

SENATE FILE 324

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Senate File 324
Hill, Chairman
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*See House: Passed 5/14
Pass 5/29*

Passed Senate, Date 5-14-73 (1235)

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Vote: Ayes 38 Nays 1

Vote: Ayes 94 Nays 1

Approved 6-19-73

A BILL FOR

1 An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the Board
2 of Township Trustees of Lewis Township of Pottawattamie
3 County, Iowa, in connection with a certain election held
4 to authorize a tax levy for fire protection purposes and
5 the issuance of bonds in anticipation of said tax and de-
6 claring the validity of said election and that bonds is-
7 sued pursuant to said proceedings shall be enforceable
8 obligations of said Township.

9 WHEREAS, it appears from the records of the Board of Town-
10 ship Trustees of Lewis Township in Pottawattamie County, Iowa,
11 that said Board of Township Trustees adopted a resolution
12 on July 14, 1972, calling a special election to be held in
13 said Township concurrent with the primary election on August
14 1, 1972, at which there was submitted to the voters of said
15 Township the proposition of authorizing the levy of a tax
16 of 1 1/2 mills on the taxable property in the Township for
17 fire protection as authorized by Sections 359.42 and 359.43,
18 Code of Iowa (1973); and

19 WHEREAS, after canvassing the results of the election on
20 the proposition of levying said tax it was found and deter-
21 mined that said proposition was approved by more than sixty
22 percent of the total number of votes cast for and against
23 said proposition at said election, the vote being 129 in fa-
24 vor and 45 opposed; and

25 WHEREAS, in reliance upon the favorable vote cast at said

1 election, the Board of Township Trustees of said Township
2 proposes to provide for the issuance of bonds in an amount
3 not to exceed \$35,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing new
4 fire fighting equipment in anticipation of the collection
5 of the tax levy of 1 1/2 mills authorized on August 1, 1972;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the validity and
8 legal sufficiency of said election and proceedings, the rec-
9 ords thereof available to evidence the proceedings, and
10 authority for the issuance and payment of said bonds and it
11 is deemed advisable to put such doubts and all others that
12 might arise concerning the same forever at rest; NOW THERE-
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14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

15 Section 1. That all proceedings heretofore taken by the
16 Board of Township Trustees of Lewis Township, Pottawattamie
17 County, Iowa, preliminary to and in connection with the spe-
18 cial election held in said Township on August 1, 1972, pro-
19 viding for the levy of a tax of 1 1/2 mills for the purposes
20 authorized by Sections 359.42 and 359.43, Code of Iowa (1973),
21 and providing for the issuance of fire equipment bonds of
22 said Township to the amount of not to exceed \$35,000.00 in
23 anticipation of and to be retired from the proceeds of said
24 tax, and said election and that tax of 1 1/2 mills authorized
25 thereat are hereby legalized, validated and confirmed and
26 said bonds payable from the anticipated collections of said
27 tax when issued, sold and delivered pursuant to and in ac-
28 cordance with the provisions of Chapters 75, 76 and 359, Code
29 of Iowa (1973), are hereby declared to be legal and to con-
30 stitute valid and binding obligations of said township.

31 Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
32 shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage
33 and publication in the Council Bluffs Nonpareil, a newspaper
34 published in Council Bluffs, Iowa, and in The Red Oak Express,
35 a newspaper published in Red Oak, Iowa, without expense to

1 the State.

2 EXPLANATION

3 This Act legalizes proceedings of the township trustees
4 of Lewis Township in Pottawattamie County wherein an elec-
5 tion was held for the purpose of authorizing a levy for fire
6 protection purposes.

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FISCAL NOTE

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Requested by Senator Schwengels.

Prepared in regard to S.F. 325 - An Act relating to
emergency light sources for public buildings. Following is
the fiscal effect in dollars of the legislative proposal as
required by Senate Rule 31.

No estimate available.

The State Fire Marshall informs us that battery powered
emergency lighting units are available and cost from
\$115 for a one lamp unit to \$175 for a tow lamp unit. He
states that an average 50 to 75 bed nursing home has been
requiring four units.

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Legislative Fiscal Director

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