

CHAPTER XCIX.

March 6, 1869.

An Act to appropriate money to aid the County of Goodhue in the construction of a Bridge across the Cannon River in said County.

- SECTION 1.** Appropriation from the Internal Improvement Fund for the erection of a bridge across Cannon River—in what amount—to be a free bridge.
2. To be built under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners—when appropriation may be drawn.
 3. Committee appointed to inspect said bridge upon its completion, to examine all contracts, vouchers and accounts—further duties.
 4. When State Auditor shall draw his order for moneys belonging to said fund—in what amount.
 5. When act to take effect.

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

For erection of
free bridge.

SECTION 1. That the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury belonging to the internal improvement fund, or out of the first moneys which shall come into the treasury belonging to said fund not otherwise appropriated, to aid the county of Goodhue in building a substantial bridge across the Cannon river, in the town of Burnside, in said county of Goodhue, but the cost of appropriation shall not extend beyond one-half of the construction of said bridge; the other half to be paid for by said county of Goodhue. And said bridge when erected shall be kept in repair by said county, and be forever free from tolls.

To be built under
whose direction—when
money may be
drawn.

SEC. 2. That said bridge shall be built under the direction of the board of county commissioners of said Goodhue county, and no part of said appropriation shall be paid out of the state treasury until said bridge shall be completed and ready for travel.

SEC. 3. That S. J. Willard, J. A. Thorbee, and F. M. Crosby, are hereby appointed a committee on the part of the state, to run said bridge when completed, and examine all contracts, vouchers and accounts respecting its construction, and the cost thereof, and to ascertain, compute and fix upon the cost of building said bridge, and make a report of such costs to the state auditor, any two of said committee may act in the premises.

Duty of Committee.

SEC. 4. That upon the receipt of said report by the state auditor, he shall, upon the demand of the county treasurer of said Goodhue county, draw his order or orders in favor of said county treasurer, on the state treasurer for moneys belonging to said fund, to the amount of one-half of the cost of building of said bridge as reported by said committee, in case the entire cost shall not exceed sixteen thousand dollars, but if such entire cost shall exceed sixteen thousand dollars, then such orders shall only be drawn for the sum of eight thousand dollars, and the state treasurer shall pay over such moneys to said county treasurer upon said orders, and such moneys shall be disbursed by said county treasurer upon the orders of said board of county commissioners, towards paying off the cost of the construction of said bridge.

When State Auditor to draw order—in what amount.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

When act to take effect.

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