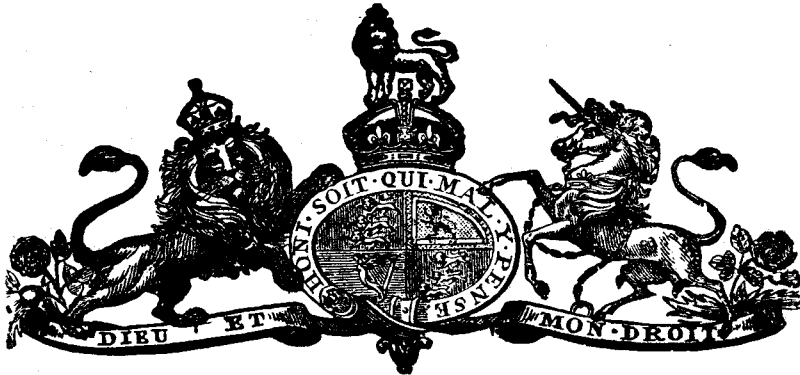


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AN ACT to authorise the Loan of One thousand five hundred Pounds to the Warden, Councillors, and Electors of the Municipality of Scottsdale, in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890," and for other purposes.

[5 December, 1913.]

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WHEREAS the Municipal Council of Scottsdale has passed certain special resolutions authorising the said Council to borrow certain sums of money amounting in the whole to One thousand five hundred Pounds, for the purpose of improving the streets of the Town of Scottsdale :

PREAMBLE.

And whereas the said special resolutions were duly confirmed after having been advertised and posted throughout the Municipality of Scottsdale, as prescribed in "The Local Government Act, 1906" :

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Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:--

Short title.

1 This Act may be cited as "The Scottsdale Municipality Loan Act, 1913."

Interpretation.

2 In this Act--

"The Corporation" means the Warden, councillors, and electors of the Municipality of Scottsdale :

"The Council" means the Council of the said municipality.

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3 It shall be lawful for the Council, on behalf of the Corporation, to borrow, under the provisions of "The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890," upon the security of its revenues, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole One thousand five hundred Pounds, for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of or connected with improving the streets of the Town of Scottsdale.

Certain expenditure may be debited to loan account.

4 If a loan shall be granted to the Council under this Act, any sums of money expended by the Council on the aforesaid works subsequently to the First day of August, One thousand nine hundred and thirteen, but prior to obtaining such loan, may be debited to the account of such loan when obtained.

Poll to be taken before moneys borrowed.

5 The Council shall not proceed in the matter of borrowing any sum of money under the authority of this Act until and after a poll has been taken of the electors of the municipality of Scottsdale who are the owners or occupiers of property within the Town Ward for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Council shall be permitted to proceed to borrow such moneys. If at the taking of such poll a less number than Two-thirds of the votes recorded shall be in favour of the Council proceeding to borrow, the Council shall not borrow: Provided that, in the event of there not being the necessary number of votes recorded at such poll in favour of the Council borrowing such money, the Council may, at any time after the expiration of Three months, cause another poll of such electors to be taken; and if at any such subsequent poll the necessary number of votes is recorded in favour of the Council borrowing, the Council may proceed to borrow.

Method of taking poll.

6 Subject to the foregoing provision, upon the taking of any poll as aforesaid, all proceedings shall be had and taken as nearly as may be as upon election of councillors of a municipality, as the case may require, and every such elector as aforesaid who desires to vote shall be entitled to as many votes as the number of votes to which such elector appears by the Assessment Roll to be entitled on the same scale of voting as applies to municipalities, and the ballot-papers to be used in the taking of every such poll shall be in the form set forth in the Schedule to this Act.

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7 When the Council shall decide to take a poll as aforesaid, it shall cause an advertisement thereof to be inserted not less than Three times in a daily newspaper circulating in the Town Ward, and in One number of the "Gazette;" and such advertisement shall contain the following particulars:—

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Notice of poll.

- i. The time and place of such poll:
- ii The works proposed to be constructed or performed by the Council:
- iii. The estimated cost of such works:
- vi. The amount proposed to be borrowed.

8 Subject to the foregoing provisions it shall be lawful for the Governor to grant, in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890," any sum or sums of money not exceeding in the whole One thousand five hundred Pounds, as a loan to the Corporation upon the security of all its revenues, for the purpose of defraying the costs and expenses mentioned in Section Three of this Act, and any such sum shall be defrayed out of moneys to be provided by Parliament for that purpose: Provided that it shall not be necessary to lay before either House of Parliament plans and specifications of any of such proposed works, nor a report of the Engineer-in-Chief thereon as provided in Section Two of the said Act: Provided further that no part of the said loan shall be advanced to the Council until the Engineer-in-Chief shall have certified in writing to the State Treasurer that he is satisfied with the manner in which the Council proposes to spend the money.

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grant loans to
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9 It shall be lawful for the Council once in every year to make and levy a separate local rate of not exceeding Sixpence in the pound upon the annual value of all properties within the Town Ward, as at present constituted of the said municipality, as shown by the Assessment Roll in force for the time being for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and any moneys required for a sinking fund in respect of the said loan. Any such separate local rate shall be made upon and be payable by the persons who would be liable to be rated in respect of the properties included in the said ward if such rate were a general rate under "The Local Government Act, 1906," and shall be made and recoverable in the same manner as any such general rate.

Power to Council
to levy rate.

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SCHEDULE.

BALLOT-PAPER.

FOR.

AGAINST.

If you are in favour of the proposed Loan you will strike out the word "Against,"
and if you are opposed to the proposed Loan you will strike out the word "For."