

Sec. 2. Section 346A.2, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

346A.2 AUTHORIZED IN CERTAIN COUNTIES. Counties may undertake and carry out any project as defined in section 346A.1, and the boards may operate, control, maintain and manage health centers and additions to and facilities for health centers. The boards may appoint committees, groups, or operating boards as they deem necessary and advisable to facilitate the operation and management of health centers, additions and facilities. A board may lease space in any health center to other public corporations, public agencies and private nonprofit agencies engaged in furnishing health, welfare and social services which lease shall be on terms and conditions the board deems advisable. All contracts for the construction, reconstruction, completion, equipment, improvement, repair or remodeling of any buildings, additions or facilities shall be let in accordance with section 331.341, subsection 1. To pay the cost of operating, maintaining and managing a health center ~~the~~ and to pay the costs of services provided pursuant to section 346A.1, subsection 3, the board of any such county may levy an annual tax in accordance with section 331.422, subsection 21.

Sec. 3. Section 331.422, subsection 21, Code 1983, is amended to read as follows:

21. For operation, maintenance, and management of a health center and for services provided pursuant to section 346A.1, subsection 3, not to exceed fifty-four cents per thousand dollars, in addition to all other levies authorized by law for similar purposes.

Sec. 4. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect from and after its publication in The Cedar Rapids Gazette, a newspaper published in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and in The Sioux City Journal, a newspaper published in Sioux City, Iowa. The tax levy authorization in this Act is effective for fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 1983.

Approved March 29, 1983

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 15 was published in The Cedar Rapids Gazette, Cedar Rapids, Iowa on April 11, 1983 and in The Sioux City Journal, Sioux City, Iowa on April 5, 1983.

MARY JANE ODELL, *Secretary of State*

CHAPTER 13
BLOOD DONATIONS
H.F. 53

AN ACT relating to the donation of blood by persons seventeen years of age or older.

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

Section 1. **NEW SECTION.** A person who is seventeen years of age or older may consent to donate blood in a voluntary and noncompensatory blood program without the permission of a parent or guardian. The consent is not subject to later disaffirmance because of minority.

Approved April 14, 1983