

CHAPTER 201

COUNTY HOSPITALS

S. F. 355

AN ACT relating to the tax levy for county hospitals in counties having a population of two hundred twenty-five thousand or more.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section three hundred forty-seven point seven (347.7),
 2 unnumbered paragraph one (1), Code 1971, is amended as follows:
 3 If the hospital be established, the board of supervisors, at the time
 4 of levying ordinary taxes, shall levy a tax at the rate voted not to
 5 exceed two mills in any one year for the erection and equipment
 6 thereof, and also a tax not to exceed one mill for the improvement,
 7 maintenance, and replacements of the hospital, as certified by the
 8 board of hospital trustees; provided, however, in counties having a
 9 population of two hundred twenty-five thousand inhabitants or over,
 10 the levy for improvements and maintenance of the hospital shall not
 11 exceed [four and one-half] *five* mills in any one year. The proceeds
 12 of such taxes shall constitute the county public hospital fund and such
 13 fund shall be subject to review by the board of supervisors in counties
 14 over two hundred twenty-five thousand. Provided, however, that the
 15 board of trustees of a county hospital of said county, where funds are
 16 available in the county public hospital fund of said county which are
 17 unappropriated, may use such unappropriated funds for erecting and
 18 equipping hospital buildings and additions thereto without authority
 19 from the voters of said county.

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Italics indicate new material added to existing statutes; brackets indicate deletions from existing statutes. However, see Editor's note, page iii.

CHAPTER 202

COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITALS

H. F. 466

AN ACT to authorize counties operating county public hospitals to issue revenue bonds.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter three hundred forty-seven (347), Code
 2 1971, is amended by adding the following new section:
 3 "Any county having theretofore established a county public hos-
 4 pital being operated under the provisions of this chapter may equip,
 5 enlarge, and improve the county public hospital and acquire the
 6 necessary lands, rights-of-way, and other property. For the pur-
 7 pose of equipping, enlarging, and improving any such county pub-
 8 lic hospital, including the acquisition of the necessary lands, rights-
 9 of-way, and other property, any county may, pursuant to resolution
 10 of the board of supervisors of the county and after it has been deter-
 11 mined by the board of hospital trustees to be advisable, from time
 12 to time issue and dispose of its negotiable interest-bearing revenue