

if any, as shown by the records of the State Registrar of Motor Vehicles, notice of its possession and intent to dispose of said motor vehicle. For the purpose of this act the definition of motor vehicle shall be the same as that set forth in Section 169.01. Such ordinance shall provide for the sale of such motor vehicle to the highest bidder at public auction or sale, following reasonable published notice thereof. No such sale shall be conducted until such motor vehicle has been in possession of the city for a period of not less than 30 days after the mailing of notice to the registered owner, if any, as provided by this section. Consistent with other applicable statutory or charter provisions such ordinance shall designate the fund of the city into which the net proceeds of any such sale shall be placed. The net proceeds shall be the sale price less any costs of handling, storing, or sale of such vehicle. Any such net proceeds shall be paid over to the former owner of the motor vehicle upon application and satisfactory proof of ownership within six months of the sale or such longer period as provided by ordinance.

Sec. 2. [436.07] [Subd. 2.] The authority provided by this act shall be in addition to the power of a city of the first class to act pursuant to any other statutory or charter authority.

Approved April 21, 1967.

CHAPTER 227—S. F. No. 1514

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the town of South Bend in Blue Earth county; authorizing it to contract with the United States for the control of floods and to acquire property for such purpose.

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

Section 1. **South Bend, town of; flood control.** The town of South Bend in Blue Earth county may enter into an agreement with the United States, through its secretary of the army, or other authorized officer, for the improvement of the Minnesota and Blue Earth rivers at and in the vicinity of said town for flood control, by the construction of a dike, levee, and flood wall systems and appurtenant works. Said town is authorized to:

(a) Provide, without cost to the United States, all land, easements, and rights of way necessary for the construction of the project;

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(b) Hold and save the United States free from damages due to the construction works;

(c) Maintain and operate all of the works after completion in accordance with regulations prescribed by the secretary of the army;

(d) Make, at its own expense, all necessary changes to buildings, highway bridges and approaches, utilities, and related and special facilities; and

(e) Prevent encroachments which would reduce the flood carrying capacity of the existing channel of the Minnesota and Blue Earth rivers within the project limits by, among other things, enjoining or abating the same by action to be brought in the district court.

Sec. 2. Said town may acquire by purchase, gift, devise or condemnation all lands, easements and rights of way deemed necessary by the town board of said town for such improvement for flood control. In acquiring property for such purpose by exercising the power of eminent domain, the town may proceed under Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 117, and shall have all rights of possession and entry conferred in other cases of condemnation by Minnesota Statutes, Section 117.20, Subdivision 7.

Sec. 3. Said town may expend any moneys of the town for the purpose of financing its share of the cost of such flood control improvement under such agreement.

Sec. 4. This act shall become effective upon its approval by a resolution adopted by a majority of the members of the town board of said town, and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 21, 1967.

CHAPTER 228—H. F. No. 829

An act relating to voluntary nonprofit medical service plan corporations; providing for optometric services; amending Minnesota Statutes 1965, Sections 159.02, 159.03, 159.07, 159.08, 159.09, and 159.12.

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

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