directed is hereby legalized and validated and any payment therefor heretofore or hereafter made is hereby authorized, legalized and confirmed.

Sec. 2. Cost, limitation. Such construction as is referred to in section 1 shall only be performed as part of a maintenance job, and, hereafter, the cost of such construction shall not exceed \$2,500 for any project.

Approved April 7, 1953.

CHAPTER 245—H. F. No. 224

An act providing that county auditors shall supply certain plats to the state auditor; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 127.053, Subdivision 4.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 127.053, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. Each county auditor shall supply to the state auditor plats with checkings thereon indicating the location and description of such lands situated within the school districts of the county.

Approved April 7, 1953.

CHAPTER 246-H. F. No. 352

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to auxiliary forests; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 88.48, Subdivision 3, Section 88.51, Subdivisions 1 and 2 and Section 88.52, Subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 88.48, Subdivision 3, is hereby amended to read:

Subd. 3. Hearing, determination. Upon the presentation to it of the application, the county board shall consider the same and hear any matter that may be offered in support of or in opposition to the application. It shall then determine whether the land covered by the application is suitable for the planting, culture, and growth of trees for the production of timber or forest products, the actual or market value thereof, exclusive of timber thereon and of minerals or anything