

SEC. 3. Pending litigation. Nothing in this act shall affect any pending litigation.

SEC. 4. 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, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Evening Times Republican, a newspaper published at Marshalltown, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 12, A. D. 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader April 14, 1911, and in the Times Republican April 15, 1911.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 252.

THE TOWN OF MENLO.

H. F. 591.

AN ACT legalizing the ordinances of the town of Menlo, Guthrie county, Iowa, and the acts and proceedings of the council of said town had thereunder.

WHEREAS, it appears that the ordinances adopted by the town council of the town of Menlo, Guthrie county, Iowa, have not been enacted, passed and recorded in manner and form provided by law, and,

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen and do now exist as to the legality of said ordinances and the acts and proceedings of said town council thereunder, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Ordinances, acts and proceedings legalized. All ordinances passed by the town council of the town of Menlo, Guthrie county, Iowa, now in force and under which said town council is now acting, and all acts and proceedings had thereunder, in so far as they are not in contravention of the authority granted by law, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and binding and with the same force and effect as though the law had in every provision thereof been strictly complied with in the passage, enactment and record of said ordinances.

SEC. 2. Pending litigation—illegal ordinances and acts not validated. Nothing herein shall in any wise affect pending litigation, nor validate any such ordinance or act thereunder in excess of the powers delegated by law to cities and towns.

SEC. 3. In effect. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines Capital, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and the Menlo Journal, a newspaper published in the town of Menlo, Iowa. Said publications shall be without expense to the state.

Approved April 11, A. D. 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital April 12, 1911, and in the Menlo Journal April 20, 1911.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.