

hereby amended by striking out the word "except" after the word "firemen", in line two (2) thereof, and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "including".

SEC. 5. Present officers continued in office. The present chief of the fire department and the members of the police and fire department of each of the cities affected by this act, and the acts of which it is amendatory, other than the chief of police shall be continued in their present positions without further appointment or examination subject, however, to all rules and regulations adopted for the government of said departments under this act and the provisions of chapter thirty-one (31), acts of the Twenty-ninth (29th) General Assembly.

SEC. 6. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, daily newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 2, A. D. 1907.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, April 4, 1907.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 30.

CITIES AND TOWNS TO MAKE APPROPRIATION FOR DUES IN LEAGUE OF IOWA MUNICIPALITIES.

H. F. 278.

AN ACT authorizing towns and cities, including cities under special charter, to appropriate money to pay dues in the League of Iowa Municipalities, and to pay the actual expense of delegates to the meetings of such league. Additional to chapter three (3), title five (V) of the code.

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

SECTION 1. Appropriation authorized—purposes. Cities and towns, including cities under special charter, may by resolution appropriate money out of the general fund to pay a membership fee and dues in the League of Iowa Municipalities not to exceed annually five dollars for each one thousand population or fraction thereof of such city or town or city under special charter, and to pay the actual expenses of not more than two delegates to the meetings of such league.

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 Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 1, A. D. 1907.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital, April 2, 1907, and the Register and Leader, April 3, 1907.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.