

constructed; *provided, however*, that if any tunnel is constructed without obtaining such approval, the same shall be valid, unless the supervisors of the town in which the said tunnel is located, shall cause the same to be abated within one year from the time of the completion of the tunnel and any tunnel now constructed shall be valid when approved by the said supervisor of said town.

Construction
of tunnels
valid.

SEC. 3. All bridges over such tunnels shall be constructed of such material and built in such manner as to make travel over the same safe. If the supervisors of the town in which any such tunnel may be, deem the bridge insecure, or the tunnel not properly guarded, they shall have the right at any time within one year from the time of the construction of the same to cause the same to be put in proper and safe condition at the expense of the land owner, said expense to be the reasonable cost of putting the same in condition, and be certified by the town clerk to the county auditor, to be carried forward and assessed to the land to be paid in the same manner as road taxes are paid, and the tunnel outside of the bridge may, at any time the said supervisors deem the same out of repair, cause the same to be placed in repair and assess the reasonable cost of the same in like manner to the land.

Must be
properly
built.

Cost to be
reasonable.

Repair of
tunnels.

SEC. 4. After the bridge has been constructed and the same has been used for one year thereafter the town in which the same is located shall keep the same in repair.

Town to
keep in
repair.

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

Approved April 8, 1903.

CHAPTER 147.

S. F. No. 35.

An act to legalize the conveyance by county commissioners of real estate belonging to counties in this state.

Legalizes
sale of
real estate
by counties.

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

SECTION 1. That all sales, contracts for sale, and conveyances of real estate by any county in this state, heretofore made by the board of county commissioners of any such county, when the purchase price has been fully paid or secured, are hereby legalized, and the same

shall be, and hereby are in all things ratified and confirmed.

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

Approved April 8, 1903.

S. F. No. 72.

CHAPTER 148.

An act authorizing the board of county commissioners of any county in this state to sell and otherwise dispose of any property belonging to the county.

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

May sell property belonging to county.

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of any county in this state, at any regular or special meeting thereof by resolution may in its discretion, as the said board may deem most advantageous to the county, sell, convey, lease or otherwise dispose of any real or personal property belonging to the county, not in use by the county.

Executed in name of chairman of board.

SEC. 2. Every deed, conveyance, lease or other written instrument executed on the part of the county pursuant to section one of this act shall be executed in the name of the county by the chairman of the board of county commissioners of such county, and the county auditor of such county as clerk of said board.

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

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