

Cottage Grove shall, within one (1) year from the passage and approval of this act, resubmit the said proposition to the legal voters of said town, at an election to be called for that purpose, and to be conducted as required by law. The ballots used at such election shall have written or printed on them, or partly written and partly printed, the words, "In favor of Mississippi river bridge bonds —Yes," which ballots shall be construed to be in favor of the issuing of said bonds; or, "In favor of Mississippi river bridge bonds —No," which ballots shall be construed to be against the issue of said bonds.

If a majority of the legal voters voting on said proposition at either of said elections shall be in favor of said proposition, said bonds shall be issued and shall be valid and lawful to all intents and purposes whatever.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 11, 1891.

CHAPTER 473.

[S. F. No. 484.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF DENMARK, IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA, TO ISSUE BONDS TO AID IN BUILDING A BRIDGE ACROSS THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER BETWEEN THE CITY OF HASTINGS, DAKOTA COUNTY, MINNESOTA, AND THE SAID TOWN OF DENMARK.

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

SECTION 1. That the board of supervisors of the town of Denmark, in the county of Washington and state of Minnesota, is hereby authorized and empowered to issue the bonds of said town, when authorized by the vote of electors of said town as hereinafter provided, to the amount of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, for the purpose of aiding in the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi river between the city of Hastings and said town of Denmark.

SEC. 2. Said bonds shall be issued in sums of not less than one hundred (100), nor more than one thousand (1,000) dollars each, with interest coupons attached, and shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed six (6) per cent per annum, payable annually, at such time or times, not less than one (1) or more than six (6) years after the date of said bonds, and at such place as said supervisors shall provide. Said bonds and coupons shall be signed by the chairman of said supervisors and countersigned by the town clerk; said clerk shall keep in his office a record of all bonds so issued, showing the number, date and amount of such bonds and the name of each payee; said board of supervisors shall have authority to negotiate the sale of said bonds as the best interests of said town shall require; but neither said bonds or the proceeds thereof shall be used in any way, or for any purpose than that specified in section one (1) of this act.

SEC. 3. Said board of supervisors is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to provide for the payment, as the same shall become due, of the principal and interest of said bonds so issued, under the authority herein given, by the levying of taxes.

SEC. 4. Before said bonds shall be issued by said board of supervisors the proposition to issue the same shall be submitted to the legal voters of said town, within sixty (60) days after the passage of this act, at a special election called for that purpose, notice of which shall be given as provided by law for special town elections. In case of the rejection of said proposition or a failure to vote upon the same at said time, said board of supervisors is hereby authorized and directed to resubmit said proposition, at a special election to be called as required by law, at any time not exceeding one (1) year after said first election. Said elections shall be conducted at the same places and in the usual manner prescribed by law for town meetings. The ballots used in voting on said proposition shall have partly written and partly printed, or written or printed, on them the words, "For the issue of Mississippi river bridge bonds—Yes;" or, "For the issue of Mississippi river bridge bonds—No," on them. If a majority of the voters present and voting on said proposition at said election, or either of said elections, shall vote in favor of the issue of said bonds, the same shall be issued and said bonds shall be lawful and valid to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

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

Approved April 11, 1891.

CHAPTER 474.

[H. F. No. 1012.]

AN ACT TO FIX THE TIME OF MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, AND TO FURTHER DEFINE AND EXTEND THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF SAID BOARD AS TO CLERK HIRE.

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

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of Washington county shall meet, in addition to the times now prescribed by the general laws of this state, on the first (1st) Tuesday in March, the first (1st) Tuesday in May, the first (1st) Tuesday in September, and the third (3d) Tuesday in November of each year, at ten (10) o'clock A. M. of said days, to transact any and all business that may properly come before said board; such meeting, as well as all other regular meetings held according to law, shall continue until all business properly before such board shall be disposed of. The proceedings and all reports made at such meetings shall be published according to law.