- visors has combined two or more contiguous townships into one election precinct or where, by reason of the existence of a village or incorporated town on or near a township line, the board of supervisors may create a voting precinct in compact form, from said town or village, and may include therein territory adjoining and adjacent to said village or town, which is situated in two or more townships.
- 1 SEC. 2. Section forty-nine point ten (49.10), Code 1971, is 2 amended by adding the following new subsection:
- "If two or more contiguous townships have been combined into one election precinct by the board of supervisors, the board shall provide a polling place which is convenient to all of the electors in the precinct."

Approved April 15, 1971.

## CHAPTER 101

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS AND PUBLIC MEASURES

H. F. 429

AN ACT relating to preparation of ballots and voting machines for constitutional questions, amendments and public measures.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section forty-nine point forty-three (49.43), Code
- 2 1971, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:
- "Following the question, if it be for a constitutional amendment, shall be a summary of the amendment worded by the secretary of state. The summary shall be used in each county and shall be worded the same as the secretary of state has provided for any other means of voting on the same amendment."
- 1 SEC. 2. Section forty-nine point forty-five (49.45), Code of 1971, 2 is amended as follows:
- 3 49.45 General form of ballot. Ballots referred to in sections 49.43 and 49.44 shall be substantially in the following form:
- 5 "Shall the following amendment to the Constitution (or public measure) be adopted?"

  Yes......
  No......
- 7 (Here insert the summary, if it be for a constitutional amendment, 8 and in full the proposed constitutional amendment or public measure.)
- 1 SEC. 3. Section fifty-two point twenty-four (52.24), Code 1971, 2 is amended as follows:
- 52.24 All of the provisions of the election law now in force and not inconsistent with the provisions of this chapter shall apply with full force to all counties, cities, and towns adopting the use of voting ma-
- 5 force to all counties, cities, and towns adopting the use of voting machines. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed as prohibiting the use of a separate ballot for public measures[, provided, however, that
- 8 separate ballots shall be used for the submission to the people of the
- 9 question of a constitutional convention or amendments or contracting
- 10 state debts].

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Section forty-nine point forty-eight (49.48). Code 1971, 2 is repealed.

Section fifty-two point twenty-five (52.25), Code 1971, is 1 SEC. 5. 2 amended as follows:

Summary of amendment or public measure. [Constitutional] The question of a constitutional convention, amendments and public measures including bond issues may be voted on the voting machines in the following manner:

7 The entire convention question, amendment or public measure shall 8 be printed and displayed prominently in at least two places within 9 the voting precinct and on the left-hand side inside the curtain of 10 each voting machine, said printing to be in conformity with the provisions of chapter 49. The [amendment or] public measure shall 11 be summarized by the auditor or city clerk and in the largest type 12 13 possible printed on the inserts used in said voting machines[. In], except in the case of the question of a constitutional convention. an 14 15 amendment or measure to be voted [upon] on in more than one county, 16 the summary to be placed in the voting machine inserts shall be worded 17 by the secretary of state and said summary shall be used in each 18 county.

Any portion of section 49.43[, 49.44, 49.45, 49.46, 49.47, or] to 49.48, inclusive, in conflict herewith is hereby declared inapplicable to those counties which have adopted voting machines and follow the procedure of this section.

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## CHAPTER 102

## PAYMENT OF PUBLIC BONDS

S. F. 389

AN ACT relating to the place of payment of public bonds.

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

SECTION 1. Section seventy-six point six (76.6), Code 1971, is amended by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the fol-2 3 lowing:

Place of payment. The principal and interest of all bonds of a public corporation in this state are payable at the office of the treasurer or public official charged with the duty of making payment, unless the proceedings of the governing body authorizing the issuance of the bonds provide that the bonds and interest thereon may also be payable at one or more banks or trust companies within or without the state of Iowa or as may be otherwise provided by chapter four hun-10 dred nineteen (419) of the Code.

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