

Sec. 2. Each person who wishes to file as a candidate in the election for which provision is made in section 1 shall submit to the county auditor his affidavit for candidacy. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this act, the special election shall be held in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1965, Chapter 203. The candidate who receives a plurality of the votes cast in the special election shall be certified the winner.

Sec. 3. A vacancy in a seat on a board of county commissioners which occurs not more than six months before the general election in which a commissioner will next be selected to occupy the seat shall be filled at the general election.

Sec. 4. A person elected to the office of commissioner pursuant to the provisions of this act shall hold office for the unexpired term of his predecessor.

Sec. 5. This act shall become effective upon its approval by the board of commissioners of Hennepin county and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 24, 1967.

CHAPTER 720—S. F. No. 1125

An act relating to aeronautics; providing for the transfer of air navigation facilities from the state of Minnesota to the United States, a political subdivision of the state or to private owners of airports licensed for public use; amending Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 360.023.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 360.023, is amended to read:

360.023 Aeronautics; transfer of air navigation facilities. The commissioner of aeronautics of the state of Minnesota, with the approval of the governor, is hereby granted authority to transfer and assign to the United States government or, to any political subdivisions of the state of Minnesota *or to loan to private owners of airports licensed for public use* all or any part of ~~such~~ radio air navigation facilities *or other air navigation facilities* along with shelters, repair parts, and supplies used in connection therewith, as are now or hereafter owned by the state of Minnesota; ~~and as are also now or here-~~

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~~after maintained, repaired, operated, and used by its department of aeronautics.~~

The commissioner of aeronautics, with the approval of the governor, is authorized to make such *loan*, transfer and assignment here-in upon the conditions that, and so long as, the United States government, or the political subdivision, *or the private owner of an airport*, as the case may be, will undertake the duty to, and does, maintain, repair, operate, and use such air navigation facilities ~~within the boundaries of the state of Minnesota~~ for the benefit of the public of the state. *The commissioner may set additional conditions on a transfer of air navigation facilities.*

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CHAPTER 721—S. F. No. 1135

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the acquisition of property and the levy of taxes for the purposes of the Hennepin county park reserve district.

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

Section 1. **Hennepin county; park reserve district.** Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 398.09, the board of park district commissioners of the Hennepin county park reserve district, before acquiring by purchase or condemnation real estate located within the boundaries of any organized town in Hennepin county, other than real estate located within an area designated for development of a park in the most recent revised plan which has been prepared by the district in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 398.19, and is on file on the effective date of this act with the state department of parks, shall secure the consent of the town board of such town to such acquisition, by resolution duly adopted by such board.

Sec. 2. To provide funds for the purposes of the Hennepin county park reserve district as set forth in its annual budget, in lieu of the levies authorized by any other general or special law for such purposes, the board of county commissioners of Hennepin county upon approval of each annual budget may levy taxes on all the taxable property in the county and park district at a rate not exceeding .40 mill on the assessed valuation thereof.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective, if local consent is re-

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