

port in any other way which it may deem proper. The expense of providing the necessary land and buildings shall be defrayed by a special tax, to be assessed, levied, and collected like other county taxes."

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

Approved April 10, 1933.

CHAPTER 199—S. F. No. 1007

An act relative to the renewal of the corporate existence of certain cooperative associations, validating proceedings taken therefor and legalizing acts and contracts of such associations made and done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such associations.

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

Section 1. **Corporate existence renewed.**—That in all cases where an incorporated cooperative association, organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, and now operating as such, whose period of duration has expired less than four years before the passage of this Act, and which has continued to carry on its business without a renewal of its said period of duration, and which has heretofore attempted to take the proceedings required by law for the extension or renewal of the period of its corporate existence for a period not exceeding 30 years from and after the expiration of said original period of duration, and such renewal proceedings were in all respects legal and in accordance with law, save that said proceedings were not completed, prior to the expiration of said original period of duration, but were completed after the expiration of said original period of duration, such proceedings are hereby validated and made legal notwithstanding such failure to complete said proceedings prior to the expiration of said original period of duration.

Sec. 2. **Acts legalized.**—All corporate acts done, performed and entered into after the expiration of said original period shall be and each is hereby declared legal and valid.

Sec. 3. **Application.**—This Act shall not apply to any incorporated cooperative association the charter of which has been

declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state, nor to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this State.

✓ Approved April 10, 1933.

CHAPTER 200—S. F. No. 1106

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1815, relating to street and alley improvements in cities of the fourth class, or villages.

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

Section 1. **Street and alley improvements of cities of first class.**—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1815, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

1815. In any city of the fourth class or village of this state, whether said city or village is acting under general or special law or home rule charter, the council shall have power to improve any street, streets, alley or alleys, or parts thereof, by laying and maintaining pavements, gutters and curbs thereon of any material which it may deem suitable or by grading, graveling or subjecting the same to bituminous or other treatment, when petitioned for by the owners of not less than thirty-five per cent (35%) in frontage of the real property abutting on such street, streets, alley or alleys, or parts thereof, as may be named in the petition as the location for such improvement. By the word "council" as used in this Act is meant the governing body; by the word "mayor," the chief executive officer, and by the word "clerk," the officer who performs the functions thereof, of such municipality, by whatever title they may be respectively denominated.

Approved April 10, 1933.

CHAPTER 201—H. F. No. 1156

An act authorizing any city of the first class operating under a home rule charter to settle any personal injury claim against such city arising within a period of two months prior to February 25, 1933.