

1 SEC. 5. Section three hundred sixty-five point thirteen (365.13),
 2 Code 1966, is hereby amended by striking from line eight (8) the
 3 word “, but” and striking all of lines nine (9) through eighteen (18)
 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
 5 “. In cities of under twenty-five thousand (25,000) population the
 6 city council shall specify the residency requirements for chief of
 7 police. A chief of police shall maintain his civil service rights as
 8 determined by section three hundred sixty-five point twelve (365.12)
 9 of the Code.”

Approved May 5, 1970.

CHAPTER 1182

REMOVAL OF TREES

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AN ACT relating to removal of dead or diseased trees, the assessments of costs and issuance of special assessment bonds therefor.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Section three hundred sixty-eight point three (368.3),
 2 Code 1966, is hereby amended as follows:
 3 1. By striking from line ten (10) after the word “owner” the words
 4 “, occupant, or person in charge” and inserting in lieu thereof the
 5 words “or contract purchaser”.
 6 2. By inserting in line twelve (12) after the word “tree” the words
 7 “or dead wood”.
 8 3. By inserting after the word “disease” in line twelve (12) thereof
 9 the following: “, phloem necrosis, oak wilt, and other infectious dis-
 10 eases of trees”.
 11 4. By striking from line thirteen (13) the word “thereon” and in-
 12 serting in lieu thereof the words “upon said property”.
 13 5. By inserting in line fourteen (14) after the word “notice” the
 14 words “either personally or in the manner of service of original
 15 notice”.
 16 6. By adding to the end thereof the following:
 17 The costs so assessed may be paid in annual installments not to ex-
 18 ceed ten in number, payable in the manner and bearing interest as
 19 provided in section three hundred ninety-one point sixty (391.60). The
 20 assessment may be made, at the discretion of the council, as provided in
 21 this section and section three hundred sixty-eight point four (368.4)
 22 or by the procedures set out in chapter three hundred ninety-one (391),
 23 not inconsistent with this section. The municipality may issue special
 24 assessment bonds termed “tree sanitation bonds” under the provisions
 25 of chapter three hundred ninety-six (396) relating to bonds and cer-
 26 tificates for street and sewer improvement bonds, in anticipation of
 27 the deferred payment of assessments levied therefor.

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