Since the land, which has about 100 feet of lake frontage, forfeited to the state in 1985, the buildings on the property have deteriorated, been vandalized, and decreased in value. The county has no use for the property and finds that it would be put to better use following sale.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.
Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.
Presented to the governor April 14, 1989
Signed by the governor April 17, 1989, 5:07 p.m.

## CHAPTER 39-S.F.No. 831

An act relating to local government; permitting local government appropriations for the arts; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 471.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

## Section 1. [471.941] APPROPRIATION FOR ARTISTIC ACTIVITIES.

For the purposes of this section, "artistic organization" means an association, corporation, or other group of persons that provides an opportunity for persons to participate in the creation, performance, or appreciation of artistic activities which include but are not limited to: music, dance, drama, folk art, architecture and allied fields, painting, sculpture, photography, graphic and craft arts, costume and fashion design, motion pictures, television, radio, tape and sound records, activities related to the presentation, performance, execution, and exhibition of the art forms, and the study of the arts and their application to the human environment.

A county, statutory or home rule charter city, or town may appropriate money to support artistic organizations. The appropriation may be divided among organizations in the proportions that the county board, city council, or town board determines.

Presented to the governor April 14, 1989
Signed by the governor April 17, 1989, 5:10 p.m.

