

salaries or compensation of such officers, but shall be paid into the general revenue fund of such county at the end of each calendar month.

**Sec. 3. County Board to fix clerk hire.**—The county board of each such county shall *by* resolution at any regular session of each year fix the amount to be allowed for clerk hire in the offices of the register of deeds and clerk of the district court, the clerk hire in the office of the register of deeds of each such county not to exceed the sum of \$4,500 per year, and the clerk hire in the office of the clerk of the district court of each such county not to exceed the sum of \$3,300 per year.

**Sec. 4. Inconsistent acts repealed.**—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.”

Approved January 15, 1936.

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#### CHAPTER 28—H. F. No. 25.

*An act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of cooperative associations.*

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

**Section 1. Corporate existence of certain cooperative associations extended.**—That any cooperative association organized under the laws of this state, whose period of duration has expired less than ten years before the passage of this act, and which has continued to carry on its business without renewal, may renew the period of its corporate existence for an additional term not to exceed 20 years from the date of such expiration, with the same force and effect as if such renewal had been effected before its said period of duration expired, by taking the proceedings provided by law for the renewal of the corporate existence of such corporation in cases where such renewal is made before the end of its period of duration. Provided, however, that the proceedings to obtain such renewal shall be taken within six months after the passage of this act; and provided, further, that this act shall not affect any pending litigation, nor apply to any company or association whose charter has been declared forfeited by any court of competent jurisdiction in this state.

**Sec. 2. Proceedings validated.**—That when such steps are taken to renew the corporate existence of such association, such proceedings shall relate back to the date of the expiration of such original corporate period; and when said period is extended as provided by this act, all corporate acts and contracts done, performed, made and entered into after the expiration of said original period shall be and each is hereby declared to be legal and valid.

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#### CHAPTER 29—H. F. No. 14.

*An act relating to and authorizing the creation of a combined recreational council jointly by certain villages and independent school districts where such village is located within the limits of such independent school district.*

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

**Section 1. Joint recreational council authorized.**—Any village to which this act shall apply, which is now authorized by law to expend moneys for recreational purposes, which is located within the territorial limits of any independent school district, which district is also authorized by law to expend moneys for recreational purposes, may combine with such independent school district to form and create a combined recreational council, as hereinafter provided, and with the powers and authority as hereinafter provided.

**Sec. 2. Creation of council.**—The governing boards of such village and of such independent school district may by resolution passed by a majority vote of each governing body, create a recreational council consisting of two members of such village council and two members of the governing board of such independent school district, to be known as a combined recreational council. Such recreational council so formed shall have authority to maintain recreational activities, but shall have no authority to incur any obligations in connection therewith except such as are expressly authorized by the governing bodies of both of such respective municipalities.

**Sec. 3. Expenditure of moneys.**—The said village shall not expend more money than it is authorized by law to expend for such purpose and such independent school district shall