

February 21, 1967  
Cities & Towns *Pass 2-1-67*  
*Governmental Subdivisions 4-14 Pass 5-9*

House File 207  
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Passed House, Date 4-11-67 Passed Senate, Date 5-25-67  
Vote: Ayes 105 Nays 4 Vote: Ayes 40 Nays 0  
Approved \_\_\_\_\_

## A BILL FOR

An Act relating to the purchase of street equipment and machinery by cities and towns.

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

1 Section 1. Subsection twelve (12) of section four hundred  
2 four point seven (404.7), Code 1966, is hereby amended by  
3 striking all of such subsection after the word "machinery" in  
4 line two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof a period.

### EXPLANATION

The purpose of this bill is to eliminate the restriction on the amount of street or road use tax funds which may be expended in any one year for the purchase of street equipment and machinery. The cost of such equipment has steadily risen over the years, to the extent that today the price of one unit, in many cases, exceeds the amount allowed by statute. This bill would permit city and town councils to purchase necessary street equipment from available funds.

1 Amend House File 207 by striking everything after  
2 the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the  
3 following:  
4 "Section 1. Section four hundred four point seven  
5 (404.7), Code 1966, is hereby amended by striking all of  
6 subsection twelve (12)."

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1 Amend House File 207 by striking everything after the  
2 enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:  
3 Section 1. Section four hundred four point seven (404.7),  
4 subsection twelve (12), Code 1966, is hereby amended by striking  
5 in line three (3) the words "ten percent" and inserting in lieu  
6 thereof the words "twelve percent".  
7 Further amend said subsection, line four (4), by striking  
8 the words "twenty thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the  
9 words "twenty-five thousand".

Filed and adopted  
April 11, 1967

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