

CHAPTER 149.

TOWN OF SPRINGVILLE LEGALIZED.

H. F. 345. AN ACT to Legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Springville Linn County, Iowa, the Election of its Officers, and the Ordinances Passed by the Council of said Town. .

Preamble. WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Springville Linn county Iowa, the election of its officers, and the ordinances passed by the council of said town, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Legalized. SECTION 1. That the incorporation of said town of Springville, Linn county, Iowa the election of its officers and all the official acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town not in contravention with the laws of the state are hereby legalized, and the same are hereby declared to be valid and binding the same as though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with.

Publication. SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the State Register a newspaper published at Des Moines Iowa and the Springville Independent published at Springville Iowa said publication to be without expense to the State.

Approved, April 5, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* May 8, and in the *Springville Independent* April 10, 1884.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 150.

TOWN OF KELLERTON LEGALIZED.

H. F. 529. AN ACT to Legalize the Incorporation and the Official Proceedings of the Town of Kellerton, in the County of Ringgold, State of Iowa.

Preamble. WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Kellerton in the county of Ringgold state of Iowa, and in the election of its officers and the ordinances passed by the town council of said town; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of said town of Keller-
ton in Ringgold county Iowa, the election of its officers, and all
the official acts done and ordinances passed by the town council
of said town not in contravention with the laws of the state of
Iowa are hereby legalized and the same are made valid as
though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with. Legalized.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance,
shall be in force and take effect from and after its publication
in the State Register and State Leader newspapers published
in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the State. Publication.

Approved, April 5, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa
State Register* April 30, and *Iowa State Leader* April 17, 1884.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 151.

RELATING TO PARKS.

AN ACT Relating to Parks in Cities and Towns and to Authorize
the Election of Commissioners, and Levy of Special Tax There-
for. [Additional to Code, Ch. 10, Title IV.] S. F. 89.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That cities acting under special charters and
cities and incorporated towns may provide by ordinance for the
election of three park commissioners and the terms thereof
shall be three, four and five years, respectively and their suc-
cessors shall be elected for the full term of five years, and such
park commissioners shall reside in such city or town. Cities acting
under special
charters and
incorporated
towns may
elect three
park commis-
sioners.

SEC. 2. Said park commissioners shall have exclusive con-
trol of such parks and shall manage, improve, and supervise the
same. Park commis-
sioners have
exclusive con-
trol.

SEC. 3. The councils of such cities, and incorporated towns
may by resolution submit to the qualified electors of such city
or town, at a regular or special election, the question whether
there shall be levied upon the assessed property thereof a tax
not exceeding two mills on the dollar, for the purpose of pur-
chasing real estate for parks and the improvement of parks, or
for either or both of said purposes. Questions of
taxation for
purchase of
ground sub-
mitted to the
people.

SEC. 4. Said councils shall, in the resolution ordering such
election, specify the rate of taxation proposed and the number
of years the same shall be levied, and if a majority of the votes
cast at such election shall be in favor of such taxation, said
Council shall
specify rate of
taxation.