

iary axle and the axle to be relieved do not exceed the combined gross weight of 18,000 pounds, and the vehicle to which such temporary axle is attached meets the brake requirements of this section, need not be equipped with brakes; *and except, further, that brakes are not required on the front wheels of vehicles having three or more axles provided the brakes on the other wheels are adequate to stop the vehicle in accordance with the braking performance requirements of subdivision 5 of Section 169.67.*

Approved March 13, 1961.

CHAPTER 90—H. F. No. 63

An act relating to county farm bureau associations; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1957, Sections 22.44, 22.441, and 22.491.

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

Section 1. **Repealer.** Minnesota Statutes 1957, Sections 22.44, 22.441, and 22.491, are repealed.

Approved March 14, 1961.

CHAPTER 91—H. F. No. 89

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of Duluth, authorizing and empowering such city to provide, by resolution of the governing body thereof, for making and entering into such contracts, agreements or leases as such governing body may deem necessary or expedient for the purpose of entrusting the administration, control, direction, development, management and supervision of Fairmount park zoo to any zoological society organized as a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota.

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

Section 1. **Fairmount park zoo, control of.** In addition to all powers, privileges and immunities now or hereafter possessed by the city of Duluth under the charter thereof or under any statute or rule of law applicable to such city, and

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notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary contained in any such charter or statute, there is hereby conferred authority and power upon the city of Duluth to provide, by resolution of the governing body thereof, for making and entering into such contracts, agreements or leases as such governing body may deem necessary or expedient for the purpose of entrusting the administration, control, direction, development, management and supervision of Fairmount Park Zoo to any zoological society organized as a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of Minnesota.

Sec. 2. Agreement or lease. Subdivision 1. Effective date of agreement. No such contract, agreement or lease, or any amendment thereof, shall take effect or be of any force whatsoever unless the mayor of such city shall file with the governing body thereof a full, true and correct copy of the draft thereof with the city clerk at least three days before a regular meeting of the governing body of such city, and unless and until such draft shall have remained on file as a public document until the next succeeding regular meeting of such governing body, at which time the governing body shall, by resolution to be adopted as aforesaid, either approve or disapprove such draft. If the governing body shall approve the draft of any such contract, agreement or lease, as the case may be, it shall authorize the execution of a contract, agreement or lease, or any amendment thereof, in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in such draft. This approval by the governing body of any such draft shall not preclude the mayor from filing and presenting an amended or revised form thereof or from filing and presenting a new draft.

Subd. 2. Term of agreement. No contract, agreement or lease, or any amendment thereof, authorized by this act, shall be made and entered into by the city for a term of more than 20 years, and every such contract, agreement or lease shall reserve the right to the governing body of such city to terminate any such contract, agreement or lease at any time during the term thereof if such governing body shall determine by resolution that such termination would be in the public interest.

Subd. 3. Corporation may not dispose of property. Except with respect to the acquisition, purchase, barter or exchange of living creatures comprising or to comprise the zoological collection of the aforesaid Fairmount Park Zoo, no zoological society which may or shall be a party to any contract, agreement, lease or amendment thereof, as authorized

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by this act, shall have any authority or power whatsoever to dispose of, pledge, hypothecate or mortgage any of the personal property, equipment or real estate comprising Fairmount Park Zoo at any time during the life of any such contract, agreement or lease, or amendment thereof.

Subd. 4. Compliance with purchasing and zoning requirements. Except as otherwise expressly specified in Subdivision 3, of this section, the zoological society which shall become a party to any contract, agreement, lease, or amendment thereof, as authorized by this act, shall comply with all existing building and zoning regulations of such city; and in the expenditure of monies made available to such zoological society appropriated by the governing body of such city for zoo purposes, the society shall as nearly as may be practicable conform to established budgetary procedures of the city of Duluth.

Subd. 5. Corporation may not levy tax or pledge city credit. No contract, agreement, lease, or any amendment thereof, shall in any manner whatsoever allow or give authority to the zoological society therein named, or any officer or agent thereof, to pledge or bind the city's credit for any purpose whatsoever, nor shall the governing body of such city authorize such society to impose, levy or collect any fees, charges, or rates in the form or nature of an ad valorem tax; but this subdivision shall not be construed as prohibiting the governing body of such city from authorizing such society to grant to private persons concessions in such zoo for a period of time not exceeding three years for each concession if the terms thereof are first approved by the mayor of the city of Duluth, or the person occupying corresponding position in the event that such office shall be altered or abolished.

Sec. 3. Corporation to control zoo. Any contract, agreement or lease, or amendment thereof, when fully executed on behalf of the city of Duluth as the party of the one part and on behalf of the zoological society as the party of the other part, shall entrust to such zoological society the administration, control, direction, development, management and supervision of Fairmount Park Zoo, in trust, nevertheless, for the use and benefit of the city of Duluth and the inhabitants thereof, as detailed and specified in such contract, agreement, lease, or any amendment thereof.

Sec. 4. Effective date. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing

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body of the city of Duluth, and upon compliance with Laws 1959, Chapter 368.

Approved March 14, 1961.

CHAPTER 92—S. F. No. 112

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the compensation of the register of deeds and the registrar of titles of Lake county.

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

Section 1. Lake county, register of deeds, registrar of titles, salary. The board of county commissioners of Lake county shall fix the annual salary for the combined office of register of deeds and registrar of titles at not less than \$6,000, nor more than \$7,500.

Sec. 2. Fees. If the board of county commissioners of Lake county sets the salary of the combined office of register of deeds and registrar of titles as provided in section 1, then and at that time, all fees collected by the combined office of register of deeds and registrar of titles shall be paid to the county in the manner, and at the times prescribed by the county board. No such official shall then receive any such fees as additional compensation.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the board of county commissioners of Lake county in compliance with Laws 1959, Chapter 368.

Approved March 14, 1961.

CHAPTER 93—S. F. No. 288

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the salary of the county auditor and county treasurer in Freeborn county; amending Laws 1957, Chapter 314, Section 1.

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

Section 1. Laws 1957, Chapter 314, Section 1, is amended to read:

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