

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

Section 1. Laws 1945, Chapter 223, Section 1, is amended to read:

Section 1. **Board may buy or exchange land.** The board of county commissioners in *any county* in the State of Minnesota *which now has or may hereafter establish restricted areas pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1949, Chapter 396 [.]* may, by a 5/7 vote of said board, *if there be seven members on said board or by a 4/5 vote if there be five members on the board,* purchase, exchange lands, or exchange lands and pay in addition thereto a reasonable amount of money, to compensate the owner of land exchanged, whenever in its opinion, it would be to the best interest of the county to do so, because of the unreasonable cost of maintaining or constructing roads, or the furnishing of other governmental services to its citizens.

Sec. 2. Laws 1945, Chapter 223, Section 3, is amended to read:

Sec. 3. **Annual levy.** County boards coming within this act may *annually* levy, appropriate and expend an amount *equal to the proceeds of a 1/2 mill levy upon the taxable property of said county* to carry out the provisions of this act, *but said amount shall not exceed the sum of \$25,000 annually.*

Approved April 7, 1951.

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CHAPTER 290—H. F. No. 959

*An act to fix the times of holding general terms of the district court in the Third Judicial District; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 484.11.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 484.11, is amended to read:

484.11 **Third judicial district.** General terms of dis-

district court in the counties constituting the third judicial district shall be held each year at the times herein specified:

Houston County: On the third Monday in May and the fourth Monday in October.

Olmsted County: On the *first* Monday in January, *February, March, April, May, June, September, October, November, and December.*

Wabasha County: On the third Monday in May and the second Monday in November.

Winona County: On the second Monday in January and the third Monday in April and September.

When any general term in any of said counties *wherein not more than three terms are appointed to be held each year* shall be adjourned for a period of more than 30 days, and issues of fact in any action are joined more than eight days before the first day of any such adjourned term, then, and in that case, such action may be brought on for trial at such adjourned term upon notice of trial served eight days or more before the beginning of said adjourned term; such notice of trial shall be filed with the clerk at least *eight* days before the beginning of such adjourned term and shall serve as a note of issue.

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CHAPTER 291—H. F. No. 1345

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*An act relating to the dates of the annual election of members of the board of education in any independent school district located in any city of the first class, the territorial limits of which independent school district coincide, with the territorial limits of such city, and the government of which independent school district is not provided for in the charter of such city; amending Laws 1933, Chapter 117, Section 1 [.] as amended.*