ship thirty-two (32) North, and Range nineteen (19) West, in Washington County, State of Minnesota to wit:

A tract of 10 acres more or less described as follows:

That portion of the Northwest one-quarter (1/4) lying East of the right-of-way of State Trunk Highway #95 except a platted portion thereof in the extreme Southwest corner of tract comprising 3 acres. \$1,000

Three acres more or less lying adjacent to the park and between the west arm of pine slough and creek flows from the North and lying in North one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the Southeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$). \$300.

(6) Addition to Father Hennepin State Memorial Wayside in Mille Lacs County, approximately 28.4 acres, described as follows:

All of Government Lot one (1), Section three (3), Township Forty-two (42) North, Range twenty-five (25) West, in Mille Lacs County, Minnesota. \$5,200

(7) Addition to Klein Woods State Park in Jackson

County, approximately 15.0 acres, described as follows:

Acquire 15.0 acres more or less in the Southeast one-quarter (1/4) of the Northwest one-quarter of Section seventeen (17), Township one hundred and three (103) North, Range thirty-five (35) West in Jackson County, Minnesota to wit:

The Northeast portion of said quarter, quarter section bounded by a line commencing from a point 993 feet west of the Northeast corner to the Southeast corner. \$900

Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated the sum of \$22,950 to be used by the commissioner of conservation or as much thereof, as is necessary to carry out the provision of this act.

Approved April 22, 1955.

CHAPTER 684—S. F. No. 1264 [Coded]

An act relating to municipal housing and redevelopment authorities, providing for the coverage of employees thereof under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act, is amended.

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

- Section 1. [269.11] Definitions. Subdivision 1. For the purposes of this act the terms defined in this section shall have the meanings ascribed to them herein.
- Subd. 2. The term "enabling act" means the act entitled "An act to provide for the coverage of certain officers and employees of the state and local governments under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of title II of the Federal Social Security Act, as amended, and appropriating money therefor."
- Subd. 3. The terms "social security act," "state agency," "wages," "contribution fund," and "Federal Insurance Contributions Act" mean as defined in said "enabling act".
- Subd. 4. The term "employee" includes all employees of Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authorities.
- Sec. 2. [269.12] Agreements. The state agency, with the approval of the governor, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, or to modify any such agreement previously made to obtain the benefits of the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance system in respect to services performed by employees of all Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authorities organized and existing under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, sections 462.415 to 462.711.
- Sec. 3. [269.13] Employees, contributions. Subdivision 1. Effective retroactively with respect to services performed after December 31, 1954, by its employees who are such on the date of the agreement or modification, each and every Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority shall pay into the contribution fund contributions with respect to wages as defined in section 1 of this act equal to the sum of the taxes which would be imposed by the Federal Insurance Contribution Act if the services covered by the agreement constituted employment within the meaning of that act:
- Subd. 2. Effective retroactively with respect to services performed after December 31, 1954, by its employees who are such on the date of the agreement or modification, each and every Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority is authorized, in consideration of the employee's retention in, or entry upon, employment after enactment of this act, to impose upon each such employee a contribution with respect to his wages (as defined in section 1 of this act), not exceeding the amount of the employee tax which would be imposed by the Federal Insurance Contribution Act if such services constituted employment within the meaning of that act, and to deduct the amount of such contribution from his wages as and when paid.

Contributions so collected shall be paid into the Contribution Fund in partial discharge of the liability of each and every Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority in respect thereto. Failure to deduct such contribution shall not relieve the employee or the Muncipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority of liability therefor.

- Subd. 3. Delinquent payments due under this section, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, may be recovered by action in a court of competent jurisdiction against each and every Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority liable therefor or may, at the request of the state agency, be deducted from any other moneys payable to such Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority by any department or agency of the state.
- Sec. 4. [269.14] Reimbursement by Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority. Each and every Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority shall reimburse the state agency for its pro rata share of the cost of the administration of said agency in accordance with the rules and regulations of the state agency pertaining thereto. Such reimbursements shall be paid into the state agency revolving fund.
- Sec. 5. [269.15] Reports. Each and every Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Authority shall make such reports in such form and containing such information as the state agency may from time to time require, and comply with such provisions as the state agency or the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare may from time to time find necessary to assure the correctness and verification of such reports.
- Sec. 6. [269.16] Costs defrayed from proceeds of special benefit taxes. The proceeds of the special benefit taxes authorized to be levied for redevelopment purposes under section 462.545, Subd. 6, may be used to defray all or part of the costs incurred by any housing and redevelopment authority under the provisions of this act.

Approved April 22, 1955.

CHAPTER 685-S. F. No. 1341

An act relating to Port Authority Commissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Sections 458.09, 458.10, 458.14, 458.17, and 458.18.

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