

receptacles, display cases, marquees, awnings, canopies, overhead or underground radiant heating devices, walls, barriers, and all such other fixtures, equipment, facilities, and appurtenances as will in the council's judgment enhance the free movement, safety, convenience, and enjoyment of pedestrians and benefit the adjoining properties and the central business district and the city. Sidewalks may be constructed of concrete, bricks, asphalt tiles, blocks, granite sets, or such other materials or combinations of materials as the council may approve. The council may in its discretion narrow any roadway to be kept and maintained in the mall, may cause any street vaults to be reconstructed or removed, may construct crosswalks at any point within or at the ends of blocks, and may cause any roadway to curve and meander within the limits of the street, if deemed desirable to enhance the usefulness or appearance of the mall, regardless of any nonuniformity of street widths or any curve or absence of curve in the center line of the street.

Sec. 5. RETENTION BY CITY OF POWERS AND RIGHTS.

Notwithstanding the establishment of a mall or the improvement of any street or any portion of a street as a part of such mall, or any limitation of the use thereof by private vehicles, the city and the city council shall retain at all times their police powers and other powers and rights pertaining to such street, and no such action shall be interpreted as a vacation, in whole or in part, of any portion of a city street. It is the intent of this act that the establishment of a mall is a matter of regulation only. Nothing herein shall prevent the city and its council, at any time, from abandoning the maintenance and regulation of a mall, or from reducing its extent, or from changing or repealing any limitations upon its use, or any plan, rules, or regulations governing such use. A street may be eliminated from the mall by amendment of the ordinance referred to in section 1. A street or portion thereof may be added to the mall by adoption of an ordinance upon hearing as required in section 1.

Sec. 6. This act takes effect when approved by the governing body of the city of St. Cloud, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 29, 1971.

CHAPTER 186—H.F.No.116

An act relating to the juvenile court; change or termination of guardianship; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 260.245.

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

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 260.245, is amended to read:

260.245 JUVENILE COURT; CHANGE OR TERMINATION OF GUARDIANSHIP. Upon its own motion or upon petition of an interested party, the juvenile court having jurisdiction of the child may, after notice to the parties and a hearing, remove the guardian appointed by the juvenile court and appoint a new guardian in accordance with the provisions of section 260.241, subdivision 1(a), (b), or (c). Upon a showing that the child is emancipated, the court may discharge the guardianship. Any child 14 years of age or older who is not adopted but who is placed in a satisfactory foster home, may, with the consent of the foster parents, join with the guardian appointed by the juvenile court in a petition to the court having jurisdiction of the child to discharge the existing guardian and appoint the foster parents as guardians of the child. The authority of a guardian appointed by the juvenile court terminates when the individual under guardianship is no longer a minor or when guardianship is otherwise discharged.

Approved April 30, 1971.

CHAPTER 187—H.F.No.687

An act relating to township mutual insurance companies; prescribing insurable property; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 67A.14, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 67A.14, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. INSURANCE; TOWNSHIP MUTUAL INSURANCE; INSURABLE PROPERTY IN CITIES OR VILLAGES. They may also insure churches and dwellings, together with the usual outbuildings and the usual contents of both those dwellings and churches and outbuildings, in any city, village, and borough of ~~2,750~~ 7,000 or less inhabitants.

Approved April 30, 1971.

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