

Judiciary No. 1.
December 7, 1923.

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Senate File No. 286.
BY BAIRD.

A BILL FOR

An Act to legalize an election held in the Independent School District of Council Bluffs, in the County of Pottawattamie, State of Iowa, and the issuance and sale of bonds by said school district pursuant thereto.

Whereas, at the regular election held on March 12, 1923, a majority of the voters of the Independent School District of Council Bluffs, in the County of Pottawattamie, State of Iowa, voting thereat, voted in favor of issuing bonds of said school district in the sum of \$225,000, for the purpose of erecting and equipping a new school building in and for said school district; and

Whereas, the board of directors of said school district, pursuant to said election, enacted proceedings preliminary to the issuance and sale of said bonds; and

Whereas, doubts have arisen concerning the validity of said election and the authority of the board of directors of said school district to issue and sell said bonds, and it is deemed advisable to put said doubts and all other doubts which may hereafter arise concerning said election and the proceedings forever at rest; now therefore,

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

1 Section 1. That said election held in said
2 school district on March 12, 1923, and all proceedings
3 had by the board of directors of said school district in
4 relation and pursuant thereto be and the same are hereby
5 declared to be legal and valid, and that the school build-
6 ing bonds of said school district in the aggregate amount
7 of \$225,000, so authorized at said election when issued,
8 sold and delivered, are hereby declared to be legal and to
9 constitute valid and binding obligations of the said school
10 district.

1 Sec. 2. Nothing in this act shall affect
2 pending litigation.

1 Sec. 3. This act being deemed of immediate
2 importance, shall take effect and be in force from and
3 after its publication in the Des Moines Register, a
4 newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Council
5 Bluffs Nonpareil, a newspaper published in Council Bluffs,
6 Iowa, without expense to the state.

Judiciary.
December 19, 1923.

House File No. 286.
BY LICHTY.

A BILL FOR

An act to legalize the acts of the board of directors of the independent school district of Waterloo, Iowa, in estimating the amount required for the general fund for the school year 1923-1924, and the certification thereof to the board of supervisors of Black Hawk County, Iowa, and the levy thereof by said board of supervisors.

Whereas, the Board of Directors of the Independent School District of Waterloo, Iowa, did, at a lawful meeting held within the time provided by law, estimate the amount required for the General Fund of the School District for the school year 1923-1924, and fix the same at the amount of Three Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$340,000), and did thereafter cause the same to be duly certified to the County Auditor and the Board of Supervisors of Black Hawk County, Iowa, within the time required by law.

Whereas, included in said sum so estimated and so certified was the amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) estimated to apply on interest on lawful bonded indebtedness of said school district as provided by Section 2813 of the 1913 Supplement to the Code of Iowa, leaving the amount of said certification applicable to other proper purposes and expenditures for the general fund of said school district, Three Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$310,000), said amounts not being segregated in said certificate and estimate, through oversight in the preparation of the same, although such segregation was in fact and at the time the intention of said Board.

Whereas, the levy of the sum of Three Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$310,000) is less than the maximum fixed by law that may be levied for the general fund of said school district and the said amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) is less than the maximum fixed by law which may be levied by said district for the payment of interest on bonds, and in addition to such levies there is permitted by law a five per cent (5%) addition to such levies to provide for possible shrinkage in the collection of the same, or other causes.

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors of Black Hawk County, Iowa, have levied the said tax in the total amount of Three Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$340,000) and the same has been published, according to law, and it is deemed advisable to set aside all doubts concerning the validity

of the said estimate and certification and the levy of the same by the Board of Supervisors; now therefore

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

1 Section . That the estimate made by the Board of Directors
2 of the Independent School District of Waterloo, Iowa, for the
3 General Fund for the school year 1923-1924 in the sum of Three
4 Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$340,000) and the certification
5 thereof to the County Auditor and the Board of Supervisors of
6 Black Hawk County, Iowa, and the levy of the said amount and
7 the publication thereof by the said Board of Supervisors be
8 and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid not-
9 withstanding the failure to separate in said estimate, certi-
10 fication and levy the amount estimated for interest on bonds
11 authorized to be estimated and levied by Section 2813 of the
12 1913 Supplement to the Code of Iowa, and acts amendatory there-
13 to, and that the said estimate, certification and levy be and
14 the same hereby are declared to be of the same force and effect
15 as though there had been separately estimated, certified and
16 levied Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) thereof as and for
17 the Bond Fund of said district, and the County Auditor of
18 said county is hereby authorized to certify said taxes to
19 the County Treasurer and the County Treasurer authorized to
20 collect the same as provided by law.

1 Sec. 2. This act shall not affect pending litigation.

1 Sec. 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance,
2 shall take effect and be in force from and after its publica-

3 tion in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published in the
4 City of Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Waterloo Tribune, a news-
5 paper published in Waterloo, Iowa, without expense to the State.