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Legislative Document

No. 124

S. P. 112

In Senate, January 27, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Martin of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Authorizing the City of Bangor to Finance Municipal Reconstruction.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the only source of water service in the city of Bangor is the municipal water system of said city, and the continuance of said water service is essential to the preservation of the public health and safety; and

Whereas, the reconstruction of the municipal water system flume is immediately necessary, and the electorate of said city have determined that the work shall not be done by contractors, and have authorized reconstruction by the city; and

Whereas, the charter of the city of Bangor precludes the financing of said reconstruction, and legislation is immediately necessary therefore; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

City of Bangor authorized to finance reconstruction of water system flume. The city of Bangor is hereby authorized to issue and sell its notes, in an aggregate amount not exceeding \$150,000, for the exclusive purpose of financing reconstruction of the municipal water system flume of said city during the year 1937, and any money thus procured in excess of said reconstruction cost shall be applied as payment on said notes when the actual cost is determined. The provisions and restrictions of section 8 of Article VI of chapter 54 of the private and special laws of 1931 shall not be deemed to preclude such financing, and said notes shall be deemed the valid and legal obligations of said city of Bangor, and may be refunded by issue and sale of bonds in accordance with the provisions of the charter of said city.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency recited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.