

CHAPTER 22.

[S. F. No. 157.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMON COUNCILS OF CITIES
TO VACATE ROADS, STREETS AND ALLEYS IN CERTAIN
CASES.

Vacating roads,
streets and
alleys.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That in all cases where any boulevard shall have been laid out by the board of park commissioners of any city in this state, around the shores of any lake wholly or partly embraced within the limits of any public park, the common council of such city shall have power and authority, upon the petition of any person interested in the reversion of the streets, roads and alleys to be vacated, or any portion thereof, and upon the recommendation of the board of park commissioners of such city (to be evidenced by a resolution of such board to that effect, a certified copy whereof shall accompany such petition), to vacate any street, road or alley lying within the limits of such boulevard, or within a distance of one hundred and fifty (150) feet therefrom, without any compensation being paid into the city treasury therefor or any other land dedicated in lieu thereof; *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be held to affect individual rights to compensation.

In boulevarded
lake shores
streets and
alleys may be
vacated.

SEC. 2. Save as herein provided, such petition shall be made under and in accordance with existing laws governing vacations of streets, roads and public grounds so far as applicable.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 31, 1891.

CHAPTER 23.

[S. F. No. 158.]

AN ACT VACATING STATE AND TERRITORIAL ROADS
THROUGH PUBLIC PARKS IN CERTAIN CASES.

Vacating roads
through public
parks.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That in all cases where territorial or state roads have been heretofore laid out or traveled through or across land which has since been duly and legally em-

State and territorial roads through established parks vacated.

braced within the limits of any public park in any city in this state, which park contains walks and drives through the same, so much of said state and territorial roads as is embraced within the limits of any such public park is hereby vacated; *Provided, however,* that nothing herein contained shall apply to any portion of any road or street which has been designated as a park-way by any board of park commissioners.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 24.

[H. F. No. 888.]

Roads through more than one county.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ROADS IN MORE THAN ONE COUNTY IN THIS STATE, WHERE SUCH COUNTIES ARE NOT IN THE SAME JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Petition for same.

SECTION 1. Whenever a petition praying that a road be laid through two or more adjoining counties in this state, or along the county lines dividing said counties, or partly along said county line and partly in one of said counties, signed by twenty (20) legal voters resident in one of said counties, shall be presented to the judge of the district court of the judicial district in which one or more of said counties is located, the said judge is hereby authorized to appoint three (3) commissioners, whose duty it shall be to meet at such times and places as may be necessary, and to immediately proceed to lay out a road as directed by said district judge in accordance with the prayer of the petitioners; *Provided,* that no road shall be ordered by any such district judge to extend more than six (6) miles outside the judicial district in which the application is made, and such road shall be extended beyond the district only for the purpose of commencing or ending at some village or public road; and *Provided further,* That this limitation shall not be construed to apply to that portion of such road extending along the line of the county located in such judicial district. The same notice shall be given of the presenting of such petition as is now required for the presenting of a petition for a road in more than one county by section seventy-seven (77) of Chapter thirteen (13) of the General Statutes of the state of Minnesota, and all pro-

Commissioners to be appointed.

Notices to be given.