



CHESTER J. CULVER  
GOVERNOR

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

PATTY JUDGE  
LT. GOVERNOR

April 24, 2009

The Honorable Michael Mauro  
Secretary of State  
State Capitol Building  
L O C A L

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

**House File 496**, an Act relating to the authority of a city to dispose of real property by gift.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chester Culver".

Chester J. Culver  
Governor

CJC:bdj

cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House





HOUSE FILE 496

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE AUTHORITY OF A CITY TO DISPOSE OF REAL  
PROPERTY BY GIFT.

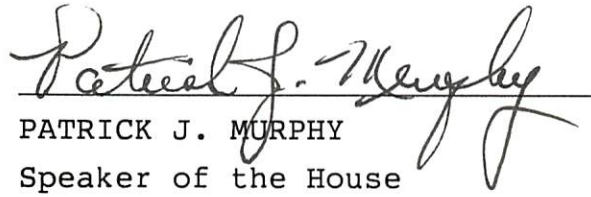
BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:


Section 1. Section 174.15, Code 2009, is amended to read  
as follows:

174.15 PURCHASE AND MANAGEMENT.


1. Title to land purchased or received for purposes of  
conducting a fair event shall be taken in the name of the  
county or a fair. However, the board of supervisors shall  
place the land under the control and management of a fair.  
The fair may act as agent for the county in the erection of  
buildings and maintenance of the fairgrounds, including the  
buildings and improvements constructed on the grounds. Title  
to new buildings or improvements shall be taken in the name of  
the county or a fair. However, the county is not liable for  
the improvements or expenditures for them.

2. Notwithstanding section 364.7, subsection 3, a city may dispose of real property by gift to a fair.

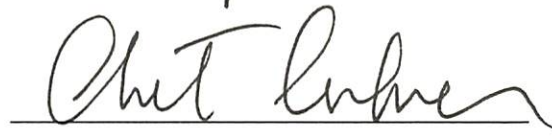
  
PATRICK J. MURPHY  
Speaker of the House

  
JOHN P. KIBBIE  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 496, Eighty-third General Assembly.

  
MARK BRANDSGARD  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2009

  
CHESTER J. CULVER  
Governor