

and watercourses in this Province, which they may think necessary.

To proceed diligently. **2.** The commission shall proceed with all possible diligence to carry out the purposes for which it is constituted.

How guided. In matters not provided for by this act, it shall be guided by instructions from the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Report to L. G. in C., &c. **3.** The commission shall report to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council as to its researches, as well as its recommendations and suggestions. This report shall be laid before the Legislature during the first ten days of the next session.

Remuneration of commissioners, &c. **4.** The commissioners and secretary shall each, for his services, receive an indemnity to be fixed by order of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, which shall not, however, exceed twenty-five dollars per day.

Salaries, how paid. **5.** The salaries of the commissioners and secretary, with such expenses as may be incurred by them for travelling, printing, stationery and other things necessary for the due performance of their duties under this act, shall be paid by warrant of the Lieutenant-Governor out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province.

Carrying out of act. **6.** The Minister of Lands and Forests is charged with carrying out this act.

Coming into force. **7.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

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## CHAPTER 6

An Act for the appointment of a commission to consider the best means of establishing a system of parks on the Island of Montreal and Isle Jésus.

[Assented to 4th June, 1910]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS, in view of the rapid development of the city of Montreal, it is in the public interest to appoint a commission charged to consider the best means for establishing a system of parks and improved means of communication and model settlements for the working classes on the Island of Montreal and on Ile Jésus.

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the

Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

**1.** The Lieutenant Governor in Council may appoint a Appointment of commission consisting of six commissioners and of a secretary.

This commission, called "The Metropolitan Parks' Commission" shall have for its duty to prepare plans for and to devise the best means for, the establishing of parks, squares, carriage drives, boulevards, means of communication, playgrounds, grounds for athletic contests, baths, streets and public places, and areas for model homes for working men, and for the general improvement of Greater Montreal and of its surroundings. Name and duties of commission.

Where the votes are equally divided, the president shall have a casting vote over and above his vote as commissioner. Casting vote of president.

**2.** The commission shall proceed with all possible diligence to carry out the purposes for which it is constituted, and shall address a report of its recommendations and suggestions to the Lieutenant Governor in Council before the next session of the Legislature. Commission to proceed diligently, &c.

**3.** The commission has all the powers necessary for the hearing of and entering into correspondence with individuals, the procuring of plans, books and other things, and for the taking of all measures which it may think necessary for carrying out the objects of this act. Powers of commission.

**4.** Upon the recommendation of the commission the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may appoint, with such salary as may be thought proper, the employees and experts which the commission may need, to carry out the purposes for which it is appointed. Appointment of employees, &c.

The salary of such employees and experts shall be paid by the commission. Their payment.

**5.** As a contribution to the payment of the indemnity of the commissioners and of the secretary, and of all expenses to be incurred for carrying out this act, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is authorized to pay to the commission at such times as he may think proper the sum of five thousand dollars, payable by warrants of the Lieutenant-Governor out of the consolidated revenue fund of the Province. Government grant of \$5,000.00.

**6.** The cities and towns situated on the Island of Montreal and Isle Jésus are authorized on simple resolution of their councils to subscribe whatever sums they may think proper for the purposes mentioned in section 5. Municipalities authorized to contribute.

**7.** This act shall come into force the day of its sanction. Coming into force.