

4 age district to and including the establishment thereof and proceed-
 5 ings thereon to the present date be, and the same are, legalized and
 6 confirmed in all respects as if all of the provisions of the laws of the
 7 state of Iowa with regard to such proceedings had been fully and
 8 strictly complied with.

1 SEC. 7. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines
 3 Capital, published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Bulletin-Journal,
 4 published at Independence, Iowa.

Approved April 8, A. D. 1921.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital
 April 13, 1921, and in the Bulletin-Journal April 14, 1921.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 376

CRAWFORD COUNTY

H. F. 508.

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants issued by the board of supervisors of Crawford
 county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the county of Crawford, Iowa, by its board of supervisors,
 did heretofore authorize and incur indebtedness in the sum of forty-seven
 thousand dollars (\$47,000.00) for corporate purposes, as follows: twenty-
 nine thousand eight hundred eighty-seven dollars and seventy-two cents
 (\$29,887.72) and interest for constructing and repairing bridges, thirteen
 thousand nine hundred thirty-six dollars and seventeen cents (\$13,936.17)
 and interest, for improving roads, as permitted by law, and prior to Janu-
 ary 1, 1921, did issue warrants of said county in like amount to evidence
 such indebtedness, in the manner and form required by law; and

WHEREAS, said expenditures were made for necessary corporate pur-
 poses and the county of Crawford is enjoying the use and benefit thereof
 and the purposes for which said expenditures were made was and is
 well worth the sum which said county contracted should be paid therefor,
 and the indebtedness of said county at the time said warrants were issued
 did not, and does not at this time, exceed the constitutional limitation; and

WHEREAS, the cost incident to operating and maintaining the affairs
 and institutions of said county and its roads and bridges has been unusu-
 ally large during the past year, due to the unsettled business conditions
 throughout the country, and it is not clear whether such extraordinary
 charges constitute county indebtedness incurred for general and ordinary
 purposes; now, therefore,

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

1 SECTION 1. That the acts of the board of supervisors of the county
 2 of Crawford, in making such expenditures for said county and issuing
 3 warrants therefor in the sum of forty-seven thousand dollars
 4 (\$47,000.00) as aforesaid, be and the same are hereby legalized and
 5 validated.

1 SEC. 2. That said warrants issued by direction of the board of
 2 supervisors of the county of Crawford, Iowa, in the aggregate sum
 3 of forty-seven thousand dollars (\$47,000.00) in evidence of such
 4 expenditures, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be
 5 valid, legal and subsisting obligations of said county, and the board
 6 of supervisors of said county may issue and sell bonds to fund said
 7 warrants, as provided by the laws of the state of Iowa.

1 SEC. 3. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

1 SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in Des Moines
 3 Capital, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and
 4 Denison Review, a newspaper published in the city of Denison, Iowa,
 5 without expense to the state.

Approved March 10, A. D. 1921.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital March 11, 1921, and in the Denison Review March 16, 1921.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 377

HARDIN-HAMILTON JOINT DRAINAGE DISTRICT

S. F. 329.

AN ACT to legalize the acts and proceedings of the joint boards of supervisors of Hardin and Hamilton counties, state of Iowa, in relation to joint drainage district number two-one hundred four (2-104), within said counties:

WHEREAS, on the twenty-ninth (29th) day of September nineteen hundred nine (1909) there was filed in the offices of the county auditors of Hardin and Hamilton counties, a petition, with a bond duly approved asking for a joint drainage district to include certain lands within both counties, known as joint drainage district No. two-one hundred four (2-104) and said district was established, and,

WHEREAS, subsequently, the improvement was reconstructed at a large expense, and said reconstruction and improvements have been entirely completed and warrants in payment therefor have been issued to the contractor doing the work, and

WHEREAS, said work was done with the knowledge of the land owners in said district, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of the proceedings of the said boards of supervisors and the officers of said counties in connection with said improvement especially relating to notice to property owners within said district, some of whom do not appear to have had notice, required by law prior to the resolution of said joint boards ordering the said improvement, and

WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable to put at rest said doubts and all other