

[360.0161] Section 1. **Federal aid; application for; disbursement of.** Subdivision 1. **"Municipality" defined.** As used in this act the word "municipality" has the meaning ascribed to it by Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 360.013, Subdivision 20.

Sec. 2. Subd. 2. **Approval of application.** No municipality in this state, whether acting alone or jointly with another municipality or with the state, shall submit to the administrator of civil aeronautics of the United States any project application under the provisions of Section 9 (a) of the Act of Congress approved May 13, 1946, being a Public Law 377, 79th Congress, known and hereinafter designated as the "Federal Airport Act," or any amendment thereof, unless the project and the project application have been first approved by the commissioner of aeronautics.

Sec. 3. Subd. 3. **Designated agent.** No such municipality shall directly accept, receive, receipt for, or disburse any funds granted by the United States under the Federal Airport Act, but it shall designate the commissioner of aeronautics as its agent and in its behalf to accept, receive, receipt for, and disburse such funds. It shall enter into an agreement with the commissioner prescribing the terms and conditions of such agency in accordance with federal laws, rules, and regulations and applicable laws of this state.

Approved February 24, 1947.

CHAPTER 23—H. F. No. 219

An act relating to doors of public buildings to swing outward; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 616.23.

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

616.23. **Doors of public building to swing outward.** The doors of all theaters, *amphitheatres*, opera houses, public halls, *dance halls*, *saloons*, *taverns*, *public and private clubs*, *churches*, *schools*, or places used for public entertainments, exhibitions, or meetings, which are used exclusively or in part for admission to, or egress from, the same, shall be so hung and arranged as to open outwardly and, during any exhibition, entertainment or meeting held therein, shall be kept

unlocked and unfastened, and in such condition that, in case of danger or necessity, immediate escape from such building shall not be prevented or delayed. Every owner, agent, or lessee of any such building who shall rent the same or allow it to be used for any of the aforesaid public purposes, without having the doors thereof hung and arranged as hereinbefore provided, shall, for each violation of any provision of this section, be guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine of not less than \$25.00, nor more than \$100, and, in default of payment of fine and costs, shall be confined in the county jail for not less than 15, nor more than 60, days.

Sec. 2. **Effective date.** This act shall take effect 90 days after its passage.

Approved February 24, 1947.

CHAPTER 24—S. F. No. 84

[Not coded]

An act relating to tax levies for revenue purposes in certain counties, and amending Laws 1943, Chapter 29.

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

Section 1. Laws 1943, Chapter 29, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. **Tax levies for revenue purposes in certain counties.** In any county in this state now or hereafter having an area of not less than 43 nor more than 45 full or fractional congressional townships and a population of not less than 20,000 nor more than 31,000, according to the 1940 federal census, and an assessed valuation of less than \$13,000,000, exclusive of moneys and credits the county board may levy taxes for general revenue purposes at such a rate and in such an amount in excess of existing limitations as will produce sufficient revenue to defray county expenses, payable out of the revenue fund; provided, however, that no levy shall be made at a rate that will produce more than \$110,000 in taxes collected and paid into the revenue fund of said county, which rate calculated to produce said amount shall be based on the percentage of the taxes, currently payable in the preceding