

28. When a junior township of an incorporated union of townships has 100 resident freeholders and householders on the assessment roll as last finally revised and passed, such township shall, upon the 1st of January next after the passing of the proper by-law in that behalf by the county council, become separated by the union. 46 V. c. 18, s. 28.

NOTE.—It may be inferred that the county council, upon application being made by the junior township, will “pass the proper by-law in that behalf,” for such separation.

29.—(1) In case a junior township has at least 50, but less than 100 resident freeholders and householders on the last revised assessment roll, and two-thirds of the resident freeholders and householders of the township petition the council of the county to separate the township from the union to which it belongs, and in case the council considers the township to be so situated, with reference to streams or other natural obstructions, that its inhabitants cannot conveniently be united with the inhabitants of an adjoining township for municipal purposes, the council may, by by-law, separate the same from the union; and the by-law shall name the returning officer who is to hold, and the place for holding, the first election under the same.

(2) In case two-thirds of the resident freeholders and householders of one or more junior townships petition the council of the county to be separated from the union to which they belong, and to be attached to some other adjoining municipality, and in case the council considers that the interest and convenience of the inhabitants of the township or townships would be promoted thereby, they may, by by-law, separate the township or townships from the union, and attach the same to some other adjoining municipality. 46 V. c. 18, s. 29.

NOTE.—(1) Provision is here made for separating a junior township from a union, where the number of freeholders and householders is less than 100.

(2) One or more junior townships may be separated from a union and attached to some other adjoining municipality.

30. After the dissolution of a union of townships, the following shall be the disposition of the property of the union :—