

Sec. 2. **Members; terms; appointment.** Said board shall consist of three members, ~~who~~ *two of whom* shall be residents and electors of the city during their term in office, ~~and shall be appointed by the mayor of the city, and the appointment confirmed by a majority vote of the governing body thereof, and the third member shall be an alderman of the city appointed by the mayor and shall hold office on the board for a term concurrent with his office as alderman. The *other two* members of the board shall hold office ~~for a period of six years from the time of their appointment, and shall serve without pay; provided, however, that the members of the first board shall be appointed for two, four and six years respectively as follows: One for a term of three years; the other for a term of five years; and the members of this board shall serve without pay.~~~~

Sec. 3. *Sections 1 and 2 shall be effective upon approval by a majority of the members of the governing body of the city of West St. Paul and upon compliance with Laws 1959, Chapter 368.*

Approved April 20, 1961.

CHAPTER 664—H. F. No. 1439

[Coded]

*An act relating to obscene materials; prohibiting certain acts in relation thereto; providing penalties; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 617.24, as amended.*

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

*statute*  
 Section 1. **[617.241] Obscene materials; distribution prohibited.** It is unlawful for any person knowingly to exhibit, sell, print, offer to sell, give away, circulate, publish, distribute, ~~or attempt to distribute~~ any obscene book, magazine, pamphlet, paper, writing, card, advertisement, circular, print, picture, photograph, motion picture film, play, image, instrument, ~~statute~~ drawing, or other article which is obscene. "Obscene" for the purpose of this section, is defined as follows: Whether to the average person, applying contemporary community standards, the dominant theme of the material taken as a whole appeals to prurient interests.

Any person violating any provision of this section shall

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be fined not less than \$20 nor more than \$100 for each offense.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 617.24, as amended by Laws 1959, Chapter 597, is repealed.

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CHAPTER 665—H. F. No. 1444

[Not Coded]

*An act authorizing the town of Grey Cloud Island 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. Grey Cloud Island, town of; water and sewer systems.** The town board of supervisors of the town of Grey Cloud Island 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

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