

salary of the county auditor shall be \$6,200 per year, and the salaries of the sheriff, county attorney, superintendent of schools, county treasurer, judge of probate, register of deeds, and the clerk of district court shall be \$7,200 per year.

Sec. 2. This act shall be effective from and after July 1, 1957.

Approved April 26, 1957.

CHAPTER 685—H. F. No. 1846

[Not Coded]

An act granting to cities of the first class certain powers relative to bonding for flood control.

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

Section 1. **Flood control, bonds, indebtedness.** Any city of the first class is authorized and empowered to borrow a sum not to exceed \$700,000 for the purpose of matching funds allocated by the United States Government for the purpose of flood control in such city, and for that purpose to issue and sell, from time to time, and without submitting the question of the issuance of the same to a vote of the people, the bonds of said city in the sum and amount of \$700,000, or such part thereof as shall be deemed necessary; to secure the payment of such bonds by pledging the full faith and credit of such city therefor. Such bonds shall be in such form and bear interest at such rate as the council of such city may prescribe, and shall be sold by the council of such city to the highest bidder therefor after at least two weeks published notice of the time and place for receiving bids. Said bonds shall be issued to mature serially, the first installment of which shall become due and payable in not more than three years and the last of which shall become due and payable in not more than thirty years from the date of their issue. The proceeds received from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited by the city in a fund to be designated as "Flood Control Project Fund" and the moneys shall be disbursed therefrom for the purpose aforesaid in the same manner as other funds of the city are disbursed, but only for the purpose herein expressed. The amount of such bonds from time to time outstanding shall not be considered in determining the net indebtedness of said city for the purpose of borrowing money or other purposes and the amount of such bonds or certificates of indebtedness shall be excluded in determining the debt limit of the city.

Sec. 2. Receipts and expenditures. The receipt and expenditure of any moneys hereunder shall not be included within the definition of any limitation imposed on taxing or spending by the charter of such city.

Approved April 26, 1957.

CHAPTER 686—H. F. No. 1910

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the commissioner of taxation to convey to the city of Gilbert certain tax forfeited property.

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

Section 1. City of Gilbert, conveyance to. The commissioner of taxation is hereby authorized and directed to convey on behalf of and in the name of the state of Minnesota to the city of Gilbert, by quit claim deed the following described tax forfeited property, to-wit:

Lots six (6) to ten (10), inclusive, block fifty-eight (58), lots one (1) to nineteen (19) inclusive, block sixty-two (62), lots one (1) to twenty (20), inclusive, block sixty-four (64), lots eleven (11) to twenty (20) inclusive, block sixty-five (65), and lots one (1) to eighteen (18) inclusive, block sixty-eight (68), all in the second addition to the city of Gilbert, St. Louis County, Minnesota, according to the recorded plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county, except all minerals and mineral rights which are hereby reserved to the state of Minnesota in trust for the taxing districts.

Approved April 26, 1957.

CHAPTER 687—H. F. No. 2035

[Not Coded]

An act relating to police pensions in certain cities, providing a pension fund and authorizing a levy of taxes therefor.

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

Section 1. Tax levy, police pensions. In any city of the fourth class having a population of not less than 2400 and