

thereto and authorizing the issuance and sale at public sale of water main and sewer certificates of indebtedness payable primarily from the revenues of the combined water and sewer system and assessments to be levied against property specially benefited by such extensions and additions but pledging the full faith and credit of the city for their payment and imposing a hydrant rental and sanitation charge for the use of said system, all such proceedings are hereby legalized and validated and certificates of indebtedness to be issued in accordance therewith are hereby declared to be valid and binding special obligations of the city in accordance with their terms notwithstanding any provision or restriction in the home rule charter of the city regulating or limiting the issuance of extended assessment certificates or limiting the liability of the city thereon.

Sec. 2. Remedial. It is expressly found and determined that this act is remedial in nature, being necessary to protect the financial credit of such cities, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Sec. 3. Actions pending. This act shall not apply to or affect any action or appeal now pending in which validity of any such proceedings is called in question.

Approved March 29, 1949.

CHAPTER 208—S. F. No. 11

[Not Coded]

An act appropriating to certain agricultural societies or associations moneys withheld from distribution to them and not distributed to them under Laws 1947, Chapter 493.

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

Section 1. Certain agricultural societies qualified under sections 38.02 and 38.04; distribution under Laws 1947, Chapter 493, withheld. Any agricultural society or association named in Laws 1947, Chapter 493, Section 1, which in the year 1947 did not require advanced payment in cash of the entry fees for exhibits at its 1947 annual fair at the time the exhibits were

entered, but did deduct from the amount awarded and due for a premium winning entry the amount of such entry fee and did pay the difference in cash to the premium winner, and where the amount so deducted has been withheld from distribution to such society or association and not distributed to it as provided by Laws 1947, Chapter 493, shall receive from the State the total and full amount of the premiums awarded for prize winning exhibits without deduction for the amount of the entry fees so deducted and withheld from the premium winners, less the amount which such society or association may have already received from the State on account of premiums paid for its 1947 premium awards, subject, however, to limitations in amount provided by Laws 1947, Chapter 493, Section 1, and notwithstanding the fact that the appropriations made for such agricultural society or association by Laws 1947, Chapter 539, Section 7, may have been cancelled back into the revenue fund as provided by Section 11 of said Chapter 539.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the State Treasury from moneys not otherwise appropriated, the necessary amounts to make the payment provided for in Section 1 hereof, subject, however, to a maximum of \$500.

Sec. 3. Effective date. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 31, 1949.

CHAPTER 209—S. F. No. 46

[Not Coded]

An act fixing the salaries of mayor and councilmen in certain fourth class cities.

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

Section 1. Salaries of mayor and councilmen in certain cities of the fourth class. In all cities of the fourth class, however organized, of this state, now or hereafter having an assessed valuation of more than \$800,000, more than 70 per