

**49.17 Conduct of elections — funding.**

1. The state commissioner or a county commissioner or political subdivision of the state shall only accept funding from the following sources for the purposes of conducting an election:

- a. Lawful appropriations of public moneys from the government of the United States.
- b. Lawful appropriations of public moneys from the state of Iowa.
- c. Lawful appropriations of public moneys from a political subdivision of the state for the conduct of an election in the political subdivision.

2. The state commissioner, a county commissioner, or a political subdivision of the state shall not accept or expend a grant, gift, or other source of funding from a source other than those listed in [subsection 1](#), including from a private person, corporation, partnership, political party, nonparty political organization, committee as defined in [section 68A.102](#), or other organization for the purpose of conducting an election.

3. [This section](#) does not prohibit the state commissioner or a county commissioner or political subdivision from issuing and collecting fees as otherwise provided by law.

4. [This section](#) does not apply to the contribution of a building for use as a polling place pursuant to [section 49.21](#).

[2022 Acts, ch 1153, §29, 30](#)