

SEC. 2. Levy discontinued—how and when. The governing board of such municipality may discontinue such levy of tax in the event that the institution to be aided thereby is destroyed by the elements and no fund is provided or available for its rebuilding; or after five years of continuance of such tax aid the governing board may, and upon the petition of twenty-five per cent of the qualified electors of such municipality, shall, by resolution, re-submit to the qualified electors of such municipality, at a regular or special election, in the same manner hereinbefore specified, the question whether tax aid for such institution shall be discontinued, and if sixty-five per cent of the votes cast at such election on the proposition so submitted, be in favor of discontinuing tax aid, no further levy of tax shall be made for such purpose.

SEC. 3. Existing statutes not repealed. The provisions of this act shall not be construed as repealing any other provisions of title five (5) of the code or code supplement of 1907 relating to like institutions."

Approved March 18, A. D. 1909.

CHAPTER 48.

INDEBTEDNESS FOR CITY HALL PURPOSES.

S. F. 384.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), chapter four (4), title five (V), of the supplement to the code, 1907, authorizing certain cities to incur an indebtedness for the purpose of constructing a city hall in an amount not exceeding in the aggregate two percentum of the actual value of the taxable property within such city, and to authorize the issuance of bonds in pursuance of an election which may have been heretofore held authorizing the erection of such city hall.

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

SECTION 1. Amount of indebtedness—bonds. That the law as it appears in section seven hundred forty-one-f (741-f), chapter four, title five of the supplement to the code, 1907, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the words: "And in issuing such bonds such city may become indebted in an amount which added to all other indebtedness shall not exceed two per centum of the actual value of the taxable property in such city as determined by the last state and county tax list, anything in section thirteen hundred six-b (1306-b) of the supplement to the code, 1907, to the contrary notwithstanding, and such indebtedness may be incurred and such bonds issued in pursuance of an election which may have been heretofore held authorizing the erection of such city hall."

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 the city of Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 7, A. D. 1909.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and Des Moines Capital April 9, A. D. 1909.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.