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The subject matter of this report is trunk sewerage. However, the purpose of main drains is to enable the construction of street laterals. By statute, the city at large is required to participate in the expense of local sewerage. On the average the City assumes about ten percent of the total cost. From these considerations, it is suggested that any intended bond issue might well include provisions for meeting the City's portion of the expense of lateral sewerage. For a program entailing the installation of 25 miles of street sewer, an allowance of \$25,000 would be proper.

To adequately finance sewerage which would be made immediately necessary by the proposed annexations there is, accordingly, recommended procedure leading to the issue of bonds in the amount of \$155,000.

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Further statement of details and supporting data are given in following pages. These also exhibit the extent of the sewerage proposed.

Attention is attracted to the fact that were these several areas annexed, there would still be aggregate residential capacity in the Sippo Trunk Sewer and in the Wetmore Trunk Sewer for drainage from an additional 900 acres. In other instances the proposed expansion will generally absorb the theoretical area allowances for growth. Enlargement as projected should offer residence to an ultimate population of about 60,000.

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