

municipal corporation, under the laws of this state, and that all the ordinances passed by the town council of said town, and all the acts of the town council or other officer of said town done since its incorporation, are hereby declared to be as legal and binding to all intents and purposes whatsoever, as the same would have been had there been no defects or omissions in the acts of incorporation or in the ordinances passed by the town council or in the other acts of said council or other officers of said town.

Pulication.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Sioux Rapids Press, a paper published at Sioux Rapids, Buena Vista county, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved April 23d, 1890.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* and *Sioux Rapids Press*, May 1, 1890.

FRANK D. JACKSON, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 92.

LEGALIZE ELECTRIC LIGHT FRANCHISE—WHAT CHEER.

H. F. 505. AN ACT to legalize the granting of a franchise for electric light by the City of What Cheer, Iowa.

Franchise granted without an election.

Whereas, In the present year, 1890, the City Council of the City of What Cheer, Iowa, granted to the What Cheer, Electric Light and Power Co. a franchise for the purpose of generating electric light, and said franchise was granted without a vote of the electors of said City first having had upon the question of its granting, and

Doubts as to legality.

Whereas, by reason of the failure to hold such election, doubts have arisen as to the legality of said action by said City council therefore.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Franchise declared legal.

SECTION 1. That the action of the City council of the City of What Cheer Iowa, in granting a franchise to the What Cheer Electric Light and Power Co. be declared legal and valid to the same extent as through [though] an election had been held therefor by the electors of the said City.

Pulication.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in

the Des Moines Leader a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the What Cheer Reporter, a newspaper published at What Cheer, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved April 17th, 1890.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Des Moines Leader* April 24 and *What Cheer Reporter* April 23 1890.

FRANK D. JACKSON, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 93.

LEGALIZE INCORPORATION TOWN OF GUTHRIE CENTER.

AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Guthrie Center H. F. 434. Guthrie County, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all of the acts and ordinances of said town.

Whereas doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Guthrie Center, Guthrie County, Iowa, and as to the election of its officers and the acts and ordinances of said town; Therefore

Doubts as to legality of incorporation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the said town of Guthrie Center, Guthrie County, Iowa, the election of its officers and all of the official acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town, not in contravention of the laws of the state, are hereby legalized, and the same are hereby declared to be valid and binding, the same as though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with in the incorporation of said town, the election of its officers and in the passing of its ordinances.

Incorporation and acts of council legalized.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register; published at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, and in the Guthrian and the Guthrie Times, newspapers published at Guthrie Center, Guthrie County, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Publication.

Approved April 15th 1890.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* April 18 and the *Guthrie Times* and *Guthrian* April 24 1890.

FRANK D. JACKSON, *Secretary of State.*