

CHAPTER 219.

OFFICIAL ACTS OF GEORGE C. MCMURTRY AND HERBERT J. MCMURTRIE, NOTARIES PUBLIC OF THE STATE OF IOWA.

H. F. 26.

AN ACT to legalize and confirm the official acts of George C. McMurtry and Herbert J. McMurtrie, notaries public of the state of Iowa.

WHEREAS, George C. McMurtry and Herbert J. McMurtrie of the county of Polk were on the 15th day of June, 1897, respectively commissioned notaries public in and for the county of Polk for the term ending on the 4th day of July A. D. 1900, and

WHEREAS, While acting under such commission, said George C. McMurtry and Herbert J. McMurtrie obtained authority under the statute to perform notarial acts in the county of Warren, an adjoining county, and

WHEREAS, On the 7th day of March, 1898, said notaries public removed from said county of Polk to said county of Warren, and believing that their authority to discharge notarial duties was not affected by their removal from the county of Polk, continued to act as notaries public from said 7th day of March, 1898, until the 4th day of July, A. D. 1900 inclusive, [therefore]

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

SECTION 1. **Official acts legalized—pending litigation.** That the official acts of George C. McMurtry and Herbert J. McMurtrie, acting as notaries public, performed between the 7th day of March, 1898, and the 4th day of July, 1900, are hereby made as legal and effectual as though their residence had not been changed, providing that nothing in this act shall affect any action now pending.

SEC 2. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, without expense to the state.

Approved February 21, 1902.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, February 22, 1902.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 220.

ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY.

H. F. 34.

AN ACT to legalize the ordinances of the town of Conway, Taylor county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the ordinances passed by the council of the incorporated town of Conway, Taylor county, Iowa, therefore

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

SECTION 1. **Valid and binding—pending litigation.** That all ordinances passed by the town council of the said incorporated town of Conway, Taylor county, Iowa, not in conflict with the laws of the state of Iowa, are hereby legalized, and the same are hereby declared valid and binding, the same as though the law had been complied with in all respects in the passage of said ordinances. But nothing in this act shall in any manner affect any pending litigation.

SEC. 2. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa Capital, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, and in the Conway Journal, a newspaper published in the town of Conway, Taylor county, Iowa, both publications to be without expense to the state.

Approved February 21, 1902.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa Capital, February 22, 1902, and in the Conway Journal, February 27, 1902.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 221.

OFFICIAL ACTS OF W. E. HASKINS, NOTARY PUBLIC.

H. F. 74.

AN ACT to legalize the official acts of W. E. Haskins a notary public of Howard county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, W. E. Haskins was duly commissioned a notary public in and for Howard county, Iowa, for the years 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, and 1901, and

WHEREAS, Said notary public used a seal during said time on which was engraved the words "Notary Public." instead of "Notarial Seal" with which to authenticate his official acts, and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of such seal, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. **Legalized and validated—pending litigation.** That all the official acts of the said W. E. Haskins during the above mentioned period, where such defective seal was used are hereby legalized and made valid the same as if a proper and legal notarial seal had been used during all of said time, provided that nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

SEC. 2. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Chester Herald, newspapers published in the state of Iowa, which publication shall be without expense to the state.

Approved February 21, 1902.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register February 22, 1902, and in the Chester Herald, March 1, 1902.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 222.

ELECTION IN DALLAS COUNTY AND PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

H. F. 103.

AN ACT to legalize the election held in the county of Dallas and state of Iowa, on the sixth day of November, 1900, and the proposition submitted at said election for the purpose of building a court house at Adel, in said county, and borrowing money and issuing bonds therefor, and the manner of submitting said propositions, and the manner of the payment of bonds issued for said purpose, and all of the proceedings of the board of supervisors of said county with reference to said matter, and to authorize said county to issue bonds voted at said election, and to levy taxes to pay the same.

WHEREAS, There was, on the sixth day of November, 1900, at the regular election held in the county of Dallas and state of Iowa, submitted to the voters of said county, the following proposition: