

4 Rolfe Arrow, a newspaper published in Rolfe, Iowa, all without ex-  
5 pense to the state.

Approved April 10, 1957.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 490, was published in The Fonda Times, Fonda, Iowa, April 18, 1957, and in The Rolfe Arrow, Rolfe, Iowa, April 18, 1957.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 303

### CITY OF KEOKUK LEGALIZING ACT

S. F. 446

AN ACT to legalize and validate proceedings had by the city of Keokuk, Iowa, and the city officials, relating to the submission at a special municipal election held in said city on March 5, 1957, and the election itself, and the giving of notice thereof, on the proposition of constructing a new police station and fire station in combination, and contracting indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and levying tax annually upon the taxable property in said city not exceeding one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of one (1) mill per annum for the payment of such bonds and the interest thereon, and declaring the same to be legally sufficient authority for the city council and city officials of said city to contract indebtedness and issue bonds in reliance thereon and to levy taxes to pay said bonds and the interest thereon.

WHEREAS, the city council of the city of Keokuk, Iowa, provided for the submission to the voters of said city at a special municipal election held March 5, 1957 and the giving of notice thereof pursuant to the provisions of chapter four hundred seven (407), Code 1954, a proposition as follows:

Shall the city of Keokuk construct a new police station and fire station in combination in the city of Keokuk and contract indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and issue bonds for such purpose, not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars (\$105,000) and levy tax annually upon the taxable property in the city of Keokuk, not exceeding one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of one (1) mill per annum for the payment of such bonds and the interest thereon?; and

WHEREAS, at said election said proposition carried by a majority of more than eighty percent (80%) of the total vote cast for and against said proposition at said election; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legal sufficiency of said election proceedings, election, the giving of the notice thereof and the authority of the city council and city officials of said city to contract indebtedness and issue bonds for such purpose and to levy tax annually upon the taxable property in said city, not exceeding one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of one (1) mill per annum to pay said bonds and the interest thereon, and it is deemed advisable to put said doubts and all other doubts concerning the same that might arise forever at rest; now, therefore,

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

- 1 SECTION 1. The acts and proceedings of the city council and city
- 2 officials of the city of Keokuk, Iowa, in authorizing and providing
- 3 for the submission of the proposition set out in the preamble hereof

4 to the voters of said city at the election held in said city on March  
5 5, 1957, the election itself and the giving of notice thereof and the  
6 adoption of said proposition at said election by the voters of said city  
7 are hereby validated and legalized, notwithstanding any irregularities  
8 or omissions therein, and shall constitute full authority for the city  
9 council and city officials of and for said city to contract said indebt-  
10 edness and to issue said bonds for the purposes authorized at said  
11 election in an amount not exceeding one hundred five thousand dollars  
12 (\$105,000) and to levy tax annually upon the taxable property in  
13 said city, not exceeding one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of one (1) mill per annum,  
14 to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds as they become due  
15 in accordance with all applicable statutory provisions and said bonds  
16 when issued shall constitute valid and binding obligations of said  
17 city.

1 SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall  
2 take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Daily  
3 Gate City, a newspaper published in Keokuk, Iowa, and in The Don-  
4 nellson Review, a newspaper published in Donnellson, Iowa, all with-  
5 out expense to the state.

Approved May 1, 1957.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 446, was published in the Daily Gate City, Keokuk, Iowa, May 8, 1957, and in The Donnellson Review, Donnellson, Iowa, May 9, 1957.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 304

### TOWN OF MAYNARD LEGALIZING ACT

#### S. F. 476

AN ACT to legalize and validate the proceedings of the town council of the town of Maynard, in Fayette county, state of Iowa, in the conduct of an election on the proposition of incurring of indebtedness and issuing bonds for town hall purposes.

WHEREAS, it appears from the records of the town council of the town of Maynard, in Fayette County, state of Iowa, that at a regular meeting held on September 2, 1956, and purporting to act upon authority contained in chapter four hundred seven (407) of the Code, said council called and ordered a special election to be held in said town on November 15, 1956, for the purpose of voting on the proposition of purchasing a building to be used as a town hall, contracting indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding fifteen thousand seven hundred fifty (15,750) dollars and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding fifteen thousand seven hundred fifty (15,750) dollars and levying a tax annually upon all the taxable property in said town not exceeding four (4) mills per annum to pay said bonds and the interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, at the special election held on November 15, 1956, the favorable vote was equal to seventy-five (75) percent of the total number of ballots cast; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the validity and legal sufficiency of said election proceedings and it is deemed advisable to put such