

CHAPTER 571—S. F. No. 1706

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An act relating to Steele county; providing for the repair of certain ditches therein and conferring certain powers and duties upon the board of county commissioners thereof.

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

Section 1. **Steele county; ditch repair.** Subdivision 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, whenever it appears to the board of county commissioners of Steele county that tile or open ditch forming a part of any ditch in the county is displaced and changed in usefulness and function for any reason and are ineffectual for the purpose for which they were laid, the county board is authorized to order the repair of the ditch; provided, that the cost thereof does not exceed \$5,000. The order of the board to make the repair is an order for ditch repair as defined by laws relating to drainage. If the board deems it best so to do, it may have such repair work done by day labor without advertising for bids or entering into a contract therefor.

Subd. 2. For the purposes of this act, in addition to the meaning ascribed to the word "repair" in Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 106.471, Subdivision 1, paragraph (a), the word "repair" includes placement and replacement of tile which have become or are ineffectual for the purpose for which they were laid, namely, drainage of surrounding lands according to their capacities, and the placement or replacement of said tile at a depth and in a situation which shall conform with original construction specifications.

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon its approval by a majority of the members of the board of county commissioners of Steele county and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 8, 1963.

CHAPTER 572—S. F. No. 1707

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An act relating to Steele county; providing for certain buildings upon certain county fair grounds; the payment of the cost of construction thereof; the levying of taxes to provide moneys for the cost thereof; and the issuance and sale of tax anticipation warrants in anticipation of the collection of taxes herein provided for.

Changes or additions indicated by italics, deletions by strikeout.