

CHAPTER 101.

[H. F. No. 1014.]

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER THIRTY-EIGHT (38) OF THE SPECIAL LAWS OF THE YEAR EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE (1881), ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VILLAGE OF PINE CITY, IN PINE COUNTY, AND THE SEVERAL ACTS AMENDATORY THERETO.

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

SECTION 1. That section six (6) of chapter two (2) of said chapter thirty-eight (38) of the special laws of year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) be amended by striking out the words "and town," where they occur in the sixth line of said section.

SEC. 2. That section seven (7) of chapter three (3) of said chapter thirty-eight (38) special laws year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) be so amended as to read as follows:

Section 7. The treasurer shall be the depository of all moneys belonging to said village, and give such bonds as the common council may require. The treasurer shall from time to time draw from the county treasury such moneys as may be due said village, and all of the other officers of said village into whose hands any funds belonging to said village may come shall immediately pay the same over to said treasurer, taking a duplicate receipt therefor, one (1) of which receipts they shall forthwith file with the village recorder. The treasurer shall keep a true account of all funds by him received, by virtue of his office, and of the manner in which the same is disbursed, in a book kept for that purpose, and shall exhibit such account and all the funds and vouchers of said village to the common council at its annual meeting each year, and at any other time when requested by resolution of such common council, and fifteen (15) days prior to the annual village election each year shall file with the village recorder for inspection of any tax payer, a correct statement of all the funds received and paid out by him during the year. All funds of said village shall be disbursed by the village treasurer, upon allowance of the common council, and upon warrants or orders signed by the president and attested by the recorder, and not otherwise.

SEC. 3. That section eighteen (18) of chapter three (3) of said chapter thirty-eight (38) of the general laws of the year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) be amended by adding at the end of said section, the following proviso:—"Provided further, that all contracts for village improvements except necessary and ordinary repairs on roads and streets now opened, shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder, who will give satisfactory bonds therefor, and after public notice of time and place of receiving bids."

SEC. 4. That section one (1) of chapter five (5) of said chapter thirty-eight (38), general laws year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881), be so amended as to read as follows:

Section 1. The common council shall have power to levy taxes,

upon all the taxable property of said village, to provide for the current expenses of the village government, for the opening and maintaining and improving of the public grounds and roads in said village, and for the construction of buildings, and improvements of a general character. *Provided*, such taxes shall in no year exceed one (1) per cent of the assessed valuation.

SEC. 5. That section two (2) of chapter five (5) of said chapter thirty-eight (28), special laws year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881), be amended by striking out the word two and figure (2) where they occur in the twenty-first (21st) line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word one (1), and by striking out the words "one dollar and a half" and figures (\$1.50) where they occur in the twenty-sixth (26th) line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one dollar" (\$1.00).

SEC. 6. That chapter four (4) of said chapter thirty-eight (38) special laws year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881) be amended by adding to the same two sections, as follows:

Section 7. The common council may each year whenever they deem advisable, and shall whenever petitioned so to do by a number of legal voters of said village, equal to a majority of the voters who voted at the last village election, preceding the date of said petition, pay or cause to be paid to the treasurer of school district No. three (3) in Pine county, or to the treasurer of said common council or independent school district as may be hereafter so organized as to include the territory of said village now embraced in the limits of said school district No. three (3) one half of all the moneys received by said village during such year, for or on account of licenses for sale of spirituous, vinous, malt or fermented liquors, to be used for support of schools, or construction of necessary school buildings in said district, and for all sums so received, the school treasurer shall give duplicate receipts, one of which receipts shall be immediately deposited with the school district clerk, and the common council shall cause to be presented and read at the annual school meeting held in said school district each year, a full and concise statement showing the amount of funds on hand, in the village treasury, the amount they estimate will be received by said village from all sources during the year; the amount of village orders outstanding, and the estimated expenses of said village for the ensuing year. Also a statement of the amount of money they deem advisable to pay to the school district treasurer the ensuing year, under provisions of this section.

Section 8. That all chattel mortgages on property within the limits of said village, and all other instruments required by law to be filed with the town clerks of townships, shall be filed with the village recorder.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force on and after its passage.

Approved April 3rd, 1889.