

der a home rule charter providing for the appointment of a deputy clerk may fix the compensation of the deputy clerk and provide for its payment from the general fund of the city. This act shall not affect the right of any such city to include a contrary provision in any home rule charter or amendment hereafter adopted.

Approved April 1, 1943.

CHAPTER 261—H. F. No. 973.

An act relating to the correction of errors in recorded plats by the recording of corrected and supplemented plats in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Correction of errors in recorded plat in certain cases.—That in all cases where the plats, or what purports to be plats, of any portion of the lands contained within any town, village or city of this state of additions or subdivisions thereof, which have been executed and filed in an office of any register of deeds previous to January 1st, 1915, fail to identify or correctly describe the land to be so platted or to show correctly upon their face the tract of land intended or purported to be platted thereby, or any such plats are defective by reason of the plat and the description of the land purported to be so platted thereby being inconsistent or incorrect, or there exists a defect in the execution of said plats on the part of the grantors thereof, the governing board or council of the municipality containing land so platted or purported to be so platted may authorize, within six months from the passage of this Act, referring by the record book and page of such plat or plats in the office of the register of deeds to the plat or plats to be correct, the making of one or more plats which shall correctly show on the face thereof and by description of the land intended to be platted, which plat or plats may vary from the original plats in description as to lots and blocks to suit the best purpose and secure the best results, and such plat or plats, in a declaration thereon, shall recite such resolution and shall identify each separate tract of land described therein with such tract of land in the purported plat or plats intended to be corrected thereby, and shall be certified by the proper officers of the municipality as to authorization and by an engineer or surveyor as to correctness, and the signatures of such persons shall be acknowledged in like manner as a deed.

Sec. 2. Record of plat.—Such plat or plats when so certified and acknowledged may be filed in the office of the register of deeds and the declaration therein may be recorded at length in a “Book of Plat Certificates”; and when so filed and recorded such plat or plats and declaration together with the record thereof shall be prima facie evidence in all matters shown or stated therein as to the lands covered thereby.

Sec. 3. Application of act.—This act shall not apply to a city whose charter provides for official supervision of plats by municipal officers, commission or board.

Approved April 1, 1943.

CHAPTER 262—H. F. No. 1003.

An act relating to salaries of county treasurer, clerk of court, and county commissioners in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Salary of county officers in certain counties.—In any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of less than 18,000 and more than 16,000, and having not less than 56 and not more than 58 full and fractional congressional townships, the salary of the county treasurer shall be \$2,200 annually, the salary of the clerk of court shall be \$1,100 annually, and the salary of each of the members of the board of county commissioners shall be \$600 annually.

Sec. 2. Effective dates.—This act shall be effective until one year after cessation of hostilities in the present war as declared by proper authority and shall then expire.

Approved April 1, 1943.

CHAPTER 263—H. F. No. 1037.

An act relating to establishing a sinking fund for the replacement of county buildings in certain counties.

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

Section 1. County Board may establish sinking fund to replace county buildings in certain cases.—In any county having