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If in any city, village or borough a building becomes vacant or unoccupied and is deemed hazardous due to the fact that the building is open to trespass and has not been secured and the building could be made safe by securing the building, the governing body may order the building secured and shall cause notice of the order to be served upon the owner of record of the premises or his agent by delivering a copy to him or by mailing it to him at his last known address. Service by mail is complete upon mailing. If the owner of the building fails to comply with the order within ten days after the order is served upon him, the governing body shall cause the building to be properly secured and the cost thereof may be charged against the real estate as provided in section 463.21.

[1973 c 520 s 1]

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465.56 Cities may levy taxes for advertising purposes

Subdivision 1. The governing body of statutory city, or home rule charter city of the fourth class may, as hereinafter provided, annually levy a tax of not to exceed one mill on all the taxable property within such municipality but in no event shall more than \$2,000 be raised in any one year for the purpose of advertising the municipality and its resources and advantages. Such tax shall be levied in the same manner and at the same time as taxes for other municipal purposes are levied, and shall be collected in the same manner. The proceeds of such tax shall be used only for the purpose of advertising such municipality or for cooperative programs of promotion for the area by more than one such municipality and its resources and advantages; provided, that the annual expenditure for such purposes by any such municipality is hereby limited to the sum of \$2,000, provided, nothing in sections 465.56 and 465.57 shall permit the levy of any tax in excess of the amount authorized by sections 275.11 to 275.16. For purposes of this subdivision the term "statutory city" does not include any city which was operating under the provisions of Laws 1895, Chapter 8, as amended, on July 1, 1975.

Subd. 2. The governing body of any city which was operating under the provisions of Laws 1895, Chapter 8, as amended, on July 1, 1975, may expend not more than \$5,000 annually for the purpose of advertising the city and its resources and advantages notwithstanding the provision of section 465.57.

[1973 c 123 art IV s 9; 1973 c 345 s 1]

465.57 Vote at election

Such governing body may by resolution adopted at least 20 days before any general municipal election provide for submitting to the voters at such election, to be voted upon by ballot, the question of levying a tax as provided in section 465.56. If a majority of the votes cast on the question be in favor of

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the proposition, the same shall be deemed carried and the governing body may levy such tax annually.

[1973 c 123 art IV s 10]

465.69 Training of school safety patrol members

Any statutory city of this state may provide for the training of members of the school safety patrol at any authorized school patrol camp located in this state and may pay the expense necessarily incurred in providing such training, out of any funds available for said purpose.

[1973 c 123 art IV s 11]

465.72 Severance pay

Except as may otherwise be provided in Laws 1959, Chapter 690, as amended, all counties, cities, villages, boroughs, townships and school districts are hereby authorized and empowered to pay severance pay to all of its employees and to establish, prescribe and promulgate provisions, rules and regulations for the payment of such severance pay upon leaving employment prior to the normal retirement date. Such severance pay shall be excluded from retirement deductions and from any calculations in retirement benefits, and shall be paid over a period not to exceed five years from termination of employment. In the event that a terminated employee dies before all or a portion of the severance pay has been disbursed, that balance due shall be paid to a named beneficiary or, lacking same, to the deceased's estate. In no event shall severance pay provided for an employee leaving employment exceed an amount equivalent to 100 days pay.

[1973 c 298 s 1]

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Subd. 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 471.15, any county may levy a tax to provide funds for the establishment or operation of recreational facilities or programs for senior citizens either by such county or by any municipality, governmental subdivision, school district or other organization or entity referred to in subdivision 1.

[1973 c 583 8 33]

471.191 Acquisition of facilities

Subdivision 1. Any city, village, or borough operating a program of public recreation and playgrounds pursuant to sections 471.15 to 471.19 may acquire or lease, equip, and maintain land, buildings, and other recreational facilities, including, but without limitation, outdoor or indoor swimming pools, skating rinks and arenas, athletic fields, golf courses, marinas, concert halls, and facilities for other kinds of athletic or cultural participation, contests, and exhi-