

ent school district of Avoca, Iowa, and did hold said election within said territory on the 20th day of October, 1874, and,

WHEREAS, By virtue of said election the aforesaid territory was organized as the independent school district of Avoca, Iowa, in the fall of 1874, and has been acting continuously as an independent school district since said time and has acquired large property, contracted debts, levied taxes, maintained schools and done all other acts that a legally organized independent school district has the power to do, and, District was organized, contracted debts and levied taxes.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts and things done in the organization of the aforesaid territory into an independent school district, it is therefore enacted: Doubts as to legality.

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

SECTION 1. That all the steps taken and things done toward organizing the territory above described into the independent school district of Avoca, Iowa, are declared to be sufficient to make and to constitute an independent school district, and said territory is hereby declared to be such independent school district. Acts legalized as to organization.

SEC. 2. That all acts heretofore done by the school board of said independent school district are hereby legalized and declared to be binding upon all persons or parties interested therein, the same as if said acts had been done and performed in the manner and form required by law, and said district had been legally organized as required by law. Acts done by board legalized

SEC. 3. This act, being deemed to be of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the *Avoca Herald*, a newspaper published at Avoca, Iowa, and the *State Register*, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the State. Publication clause.

Approved March 19, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register March 28, and the Avoca Herald March 22, 1894.

W. M. McFARLAND, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 226.

AN ACT to legalize a resolution of the city council of the city of H. F. 51. Oskaloosa, Mahaska county, and all acts done in pursuance of said resolution.

WHEREAS, The city council of the city of Oskaloosa, on the fifth day of June, 1893, adopted a resolution directing certain portions of First and Rock Island streets in said city to be graded, paved and curbed, and, Action by city council.

WHEREAS, It is uncertain how many members at such date legally composed said city council and how many of said city council were required to legally adopt said resolution, and by reason thereof doubts have arisen as to the validity of said resolution, therefore, Doubts as to legality.

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

SECTION 1. That the resolution of the city council of the

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legalized.

city of Oskaloosa, adopted on the fifth day of June, 1893, directing the paving of First street from First avenue to the south side of Rock Island street and Rock Island street from First street to the east side of Third street in said city, to be graded, paved, and curbed, and all acts done in pursuance of said resolution are hereby legalized and made valid.

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clause.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State *Register* and Des Moines *Leader*, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved Feb. 24, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State *Register* March 2, and Des Moines *Leader* March 3, 1894.

W. M. MCFARLAND, *Secretary of State*.