

Itasca County: On the third Tuesday in February and the second Tuesday in September.

Koochiching County: On the second Tuesday in May and the first Tuesday in December.

Lake of the Woods County: On the third Tuesday in April and the first Tuesday in November.

In years when the first Tuesday in November is general election day the November terms shall be held on the first Wednesday of that month.

Approved April 17, 1951.

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CHAPTER 415—S. F. No. 1324

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to the issuance and sale of bonds or certificates of indebtedness by certain counties to provide funds for the purchase of additional grounds and the construction, alteration, repair, and improvement of necessary buildings for county fair purposes, and for the purpose of aiding county agricultural societies to defray financial obligations, and providing the method for paying such obligations at maturity;*  
Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

**Section 1. Bonds, issuance and sale, for certain purposes.**

Any county in this state having more than 23,000 and less than 40,000 inhabitants, and having a taxable valuation of more than \$20,000,000 and less than \$27,000,000, and having more than 21 and less than 24 full or fractional congressional townships, may issue bonds or certificates of indebtedness and sell the same, without a vote of the people of the county, as herein provided, for any one or more of the following purposes: (1) to purchase additional grounds and to construct, alter, repair, and improve necessary buildings for county fair purposes; (2) to assist any county agricultural society of such county which is a member of the state agricultural society in purchasing additional grounds and in constructing, altering, repairing, and improving necessary buildings used for county

fair purposes; and (3) to aid any such county agricultural society to defray its financial obligations now or hereafter incurred. The amount of such bonds at par value or the amount of such certificates of indebtedness shall not be included in computing the net indebtedness of any such county.

**Sec. 2. Authorization.** Bonds of the county or certificates of indebtedness shall be authorized by a resolution adopted by the county board by unanimous vote of its members, which resolution shall determine that it is necessary to issue and to sell bonds of the county or certificates of indebtedness, prescribe the amount thereof, the form, the form of interest coupons to be attached thereto, and the time and manner of sale. The rate of interest shall not exceed six per cent per annum. These bonds or certificates of indebtedness shall not be full faith and credit obligations of the county but shall be payable solely out of the moneys collected by the county treasurer from the annual levies made by the county board for the purposes and in the manner provided in this act. Such bonds or certificates of indebtedness shall mature serially over a period of not to exceed ten years from their date. These bonds or certificates of indebtedness shall be sold in the manner prescribed for the sale of county bonds. No sale of these bonds or certificates shall be for less than par value including accrued interest.

**Sec. 3. Tax levy.** The funds for the payment of such bonds or certificates of indebtedness and interest as they mature shall be provided by the annual levy of a tax not exceeding one-half mill upon all property subject to taxation and for the purposes authorized under Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 38.27, which levy shall be authorized by the county board and made annually commencing with the year wherein such bonds or certificates of indebtedness are sold and shall continue annually thereafter until sufficient money has accumulated in the county treasury to assure payment in full of such bonds or certificates of indebtedness and interest.

**Sec. 4. County board to approve plans.** Whenever the proceeds of such bonds or certificates of indebtedness are appropriated and paid over to the county agricultural society of such county which is a member of the state agricultural society for the purpose of assisting such county agricultural society in purchasing additional grounds and to aid in the construction, alteration, repair and improvement of necessary

buildings for county fair purposes by such agricultural society, or for the purpose of aiding such county agricultural society in defraying its financial obligations now or hereafter incurred, it shall be necessary for the county board, by resolution adopted by the unanimous vote of its members, to first approve the plans and specifications of such county agricultural society for the purchase of such additional grounds or construction, alteration, repair, and improvement of necessary buildings already undertaken or proposed.

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CHAPTER 416—S. F. No. 1378  
[Coded as Section 340.323]

*An act relating to the certification of local option elections.*

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

[340.323] Section 1. **Certification.** Whenever a local option election is held in a municipality or a county, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 340.20 to 340.40, Minnesota Statutes 1949, the municipal clerk, if such election occurs in a municipality, or the county auditor if such election occurs in a county, shall certify the results of any such election to the Secretary of State within ten days from the date on which such election was held.

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CHAPTER 417—S. F. No. 1385

*An act relating to water and sewer systems and board of municipal works in certain cities of the second class; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 442.05, Subdivision 3; Section 442.09, Subdivisions 5, 6 and 7; and Section 442.17.*

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