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House File 409

Passed on File.

By COCHRAN, CLAPSADDLE, MAYBERRY,  
WOLCOTT and BAKER.

For Ser. Div. 3/8  
"no pass" 4/16  
Passed House, Date 4/26

Passed Senate, Date 5/26

Vote: Ayes 97 Nays 4

Vote: Ayes 49 Nays 0

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# A BILL FOR

An Act to amend chapter three hundred ninety-one A (391A), Code 1962, to more specifically define the powers of cities in the building of plazas and malls.

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

- 1 Section 1. Section three hundred ninety-one A point one
- 2 (391A.1), Code 1962, is hereby amended as follows:
- 3 1. By adding in subsection four (4) of said section the
- 4 the following:
- 5 "i. Plazas and malls."
- 6 2. By adding the words "plaza, mall," following the comma
- 7 in line three (3) of subsection seven (7) of said section.

### EXPLANATION OF HOUSE FILE 409

The present law is not clear as to the right of a municipality to establish a plaza or mall, a beautiful public walk, though it can establish a boulevard. Many other states have such legislation. This is home rule legislation to clarify the present Iowa law.