

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 47.015, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Days for closing.** Any financial institution (a) located in, or not more than ten miles from any city of the first class, or (b) located in a county having an area of more than 5,000 square miles and a population of more than 150,000, or (c) located in a county having over 33,000 and less than 35,000 inhabitants according to the 1950 federal census and assessed valuation over \$20,000,000, or (d) located in any county, which, at the time of the enactment of Laws 1953, c 445, has an assessed valuation of not less than \$1,200,000 and not more than \$2,900,000 and having an area of not less than 1,375 square miles and not more than 2,200 square miles, and having a population according to the 1950 federal census figures of not less than 2,800 inhabitants and not more than 8,500 inhabitants, or (e) in a city containing over 10,000 inhabitants located in a county having an assessed valuation over \$14,000,000 and less than \$15,000,000 exclusive of money and credits, containing over 30,000 and less than 32,000 inhabitants according to the 1950 federal census and over 30 full and fractional congressional townships, or (f) located in a county having an assessed valuation of over \$10,000,000 and less than \$12,000,000 exclusive of money and credits and having over 35,000 inhabitants according to the 1950 census may remain closed on any Saturday. Any financial institution in the state may remain closed on any Monday next following a Sunday on which falls a holiday designated by any law of this state. Any Saturday or any such Monday on which any financial institution in the state remains closed as herein permitted shall be, with respect to such financial institution, a holiday and not a business day. Any act authorized, required or permitted by law or contract to be performed on any such Saturday or on any such Monday at, by or with respect to any such financial institution remaining closed on such day may be performed on the next succeeding regular business day, and no liability or loss of rights on the part of any person or financial institution shall result from such closing.

Approved March 18, 1955.

CHAPTER 203—H. F. No. 1047

[Not Coded]

An act relating to public health nuisances and the abatement thereof in cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of 450,000, or over.

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

Section 1. Minneapolis; abate public health nuisances. The governing body of any city of the first class now or hereafter having a population of 450,000, or over, is hereby authorized and empowered to abate public health nuisances arising out of the neglect or failure to comply with local health ordinances requiring the making of sewer and water house connections to privately owned premises within such city, such abatement to be carried out under the terms and conditions hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. Unsanitary cesspools or septic tanks drained or filled; installation of water and sewer. When any such premises, by reason of unsanitary or unsafe cesspools or septic tanks and the failure to be provided with public sewer and water house connections, constitutes or will create a public health nuisance and menace, the said cesspools or septic tanks shall be drained and filled with sand and the use of the said premises prohibited until proper public sewer and water connections are made in compliance with local health ordinances. Upon the written request of the owner, however, and upon proper showing that he is not financially able to comply with the requirements of the ordinances regarding sewer and water connection, the governing body of said city is authorized and empowered to abate the nuisance existing, by installing proper sewer and water connections from the mains in the street to the premises, in addition to caring for the cesspools and septic tanks as provided for in this section. Before said sewer and water connections are made, written notice shall be given to any mortgagees or lien holders of record. All of the costs for the abatement of the nuisance may be assessed against the premises as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 3. Assessment of cost of installation. The said governing body, upon the completion of any such connection work, may assess and levy, and cause to be collected, the amount of the actual cost thereof, plus an overhead charge of ten percent to cover administration expense, as a special assessment upon and against such benefited premises.

Sec. 4. Installment payment. The said governing body, at the time of the making of said levy and special assessment, may take further action to extend the time for the payment thereof over such period of years as it may determine, payable in equal annual installments not exceeding 20, as authorized by Minnesota Statutes of 1953, Section 435.17, with interest at the rate of five percent per annum on deferred payments, and provide for the re-payment, through the collection of such assessments, of advances made by the said city for

such installation, and for the crediting of the said interest and overhead charges herein provided for to the proper city accounts.

Sec. 5. Not subject to certain limitations. The abatement of public health nuisance and menace provisions of this act shall not be subject to the \$100 limitation of Minnesota Statutes of 1953, Section 145.22.

Sec. 6. Amount of assessment limited. In carrying out the provisions of this act no debt or claim against any one individual property shall exceed the sum of \$1,000, including overhead, but not including the specified interest rate of five percent per annum on deferred payments.

Approved March 18, 1955.

CHAPTER 204—H. F. No. 1086

[Not Coded]

An act relating to road and bridge levy in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Road and bridge fund annual levy, certain counties. In any county having not less than 18,000 nor more than 20,000 inhabitants and having more than 40 and less than 70 full and fractional congressional townships and having a land area of not less than 1,350 square miles and having a taxable valuation of more than \$3,900,000 and less than \$4,500,000 exclusive of money and credits, the county board at its July meeting may include in its annual levy not to exceed 20 mills for the county road and bridge fund, notwithstanding any other limitation.

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CHAPTER 205—H. F. No. 1124

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the conveyance of certain real estate owned by the state to the City of Minneapolis.

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

Section 1. Conveyance, state to City of Minneapolis. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary the commissioner of