

CHAPTER CCXVI.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO USE SURPLUS REVENUE TO BUILD OR REPAIR A JAIL FOR THE USE OF THE COUNTY OF McLEOD.

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

SECTION. 1. The board of county commissioners of the county of McLeod are hereby authorized and empowered to use the surplus money and securities belonging to the revenue fund of said county not needed for revenue purposes, to repair or build a jail for the use of said county.

Provided, That the total amount shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

Provided further, No funds shall be appropriated under the provisions of this act, unless the proposition therefor shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of said McLeod county, at the next general election held therein, and a majority of the electors present and voting shall vote in favor of said proposition. The ballots used at said election by those voting for said proposition, shall have written or printed or partly written and partly printed thereon the words, "use county revenue funds to build a jail—yes." And by those voting against said proposition shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed thereon the words "use county revenue funds to build a jail—no." Said votes shall be canvassed in the same manner by the same persons, and at the same time as the votes for county officers are canvassed.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 6, 1879.