

the place where the plans and specifications are on file, and the time and place of receiving bids and awarding the contract.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 375.21, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

375.21 Contracts of county boards. Subdivision 1. No contract for work or labor, or for the purchase of furniture, fixtures, or other property, or for the construction or repair of roads, bridges, or buildings, the estimated cost or value of which exceeds ~~\$2,500~~ \$3,500, shall be made by a county board without first advertising for bids or proposals in some newspaper of the county. If, for the purchase of property or for work and labor, two weeks published notice that proposals will be received, stating the time and place, shall be given. If, for the construction or repair of roads, bridges, or buildings, three weeks published notice shall be given. The notice shall state the time and place of awarding the contract and contain a brief description of the work. Every such contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder and duly executed in writing, and the person to whom the same is awarded shall give a sufficient bond to the board for its faithful performance. If no satisfactory bid is received, the board may readvertise. Every contract made without compliance with the provisions of this section shall be void. In case of the destruction of roads or bridges by floods or other casualty, or of unforeseen injuries to machinery in or connected with public buildings, where the public interests would suffer by delay, contracts for repairs may be made without advertising for bids.

Approved May 24, 1969.

CHAPTER 614—S. F. No. 1567

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the firemen's relief association in the city of Faribault; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 43, Section 12, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 43, Section 12, as amended by Laws 1949, Chapter 154, Section 2, Laws 1951, Chapter 43, Section 1, Laws 1957, Chapter 36, Section 2, Laws 1961, Chapter 443, Section 2, and Laws 1967, Chapter 807, Section 1, is amended to read:

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Sec. 12. Faribault, city of; firemen's relief association; tax levies, payments. The governing body of the city of Faribault shall each year at the time all tax levies for the support of the city are made and in addition thereto levy a tax of ~~two~~ *three* mills on all taxable property within said city. The tax so levied shall be transmitted with other tax levies to the auditor of the county in which such city is located and by said county shall be collected and payment thereof enforced when and in like manner as state and county taxes are paid. In addition thereto and only if such tax is levied the city treasurer, finance commissioner or other officer charged with the responsibility of the city's finances, shall each month deduct the sum of six percent from the basic monthly pay of all firemen and transfer the total thereof to the treasurer of the special fund of the fireman's relief association, who shall credit said total to the special fund and to the credit of the individual fireman. If a fireman in such city is separated from the service under such circumstances that no pension benefits are payable to him or his widow or children, the treasurer of the special fund shall return to the fireman or to his immediate family in the event such separation is due to his death, all of the amounts so deducted from his base pay, without interest and less the amount of any disability or other benefits theretofore paid such fireman.

Sec. 2. No provision of this act shall be construed as reducing the amount or rate of contribution to the association by the municipality or a member of the association from such minimum contributions as are prescribed by the Police and Firemen's Relief Associations Guidelines Act of 1969. Notwithstanding the provisions of this or any other act, the association and the municipality and the officers of each are authorized to do all things required by the Guidelines Act as conditions for the contribution of public funds or the levy of taxes for the support of the association.

Sec. 3. This act is effective upon its approval by the governing body of the city of Faribault and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 24, 1969.

CHAPTER 615—S. F. No. 1903

An act relating to the charge for expenses for providing jail facilities for prisoners from another county; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 641.13.

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

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