

1 SEC. 2. That the board of supervisors of said county be and are
2 hereby authorized to issue one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars
3 (\$125,000) refunding bonds of said county for the purpose of refund-
4 ing the court house bonds of said county in a like par amount.

1 SEC. 3. That the aforesaid refunding bonds of said county, when
2 issued as provided by section 403 et seq. of the code of Iowa, as
3 amended, shall be and are hereby declared to be the valid, legal and
4 subsisting obligations of the county and thereafter said county and
5 the board of supervisors thereof shall be and are hereby authorized to
6 levy taxes for the payment of the principal of and interest upon said
7 refunding bonds in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the
8 state of Iowa.

1 SEC. 4. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

1 SEC. 5. 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, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Rockwell
4 City Advocate, a newspaper published in Rockwell City, Iowa, all
5 without expense to the state.

Approved March 29, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital
March 31, 1923, and the Rockwell City Advocate April 5, 1923.

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

CHAPTER 342

CERRO GORDO COUNTY

S. F. 282

AN ACT to legalize the proceedings of the board of supervisors of Cerro Gordo county, Iowa, in calling an election authorizing the issuance of bonds in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) to pay for the construction of a new county home building, and to legalize said election and all proceedings connected therewith and to validate said bonds.

WHEREAS, at the general election held on November 2, 1920, a majority of the voters of said county voting at said election, voted in favor of issuing bonds of said Cerro Gordo county, in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00), for the purpose of erecting and constructing a new county home building; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the validity of the said election and the authority of the board of supervisors of Cerro Gordo county, to issue the amount of bonds authorized at said election; now, therefore,

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

1 SECTION 1. That the acts and proceedings of the board of super-
2 visors of Cerro Gordo county, Iowa, in calling said election and in sub-
3 mitting to the voters of Cerro Gordo county, Iowa, the question of
4 issuing bonds in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) for the

5 purpose of erecting and constructing a new county home building
6 and all proceedings in relation thereto, be and the same hereby are
7 legalized and validated.

1 SEC. 2. That the said bonds of said Cerro Gordo county, in the
2 aggregate amount of fifty thousand dollars, (\$50,000.00), so author-
3 ized at said election by the voters of said county be and the same
4 hereby are legalized and validated and when delivered to the pur-
5 chaser thereof shall be the valid, legal and subsisting obligations of
6 said Cerro Gordo county, 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 the Des Moines
3 Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa and the Mason
4 City Globe-Gazette, a newspaper published in Mason City, Iowa, with-
5 out expense to the state.

Approved February 16, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register
February 21, 1923, and the Mason City Globe-Gazette March 1, 1923.

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

CHAPTER 343

DES MOINES COUNTY BURLINGTON, IOWA

S. F. 644

AN ACT legalizing certain contracts awarded by the board of supervisors of Des Moines county Iowa and the council of the city of Burlington, Iowa, prior to January 1st, 1923, for the hard surfacing of certain roads in said county, and authorizing the issuing of certificates in anticipation of the allotments of primary road fund by said county.

WHEREAS, prior to January 1st, 1923, certain contracts were entered into by the board of supervisors of Des Moines county, Iowa, and the council of the city of Burlington, Iowa, for the paving and grading of certain roads connecting completed paved primary roads with, and extending the same into said city, which said contracts have been approved by the state highway commission, and the board of supervisors of said county, has, prior to said date, determined that a portion of the cost of said work shall be paid from the primary road fund allotted or to be allotted to said county, and such payment constitutes part of the terms of such contracts, and the account of such county with the primary road fund now shows that the estimated allotment of such county for the current and succeeding year, computed as now provided by law, available to apply on such contract price, and the special assessments against abutting and adjacent property that are or shall be provided by law or resolution, are together insufficient to cover the contract price for such road improvements, and question has thus arisen as to the validity of such contracts, and,