

7 warrants referred to in the preamble hereof be and the same are  
8 hereby legalized, the same in effect as if said acts had been in full  
9 conformity with provisions of law provided therefor.

1 SEC. 2. Warrants legalized. The aforesaid warrants of said  
2 city be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be and to  
3 constitute legal and valid and subsisting obligations and indebtedness  
4 of said city.

1 SEC. 3. Pending litigation. Nothing in this act shall affect any  
2 pending litigation.

1 SEC. 4. Publication clause. This act, being deemed of immediate  
2 importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publi-  
3 cation in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published at Des  
4 Moines, Iowa, and the Perry Chief, a newspaper published at Perry,  
5 Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 8, A. D. 1919.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register  
and in the Perry Chief April 10, 1919.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 168.

### LEVY FOR PARK, ART AND MEMORIAL PURPOSES.

#### H. F. 9.

AN ACT granting additional powers to all cities including special charter cities and  
cities under commission plan of government, having a population of 85,000 or over,  
pertaining to levying of taxes for park, art and memorial purposes.

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

SECTION 1. Certain cities—park, art, etc., purposes—annual  
1 tax—separate fund. All cities including cities under special charter  
2 and commission plan of government, having a population of eighty-  
3 five thousand (85,000) or over, shall have the power to certify to  
4 the county auditor and to cause to be collected in addition to all taxes  
5 now authorized for park purposes an annual tax of not to exceed one-  
6 half mill on the dollar on all taxable property of the city, to be used  
7 for the sole and only purpose of purchasing and paying for real estate  
8 to be used for park, art and memorial purposes. Such cities may  
9 anticipate the collection of said additional tax authorized to be levied  
10 for the purchase of real estate for park, art and memorial purposes,  
11 and for that purpose may issue park certificates or bonds with interest  
12 coupons, and the provisions of chapter 12, title V of the code, and  
13 chapter 7 of the acts of the thirty-seventh general assembly shall be  
14 operative as to such certificates, bonds and coupons in so far as they  
15 may be applicable. The proceeds of such tax shall be kept as a  
16 separate fund and shall be issued for the sole and only purpose of  
17 paying certificates or bonds and coupons issued thereupon, and for no  
18 other purpose whatsoever.

1    **SEC. 2. Additional powers granted.** This act shall be construed  
 2 as granting additional power without limiting the power already exist-  
 3 ing in all cities, including cities acting under the commission plan of  
 4 government and special charter cities.

1    **SEC. 3. Publication clause.** This act being deemed of immediate  
 2 importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage  
 3 and publication in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines Daily  
 4 Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 8, A. D. 1919.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital and the Des Moines Register April 10, 1919.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 169.

### COUNTY OF PALO ALTO.

H. F. 453.

AN ACT to legalize the acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors and officers of the county of Palo Alto, state of Iowa, in relation to drainage district number ninety-two (92), within said county.

WHEREAS, On the thirtieth day of December, 1915, there was filed in the office of the county auditor, of the county of Palo Alto, in the state of Iowa, a petition, with a good and sufficient bond requesting the organization of a drainage district to include certain lands within said county, which said drainage district is now known as Drainage District Number Ninety-two (92).

WHEREAS, Pursuant to said petition and in strict compliance with all the provisions of title X, chapter Two-A (2-A) of the supplement to the code, 1913, as amended, said drainage district has been duly established, the construction of a system of drainage therein now fully completed and assessments have been duly levied against the lands and highways within said drainage district benefited by said improvement; and

WHEREAS, Said system of drainage has been completed and said drainage district number ninety-two (92) is enjoying the use and benefit of said drainage improvement and said system of drainage is well worth the price which the board of supervisors of said county contracted should be paid for said improvement; and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen concerning the legality and validity of the proceedings and acts of the board of supervisors and officers of said county in connection with drainage district number ninety-two (92) on the grounds that the notice of the hearing on the assessment roll was given by personal service instead of by publication as required by law, and that all of the property owners and lienors within said drainage district do not appear to have received notice of the levying of said assessments; and

WHEREAS, On the nineteenth (19th) day of February, 1918, the board of supervisors of said county duly adopted a resolution authorizing bonds