

An Act to incorporate the Village of Beauharnois as a Town

WHEREAS from the increase of the population of the Village of Beauharnois, the provisions of the Municipal Acts do not suffice to enable the inhabitants thereof to carry out the improvements which they are desirous of making, and whereas the Municipal Council of the said village, have represented that it is necessary that more ample provisions be made in that behalf, and that the said Village be incorporated as a Town under the name of "Beauharnois" Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

- 10 1. From and after the passing of this Act, the inhabitants of the Town of Beauharnois as hereinafter described, and their successors, shall be and are hereby declared to be a body politic and corporate, in fact and in law, by the name of the Mayor and Council of the Town of Beauharnois, and separated from the County of Beauharnois for all Municipal purposes; and by the same name they and their successors shall have perpetual succession, and shall have power to sue and to be sued, implead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto, in all Courts and in all actions, causes and suits at law whatsoever, and shall have a Common Seal, with power to alter and modify the same at their will and pleasure; and shall be in law capable of receiving by donation, acquiring, holding and departing with any property, real or moveable, for the use of the said Town; of becoming parties to any contracts or agreements in the management of the affairs of the said Town; and of giving or accepting any notes, bonds, obligations, judgments or other instruments or securities, for the payment of, or securing the payment of any sum of money borrowed or loaned, or for the execution of any duty, right or thing whatsoever.

Preamble.

Town of
Beauharnois
incorporated.Corporate
name and
powers.Real pro-
perty.Bonds, notes,
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