

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 470

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIVE.

AN ACT to amend section four of chapter four hundred fifty-five of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the York Beach Village Corporation."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section four of chapter four hundred fifty-five of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled an act to incorporate the York Beach Village Corporation, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "town," in the seventh line of said section, the words, 'said sum to be not less than one-tenth part of said moneys so raised by said town,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 4. The selectmen of the town of York are hereby authorized and directed to apportion on or before the tenth day of April annually, out of all the moneys raised by said town for repairs and maintenance of ways and bridges, a sum

12 ample and sufficient for the proper care and maintenance of
13 the ways within the limits of said corporation, the same to
14 be forthwith certified to the treasurer of said town, said sum
15 to be not less than one-tenth part of said moneys so raised
16 by said town, to be by him set aside and paid out to the
17 assessors of said corporation for maintenance and repairs as
18 aforesaid, on the order of the selectmen in the same manner
19 that money is paid out to road commissioners elected by
20 towns. Sixty-five per cent of said money is to be expended
21 by the corporation by its assessors, or their agent, under the
22 general supervision of said selectmen, prior to the fifteenth
23 day of July, and the balance to be in like manner expended
24 at such time as said assessors deem for the best good of the
25 public; and if such sum, apportioned as aforesaid, is deemed
26 inadequate by the assessors of the corporation for the proper
27 care and maintenance of said ways, and if said selectmen
28 neglect or refuse to apportion further sums, which shall be
29 by said assessors deemed adequate, for ten days after the
30 same have been requested of them in writing by said asses-
31 sors, then said assessors may call a meeting of the corpora-
32 tion, at which the corporation may raise money for improve-
33 ments and repairs upon its ways, to be assessed in the manner
34 provided in section five of this act, to be expended for the
35 purposes for which raised, by the corporation, by its asses-
36 sors, or their agent, under the general supervision of the
37 selectmen.

For the purpose of expending money which has been appor-
39 tioned by the selectmen as hereinbefore provided, said
40 assessors shall first qualify and give bonds, as road commis-
41 sioners elected by towns are required to do, and having so
42 qualified shall have exclusively within the limits of the corpo-
43 ration, the same rights, powers and duties, and shall be
44 under the same obligations as said road commissioners,

45 excepting that they shall not be required to qualify before
46 the first Monday of April, as required by chapter thirty-two,
47 section seven of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and
48 ninety-nine, or to account to the selectmen for money raised
49 by the corporation for said ways. Upon failure of said
50 assessors to so qualify within ten days after their election by
51 the corporation, said money apportioned to the corporation
52 shall be expended by the town upon the highways within said
53 corporation by the proper town authorities, as provided by
54 general law. But this section shall not relieve the town of
55 York of any duty in respect to the proper care and main-
56 tenance of said ways within the limits of said corporation.'

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Augusta, March 9, 1905.

Reported by Mr. MERRILL from Committee on Judiciary and ordered
printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*