

## CHAP. 95

## An Act to incorporate the village of Shawbridge

[Assented to 27th April, 1909]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS Messrs G. W. O. Matthews, superintendent, and Charles L. Girard, farmer of St. Sauveur ; John W. Kimpton, manufacturer ; Joseph Stephens, trader, and J. W. Boyd, merchant, of the parish of St. Jérôme, in the county of Terrebonne, have, by their petition, represented that, with several other proprietors, they already constitute a real village, having a post-office, and station, and other buildings which forms part of three different municipalities and this causes serious inconvenience ; that it would be opportune to erect the territory of the village into a municipality and it is expedient to grant the prayer contained in the said petition ;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Territory created village municipality.

**1.** The territory comprised within the following boundaries : the line of the northern division of lot No. 3 of the cadastre of the parish of St. Sauveur, on the north ; the Rivière du Nord on the west ; the southern division lines of lot 337 of the cadastre of the parish of St. Jérôme, less, however, the lots 340, 339, 338 and that part of lot 337 situate between the North river and the front road on the south ; and the line of the township of Abercrombie, on the east ; together with lots Nos 18*a* of the sixth range, 18*a*, 18*b*, 19*a*, 19*b*, and 20*a* of the fifth range, and 19*c*, 19*d* and 20 of the fourth range of the cadastre of the said township of Abercrombie—is detached from the municipalities of the parishes of St. Sauveur and St. Jérôme and from the eastern part of the township of Abercrombie, in the county of Terrebonne, and erected into a separate village municipality under the name of "The Corporation of the village of Shawbridge," with the same effect, as if organized under the provisions of the Municipal Code.

Name.

Persons incorporated. Name, &amp;c.

**2.** The inhabitants and rate-payers of the said municipality shall constitute a corporation under the name of "The Corporation of the village of Shawbridge," governed by the Municipal Code, except where the same may be inconsistent with the special provisions of this act.

By-laws.

**3.** The council may pass by-laws :

1. For exempting wholly or partly from the assessment

necessitated by the opening of a street, a proprietor who gives gratuitously to the village the land required for such street ;

2. To compel the owner of a road not belonging to the municipality, but within the limits thereof and open to the public and on which building lots have been sold, to effect the necessary repairs to such road, and if they are not made within the delay fixed by the council, to have them made at the cost of such proprietor ;

3. To compel every proprietor or person occupying as proprietor, to make the necessary private drains at his expense, so as to use the public sewers if the rules of health require it ; to determine the kind of plumbing to be used for all buildings erected in the village ; to regulate and require the putting in of water-closets and to regulate ventilation in such buildings ;

4. If there is but one side-walk on one side of a street or public square, to compel the proprietors on the opposite side of the street to contribute to it proportionately to the value of the lots situate on such streets or public squares ;

5. To compel every carter holding a license to give his services at the established rates to everybody who asks him ;

6. To prohibit the erection or maintenance of any hospital or other institution of the kind or exact a special permit for its erection or maintenance, fix the site and control and regulate the conditions thereof ;

4. The original of every by-law shall be entered at length in a special book with a certified copy of the notice of the publication of such by-law and such entry shall be signed by the mayor and secretary-treasurer. Entry of by-laws in book, &c.

5. The first general election of councillors for the said municipality shall be held within thirty days from the coming into force of this act, and the elections of councillors shall afterwards be held on the first Monday of August in each year. The elections shall last but one day and shall be by ballot and title V of the Cities and Towns Act 1903, shall apply to the said municipality *mutatis mutandis*. First general election, &c.

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

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