

enue fund of the county, as other claims against the county are paid.

**Tax levy.**

All such expenses incurred by any city board of health shall in the first instance be borne by and paid out of the city treasury. The proper authorities of said city shall certify the amount required to reimburse said city to the county auditor at the time of certifying other taxes, and such auditor shall extend on the tax list of the county a tax sufficient to pay the same so certified, which tax shall be collected as other taxes, and paid over to the treasurer of such city.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 11, 1901.

**S. F. No. 377.**

## CHAPTER 239.

**County board  
of health.**

*An act creating a county board of health and defining the duties and powers of such board.*

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

**Organization  
and compensation.**

SECTION 1. That each organized county in this state may have a board of health, who shall have and exercise all the powers necessary for the preservation of the public health, and who shall hold regular monthly meetings.

SEC. 2. Said board shall consist of not less than three members, one of whom, when practicable, shall be a physician, and such physician shall be the health officer and ex officio president of the board, and shall receive such compensation for his services as the board of county commissioners of such county shall determine.

The remaining members of such board shall be elected by the board of county commissioners from their own number at the first regular or special meeting of the board of county commissioners held after this act takes effect, and annually thereafter at the first regular or special meeting of such board of county commissioners held after the first day of January in each year. Each member of such county board of health shall hold office after his election thereto until his successor is elected and qualifies.

**Jurisdiction  
and authority.**

SEC. 3. Such county board of health shall have jurisdiction and authority over all unorganized townships in such county, and within the limits of such unorganized township the duties and powers of said county board of health shall be the same as the duties and powers of boards of health as prescribed by sections 1463 and 1464 of

chapter 10 of the General Statutes of Minnesota of 1894.

SEC. 4. All fines collected under this act shall be placed to the credit of the general fund of such county in which the offense is committed.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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## CHAPTER 240.

S. F. No. 398.

*An act giving the board of county commissioners in all counties of this state having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants or over the exclusive control of the expenditures of all moneys appropriated by such board out of the "Central road and bridge fund" of such counties, and regulating the expenditure thereof by such boards.*

Counties with 200,000 population.

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

SECTION 1. That the board of county commissioners of all counties in this state now having, or which shall hereafter have, a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants or over, shall have the exclusive control of the expenditures of all moneys appropriated by such boards out of the "General road and bridge fund" of such counties for the purpose of constructing or repairing, or aiding in the construction or repair, of roads and bridges, or either, in any township or village in such counties.

County commissioners have exclusive control of general road and bridge fund.

SEC. 2. That all moneys so appropriated shall be expended by and under the direction and supervision of such boards of county commissioners in the following manner:

That in all cases except as hereinafter provided, before expending any such money for such purpose or purposes, such board of county commissioners shall require the county surveyor of such county, or his deputy, to furnish to such board a survey of the work for which it is proposed to expend such money, together with suitable plans and specifications thereof and the estimated cost thereof, and that upon the receipt of the same by such board it shall be the duty of such board, if it shall deem such expenditure advisable, to invite bids for such work by posting notices for at least fifteen (15) days prior to the letting of the contract for the same in at least three (3) of the most

Manner of expenditure of such fund.