

to be on leave of absence during his tenure as administrative assistant and upon the termination of such service shall be returned to his permanent civil service classification. If no vacancy is available in his permanent civil service classified position, seniority shall prevail and the person most recently certified to such position shall be returned to the permanent civil service classification held by him prior to such certification.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the City of Minneapolis and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 645.021.

Approved May 2, 1963.

CHAPTER 446—S. F. No. 1364

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the county board of Kandiyohi county to construct buildings for the joint use of the city of Willmar and said county; to issue bonds of said county, and to enter into a contract with the city of Willmar relating to the use of said buildings.

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

Section 1. **Kandiyohi county; county-city buildings.** The county board of Kandiyohi county is authorized to construct a building or buildings for the joint use of the city of Willmar and the county of Kandiyohi and to issue the negotiable coupon general obligation bonds of the county for the purpose of providing money to pay the cost thereof when authorized to do so by vote of the people of the county in the manner provided by Minnesota Statutes, Section 375.20. The county board may enter into a contract with the city of Willmar relating to the use of said buildings and providing for the management thereof, the amount of annual or semiannual payments by the city of Willmar for rental of a portion of such buildings and the later separation of use of said buildings upon terms mutually agreeable to the city and to the county. Bonds as provided herein shall be issued, sold, and secured in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475.

Sec. 2. The only governmental units to which this act applies are the county of Kandiyohi and the city of Willmar and this act shall become effective when approved by resolutions adopted

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by a majority of the members of the county board of Kandiyohi county and the council of the city of Willmar and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 2, 1963.

CHAPTER 447—S. F. No. 1539

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the village of Keewatin; relating to the powers of the water, light, power, and building commission.

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

Section 1. **Keewatin, village of; utility commission.** The water, light, power, and building commission in the village of Keewatin shall have the powers expressed in this act in addition to those provided in Minnesota Statutes, Sections 453.01 to 453.14.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the said commission and it is hereby empowered to collect water, light, heat, power, gas, and rent charges from patrons, exclusive of the village, and pay the same into a fund to be known and designated as "Water and Light Fund." The said commission shall have exclusive control of said fund and of all collections made by said commission. It shall be the duty of the commission to have full, absolute, and exclusive control of the operation and management of the water, light, power, gas, and heating plants in said villages and to pay for the operation thereof out of the said water and light fund. The said commission shall, out of the said water and light fund purchase all necessary material and employ all necessary help in the general management, operation, and conduct of its business including extensions and additions to systems, provided, that this shall not restrict or extend the powers of the village and commission to provide replacements, additions, or extensions to these systems from other funds.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the said commission, on the first day of each month, to set aside into a "Reserve Fund" a sum equal to one twelfth of not less than one and one fourth percent of the replacement value of the fixed assets, which sum shall, in any event be equal to six percent of the gross receipts collected by the said commission during the preceding months. Said reserve fund shall be used by said commission only for the purpose of replacing or improving existing buildings, plants, systems, and stationary equipment for which the reserve is established and other equipment, in-

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