

Sec. 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the board of county commissioners of Stearns county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 24, 1967.

CHAPTER 749—H. F. No. 2275

[Not Coded]

An act appropriating moneys for the acquisition of a dam site, flowage easements and lands for wildlife and recreational purposes in the county of St. Louis.

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

Section 1. **Sturgeon River dam; appropriation.** The commissioner of conservation may acquire a dam site, flowage easements and lands for recreational and wildlife purposes by gift or purchase at or near a point where the Sturgeon River and the Shannon River join in the Northeast quarter of Section 25, Township 60 North, Range 21 West. A dam shall be constructed on such site together with such other necessary construction to use the lands acquired suitably for recreational and wildlife purposes.

Sec. 2. In order to provide funds for the purposes expressed in section 1, the sums of money hereinafter set forth are hereby appropriated to the commissioner of conservation:

From the game and fish fund in the state treasury, \$15,000;

From the moneys in the state treasury appropriated to the office of the commissioner of Iron Range resources and rehabilitation, \$10,000;

Sec. 3. This act is in force and effect on July 1, 1967.

Approved May 24, 1967.

CHAPTER 750—H. F. No. 2288

[Not Coded]

An act relating to education; authorizing the county of Ramsey to appropriate money for educational, scientific and artistic purposes; amending Laws 1961, Chapter 583, Section 1.

Changes or additions indicated by italics, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.

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

Section 1. Laws 1961, Chapter 583, Section 1 is amended to read:

Section 1. **Ramsey county; arts and sciences.** The County Board of Ramsey county is authorized and empowered to levy a tax and to appropriate an amount ~~not to exceed \$25,000.00 per annum~~ *not to exceed \$50,000 per annum* for the purpose of supporting educational, artistic and scientific interests within the county of Ramsey. Such appropriation and expenditure shall be made subject to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 2. *This act shall take effect upon its approval by the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.*

Approved May 24, 1967.

CHAPTER 751—H. F. No. 2292

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of West St. Paul; regulating the financing and pensions of the policemen's relief association of that city.

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

Section 1. **West St. Paul, city of; policemen's relief.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, Section 423.377, in the city of West St. Paul, if the tax provided by Minnesota Statutes, Section 423.376 is levied, the officer charged with the responsibility of the city's finances shall, each month, deduct from the salary of each policeman six percent of the regular salary of a top grade patrolman for the purposes of the policemen's relief association. The sum deducted shall in other respects be treated in accordance with Section 423.377. The tax levy provided by Minnesota Statutes, 423.376, shall not be reduced by reason of the balance in the special fund exceeding \$150,000.

Sec. 2. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, Section 423.384, the service pension of a member of the policemen's relief association of the city of West St. Paul who is qualified for a pension in accordance with Section 423.384 shall be one-half of the regular salary of a top grade patrolman at the time the member retires.

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