

## CHAPTER 323

## JOINT COUNTY-CITY OR TOWN BUILDINGS

S. F. 631

AN ACT relating to the use of joint county-city or town buildings.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section two (2) of chapter two hundred thirty-nine  
 2 (239), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, is hereby amended by  
 3 inserting in line six (6) after the word "town" the words "or any  
 4 school district which is within or is a part of any such county, city,  
 5 or town".

Approved July 1, 1965.

## CHAPTER 324

## MUNICIPAL AMBULANCE SERVICE

S. F. 564

AN ACT to authorize cities and towns to provide ambulance service.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter three hundred sixty-eight (368), Code 1962,  
 2 is hereby amended by adding the following new section:  
 3 "Cities and towns may purchase, lease, equip, maintain and operate  
 4 an ambulance or ambulances to provide necessary and sufficient ambu-  
 5 lance service or to contract for such vehicles, equipment, maintenance  
 6 or service."

Approved July 1, 1965.

## CHAPTER 325

## BIDS ON MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS

S. F. 263

AN ACT relating to the taking of bids in connection with public improvements in cities and towns.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section three hundred sixty-eight A point one  
 2 (368A.1), Code 1962, is amended by adding the following new sub-  
 3 section:  
 4 "In all cases where bids or proposals are required to be taken in con-  
 5 nection with any public improvement, the council may delegate, by  
 6 ordinance, to the city manager, clerk, engineer or other public officer  
 7 designated by it, the duty of conducting and presiding over such public  
 8 meeting or hearing as may be required in connection with receiving

9 and opening such bids and announcing the results. Such duly-author-  
 10 ized officer shall thereupon report the results of the bidding together  
 11 with his recommendations thereon to the council at its next meeting."

Approved June 30, 1965.

## CHAPTER 326

### CONFLICTS OF INTEREST OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

S. F. 105

AN ACT relating to conflicts of interest of municipal officials and employees.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section three hundred sixty-eight A point twenty-two  
 2 (368A.22), Code 1962, as amended by chapter two hundred forty  
 3 (240), Acts of the Sixtieth General Assembly, is hereby repealed and  
 4 the following enacted in lieu thereof:

5 1. When used in this Act "contract" means any claim, account or  
 6 demand against or agreement with a municipality, express or implied,  
 7 and shall include the designation of a depository of public funds.

8 2. No municipal officer or employee shall have an interest, direct or  
 9 indirect, in any contract or job of work or material or the profits  
 10 thereof or services to be furnished or performed for his municipality.  
 11 The provisions of this section shall not apply to:

12 a. The payment of lawful compensation to any municipal officer or  
 13 employee holding more than one (1) municipal office or position, the  
 14 holding of which is not incompatible with another public office or is  
 15 not prohibited by law.

16 b. The designation of a bank or trust company as a depository,  
 17 paying agent, or for investment of funds.

18 c. An employee of a bank or trust company, who serves as treasurer  
 19 of any municipality.

20 d. Contracts made by municipalities of less than three thousand  
 21 (3,000) population, upon competitive bid in writing, publicly invited  
 22 and opened.

23 e. Contracts with a person, firm, corporation or association in which  
 24 a municipal officer or employee has an interest solely by reason of  
 25 employment, or a stock interest of the kind described in paragraph *i*  
 26 or both, if such contracts are made by competitive bid, publicly invited  
 27 and opened, and if the remuneration of such employment will not be  
 28 directly affected as a result of such contract and the duties of such  
 29 employment do not directly involve the procurement or preparation  
 30 of any part of such contract. The competitive bid requirement of this  
 31 paragraph shall not be required for any contract for professional serv-  
 32 ices not customarily awarded by competitive bid.

33 f. The designation of an official newspaper.

34 g. A contract in which a municipal officer or employee has an inter-  
 35 est if such contract was made before the time he was elected or ap-  
 36 pointed, but such contract shall not be renewed.