

the land or water. Upon such cancellation, which shall be only after reasonable notice to the licensee, all rights granted by the license shall be vested in the state and may be granted again by the commissioner on the terms and conditions he may prescribe, but subject to cancellation for the same reasons or causes as they might have been originally canceled unless ownership of the fee and of the license are merged. Any license granted before April 13, 1951, may be governed by it if the licensee and commissioner so agree. Reasonable notice as used in this subdivision means a 90 day written notice addressed to the record owner of the license at the last known address, and upon cancellation the commissioner may grant extensions of time to vacate the premises affected.

Sec. 3. *Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 84.415, Subdivision 2, is repealed.*

Approved May 17, 1967.

CHAPTER 537—H. F. No. 1954

[Not Coded]

An act relating to civil service in Ramsey county; amending Laws 1941, Chapter 513, Section 6, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1941, Chapter 513, Section 6, as amended by Laws 1943, Chapter 259, Section 2, Laws 1947, Chapter 301, Section 1, Laws 1947, Chapter 525, Section 1, Laws 1951, Chapter 358, Section 1, Laws 1955, Chapter 355, Section 1, and Laws 1955, Chapter 629, Section 3, is amended to read:

Sec. 6. **Ramsey county; civil service.** The officers and employees of such county and of any county or joint county and city agency, board, commission or committee heretofore or hereafter created, supported in whole or in part by taxation upon the taxable property of such county, or appointed by the judges of the district court or probate court for such county, or by any board or agency composed of representatives of the county and any city in such county, including the county welfare board employees employed in hospitals, preventoria, and county homes, are hereby divided into the unclassified and classified service.

The unclassified service shall comprise:

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(a) All officers elected by popular vote or persons appointed to fill vacancies in such offices.

(b) Judges, receivers, referees, examiner and assistant examiner of titles, public defender, arbiters, jurors, judges, and clerks of election, notaries public, clerk of probate court and persons appointed by the district or probate courts to make or conduct any special inquiry of a judicial and temporary character.

(c) The superintendent or principal administrative officer of any separate department of county government or agency which is now or hereafter created by law and the superintendent, assistant superintendent or principal administrative officer or director of any institution under the county welfare board and any employees thereof who are under the Minnesota County Welfare Merit System.

(d) Members of the teaching staff, and supervisors and principals in the employ of the county, providing they are actually engaged in teaching or the supervision of teaching.

(e) Members of non-paid boards or commissions appointed by the county board or county board and city or acting in an advisory capacity; attorneys, weed inspectors, or other employees by the county board for a limited period of time; and all employees engaged to operate or care for any improved or unimproved property forfeited to the state for non-payment of taxes exclusive of those employed in the office of the land commissioner.

(f) One chief deputy or principal assistant for each elected public official: *and for the county engineer.*

(g) Doctors, interns, and student nurses or intern dieticians employed by the county or any county agency, or any institution under the county welfare board.

(h) Special police officers or special deputy sheriffs serving without pay.

(i) District court and probate court reporters, and officers and employees of county probation offices, county boys' farms, and county girls' schools.

(j) Assistant county attorneys, or special investigators in the employ of the county attorney.

(k) The veterans' service officer and his chief deputy.

The classified service shall include all other offices or employ-

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ments now existing or hereafter created in said counties and county agencies, and all officers and employees not expressly placed in the unclassified service by the terms of this act, notwithstanding any other provisions in any existing law to the contrary. It shall include officers and employees of such county agencies, if the funds for such agencies are provided in whole or in part by such county. For the purpose of clarity it shall include officers, except as excluded in subdivision (c) of section 6 above, and employees of joint city hall and court house committees and all other agencies supported and controlled in whole or in part by the said counties, or jointly by said counties and any city of the first class located therein. All employees in the classified service shall be placed in a graded division unless the county board establish an ungraded division. The ungraded division, if one is established, shall include all employees in the construction trades who are engaged in the work of repair, alteration or construction of buildings for which trades there is a generally established and recognized scale of wages within the county. The graded division shall include all other employees in the classified service.

Any permanent employee of the county welfare board who, on the effective date of this act, is holding a position which is placed in the classified service under the provisions of this act shall be subject to and protected by the provisions of this act except that the provisions of section 4, subsection (a) (13) of Chapter 513, Laws of 1941, shall not be applicable to positions under the county welfare board. All other county welfare board employees in positions in the classified service shall be subject to and protected by this act and said chapter 513, as amended, subject to a general classification pursuant to 5 (e) of said chapter 513. Employees who have not been in the service of the county welfare board for a period of six months or more immediately preceding the date when this act becomes effective as to such employees shall be on probation until they have served six months as employees.

If any joint county or city agency, including boards, commissions or committees, is hereafter established by statute or created pursuant to statute, which would eliminate the position or employment of any person employed under civil service by either such city or such county, such employee shall become an employee of said newly created agency and within the classified service of the county as herein defined. The compensation, seniority, vacation or sick-leave rights or any other rights of such employee shall not be diminished thereby.

Sec. 2. *This act shall take effect upon its approval by the*

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board of county commissioners of Ramsey county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 17, 1967.

CHAPTER 538—H. F. No. 1956

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of Mankato, authorizing it to contract with the United States for the control of floods, to acquire property for such purpose, and to issue bonds to pay the city's share of the cost.

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

Section 1. Mankato, city of; flood control. The city of Mankato 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 city for flood control, by the construction of dikes and appurtenant works. Said city 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;

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

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

(d) make at the city's own expense all necessary changes to utilities, highways, and highway bridges including approaches;

(e) prescribe and enforce regulations for prevention of encroachment on ponding areas and on the improved river channel;

(f) make available for use in the federal project, without cost to the United States, the three 8,000 gallon per minute pumps in the existing Indian Creed pumping station;

(g) remove at the city's own expense the remaining portion of the concrete dam near the mouth of Blue Earth river; and

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