

- 37 *h.* Contracts with volunteer firemen or civil defense volunteers.  
 38 *i.* A contract with a corporation in which a municipal officer or  
 39 employee has an interest by reason of stockholdings when less than  
 40 five (5) per cent of the outstanding stock of the corporation is owned  
 41 or controlled directly or indirectly by such officer or employee.  
 42 *j.* A contract made by competitive bid, publicly invited and open,  
 43 in which a member of a city or town board of trustees or commission  
 44 has an interest if he is not authorized by law to participate in the  
 45 awarding of the contract. The competitive bid requirement of this  
 46 paragraph shall not be required for any contract for professional serv-  
 47 ices not customarily awarded by competitive bid.

Approved April 29, 1965.

CHAPTER 327  
 PUBLIC LIBRARIES  
 H. F. 21

AN ACT relating to public libraries.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section three hundred seventy-eight point three  
 2 (378.3), Code 1962, is hereby amended by inserting after the period  
 3 in line eight (8) the following: "Free municipal public libraries  
 4 receiving funds for county-wide public library service on a contract  
 5 basis may have one non-resident trustee board member appointed by  
 6 the mayor with the approval of the county board of supervisors."

1 SEC. 2. Section three hundred seventy-eight point five (378.5),  
 2 Code 1962, is hereby amended by inserting after the word and figures  
 3 "section 378.2" in line three (3) the following: "and 378.3".

1 SEC. 3. Section three hundred seventy-eight point seven (378.7),  
 2 Code 1962, is hereby amended by inserting after the word and figures  
 3 "section 378.2" in line six (6) the following: "and 378.3".

Approved April 9, 1965.

CHAPTER 328  
 MUNICIPAL HOSPITALS  
 S. F. 366

AN ACT relating to the construction of municipal hospitals in certain cities owning their own electric distribution system.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter three hundred eighty (380), Code 1962, is  
 2 amended by adding a new section as follows:  
 3 "Any city having a population of less than five thousand (5,000)

4 owning and operating an electric light and power plant or an electric  
 5 distribution system that is wholly paid for, and that is producing an  
 6 annual income from the sale of electric current in excess of all ex-  
 7 penses of operation and reasonable depreciation charge against said  
 8 plant and distribution system, may, for the purpose of paying the costs  
 9 of the construction of a municipal hospital, or additions thereto, or the  
 10 costs of maintaining the same, borrow money, and may, for the repay-  
 11 ment of said loan and interest thereon, pledge for a period not exceed-  
 12 ing fifteen years, not to exceed eighty percent of the net earnings each  
 13 year of said plant or distribution system.

14 "In exercising the powers herein conferred, the council or board of  
 15 trustees governing said plant or distribution system may pledge said  
 16 earnings for the payment of hospital bonds in the event hospital bonds  
 17 are issued for the purpose of paying for said costs of construction of  
 18 a municipal hospital, or addition thereto, in addition to levying a tax  
 19 for the payment of said bonds as provided by law; and said city may  
 20 bind itself to maintain said plant and distribution system and to  
 21 charge and collect such rates for the products of said plant and dis-  
 22 tribution system as will under said pledge, discharge said loan as it  
 23 matures."

1 SECTION 2. Section three hundred eighty point ten (380.10), Code  
 2 1962, is amended by inserting in line two (2) after the figures "380.9"  
 3 the words and figures "and in section (1) of this Act".

4 Further amend said section by inserting in line two (2) after the  
 5 word "certificates" the words "and bonds".

1 SECTION 3. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance shall  
 2 take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and publica-  
 3 tion in the Record-Democrat, a newspaper published in Pocahontas,  
 4 Iowa, and The Laurens Sun, a newspaper published in Laurens, Iowa.

Approved May 14, 1965.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 366, was published in the Record-Democrat, Pocahontas, Iowa, May 20, 1965, and in The Laurens Sun, Laurens, Iowa, May 20, 1965.

GARY L. CAMERON, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 329

### PUBLIC PARKING FACILITIES

#### H. F. 132

AN ACT relating to public parking facilities in cities and towns and to authorize purchase or condemnation of sites therefor and improvement thereof from the proceeds of special assessments upon benefited private property within a benefited district and to anticipate the collection of such special assessments by issuance of certificates or bonds.

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

1 SECTION 1. **Grant of power.** Cities and towns shall have power to  
 2 acquire sites by gift, purchase or condemnation, and to improve and