

ample time so as to minimize any inconvenience to the traveling public.

Approved April 20, 1961.

CHAPTER 654—H. F. No. 1399

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the town of Woodbury in Washington county to accept, own, purchase, construct, and operate public water and sewer systems and to issue bonds for water and sewer purposes, pledging therefor the revenues of both or either such systems.

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

Section 1. Woodbury, town of; water and sewer system. The town board of supervisors of the town of Woodbury in the county of Washington is hereby authorized to permit use of its roads, streets, and public grounds for water mains, with all necessary pipe, hydrants, and other appliances and means, without authorization by the electors of the town. Any such permission heretofore granted by said board is hereby confirmed, ratified, and validated.

Sec. 2. Said board is hereby further authorized to accept a gift to the town of any water mains, sewers, and appurtenances heretofore or hereafter constructed within the town, and thereafter to operate and maintain the same as a public revenue-producing utility. The board shall have the power to make such alterations, repairs, and replacements as may be necessary for the efficient and economical operation of the utility and to construct extensions thereto and to impose reasonable rates and charges for the use and availability of water and sewer to the town and its inhabitants and any contiguous territory.

Sec. 3. All powers conferred by Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 444.075, on cities and villages, shall be held and possessed by said town, as well as all powers conferred on villages by Minnesota Statutes 1957, Sections 412.331 through 412.391, with respect to sewer and water systems and the establishment of a commission to operate either of such systems, or both.

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Sec. 4. Said board is hereby further authorized to pledge to the payment of said systems, improvements, operation, and maintenance thereof warrants to be issued under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, Chapter 429, for the purpose of acquiring land for and constructing one or more sewage treatment plants and trunk sewers and water systems, the net revenues to be derived from the water and/or sewer utility of the town. The board may issue such warrants for the purpose of paying its share of the cost of such a sewer and/or water improvement to be constructed in cooperation with an adjacent town. Such warrants shall be payable solely from such net revenues and the collections of special assessments for hook-up charges levied on account of the improvements financed by the warrants. Such warrants may be sold privately by the board, or pursuant to public advertisement in the manner set forth in Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 475.60.

Sec. 5. This act shall be effective only after it has been approved by a resolution adopted by a majority of the members of the board of supervisors of said town and a certified copy of said resolution filed in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Washington and upon compliance with Laws 1959, Chapter 368.

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CHAPTER 655—H. F. No. 1403

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An act relating to the issuance by the village of Edina in Hennepin county of bonds for recreational facilities and the pledge of revenues of such facilities and of the municipal liquor store or stores for the payment thereof.

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

Section 1. **Edina, village of; bonds for recreational facilities.** The village of Edina in the county of Hennepin is authorized, in the manner and subject to the conditions stated in this act, to pledge for the payment of general obligation bonds issued to finance the acquisition or betterment of municipal recreational facilities, and interest thereon, any defined portion or all of the revenues to be derived from the operation of such facilities and of any then existing recrea-

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