

not exceed \$350 in any town having a taxable valuation of less than \$100,000, and the rate of which shall not exceed one per cent in any town; the rate of tax for road and bridge purposes in any town shall not exceed *the rate provided by Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 163.05*, and the tax for poor purposes shall not exceed *five mills*, provided, that in any town in which the amount levied within the above limitations is not sufficient to enable such town to carry on its necessary governmental functions, the electors, during the business hours after disposing of the annual report, may make an additional levy of not to exceed *five mills* to enable such town to carry on such necessary governmental functions.

(4) For school district purposes, such amounts as are provided in Minnesota Statutes, Chapters 120 to 132, both inclusive.

[275.091] **Not to supersede or repeal any act providing for a higher levy.** Sec. 2. This act shall not be construed as repealing any existing law which provides for a higher levy than the amount specified herein, nor shall it be construed as superseding any other act enacted by the 1947 session of the legislature, relating to the same subject.

Approved April 7, 1947.

CHAPTER 269—H. F. No. 871

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the tax levy for county purposes in certain counties; amending Laws 1941, Chapter 270.

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

Section 1. Laws 1941, Chapter 270, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1. **Tax levy for county purposes in certain counties.** In any county of this state having in excess of 13,000 and not to exceed 15,000 inhabitants, and having not less than 12 and not more than 15 full and fractional congressional townships, there shall be levied annually on each dollar of taxable property, except such as is by law otherwise taxable, as assessed and entered upon the tax lists, for county pur-

poses, such amount as may be levied by the county board, the rate of which tax shall not exceed *ten* mills.

Approved April 7, 1947.

CHAPTER 270—H. F. No. 969

An act relating to election judges in municipalities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 205.46.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 205.46, is amended to read as follows:

205.46. Judges in municipalities. The council of each municipality, except cities of the first class, at least 25 days before any election, shall appoint three qualified voters of each district therein to be judges of election. In villages having but one district, and not included in any town, the members of the council shall be judges, subject to the qualifications and restrictions provided for members of town boards in like cases. In cities of the first class judges and clerks shall be appointed by the city clerk at least 25 days before an election from a list of qualified voters in each district certified by the civil service commission of the municipality. At least 60 days before an election said civil service commission shall receive applications on verified forms prepared by it from persons qualified to act as such judges and clerks, in which application said applicant shall state his party affiliation, and said commission shall conduct such inquiry, investigation and examination as it deems necessary to establish the qualifications of the applicants. The commission shall set up such rules and regulations as it deems necessary for carrying out the provisions of this chapter. At least 30 days before the first election in any calendar year wherein elections are held such civil service commission shall certify to the city clerk a list of such persons in each district who have satisfied said commission of their qualifications to act as judges and clerks. The commission shall certify the names of *the* persons having the highest rating from each political party for each district. From said certified list the city clerk shall appoint three judges and two clerks provided that no more than two judges and one clerk shall belong to the same political party. If there be not two qualified persons in each political party for