

CHAPTER 1013**FALSE USE OF NONRESIDENT LICENSES ISSUED BY
CONSERVATION COMMISSION***S.F. 322*

AN ACT prohibiting certain uses of licenses issued by the state conservation commission and providing a penalty.

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

Section 1. Chapter 110, Code 1981, is amended by adding the following new section:

NEW SECTION. A nonresident shall not obtain a resident license by falsely claiming residency in the state. The use of a license by a person other than the person to whom the license is issued is unlawful and shall nullify the license. A resident or nonresident who violates this section is guilty of a simple misdemeanor.

Approved February 18, 1982

CHAPTER 1014**CITY OF CHARITON LEGALIZING ACT***H.F. 856*

AN ACT to legalize the proceedings of the city council of Chariton relating to the construction of certain buildings.

WHEREAS, the City of Chariton, after advertising for bids by giving proper notice of the date, place and time of the bid openings, received bids for the construction of a concession stand and related improvements in Eikenberry Park, said park owned by the City of Chariton; and

WHEREAS, the low bid received was \$35,603.00, an amount felt to be excessive by the City Council and which was therefore rejected; and

WHEREAS, the City Council advertised again as required by law and at said second bid opening there was received a low bid of \$31,433.00, which was considered excessive by the Council and also rejected; and

WHEREAS, the City Council directed that City employees be used to construct said concession stand and related improvements, that a Project Director be hired on a part-time basis, and that all necessary materials be purchased from local merchants, and

WHEREAS, the City was able to complete the construction of said concession stand and related improvements for \$17,412.13; but some doubt has arisen as to the validity of the expenditure even though it was beneficial to the City of Chariton; NOW THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That all proceedings taken by the City of Chariton, Lucas County, Iowa, pertaining to the construction of said concession stand and related improvements in Eikenberry Park, a park owned and operated by the City of Chariton, be and the same are hereby validated, legalized and confirmed and shall constitute valid, legal and binding action for the construction thereof, the same as if no doubt had arisen as to the validity of the procedure taken.

Approved February 18, 1982

CHAPTER 1015

FISH AND GAME INCOME TAX REFUND CHECKOFF

H.F. 396

AN ACT relating to an income tax checkoff for the state fish and game protection fund.

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

Section 1. Chapter 107, Code 1981, is amended by adding the following new section:

NEW SECTION. A person who files an individual or a joint income tax return with the department of revenue under section 422.13 may designate any amount of a refund due on the return to be paid to the state fish and game protection fund. The amount designated shall not exceed the amount of refund due on the return.

The revenues received shall be used within the state of Iowa for habitat development and shall be deposited in the state fish and game protection fund. The revenue may be used for the matching of federal funds. The revenues and matched federal funds may be used for acquisition of land, leasing of land or obtaining of easements from willing sellers for use of land as wildlife habitats for game and nongame species. Not less than fifty percent of the funds derived from the checkoff shall be used for the purposes of preserving, protecting, perpetuating and enhancing nongame wildlife in this state. Nongame wildlife includes those animal species which are endangered, threatened or not commonly pursued or killed either for sport or profit. Notwithstanding the exemption in section 427.1, the land acquired with the revenues and matched federal funds is subject to the full consolidated levy of property taxes which shall be paid from those revenues. In addition the revenues may be used for the development and enhancement of wildlife lands and habitat areas and for research and management necessary to qualify for federal funds.

The director of revenue shall revise the income tax form to allow the designation of contributions to the state fish and game protection fund on the face of the tax return and above the signature lines.

The department of revenue on or before January 31 of the year following the preceding calendar year shall certify the total amount designated on the tax return forms due in the preceding calendar year and shall report the amount to the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall credit the amount to the state fish and game protection fund.