

S. F. No. 378.

CHAPTER 238.

An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of any county in this state to change the name of such county.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

Changing
names of
counties.

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of any county in this state may change the name of such county upon a petition signed by a number of the legal voters of said county equal to fifty-five (55%) per cent of the votes cast at the last preceding general election, and shall adopt the new name suggested in such petition as the official name of such county. Such petition shall be filed with the county auditor and it shall be the duty of the auditor thereupon to give public notice of the filing of such petition by publishing the same in the official newspaper of the county, and said petition shall be taken up and considered at the next meeting of said board of county commissioners, held not less than thirty days after the date of such notice.

Petition.

SEC. 2. The prayer of said petition being granted, the board shall make a formal order to that effect, which shall be filed with the auditor, and thereupon the official name of said county shall be the one so adopted.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 18, 1905.

S. F. No. 239.

CHAPTER 239.

An act to amend section 51, chapter 2 of the Laws of 1902, as amended by section 1, chapter 324 of the General Laws of 1903, relating to the distribution of penalties, costs and interest on real estate taxes.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION 1. That section 51 of chapter 2 of the General Laws of 1902, as amended by section 1, of chapter 324 of the General Laws of 1903, be amended so as to read as follows :

Penalties
on real
estate taxes.

"All penalties and interest accruing upon any tax levied by special assessment or otherwise, for local purposes, on real estate in any incorporated city, borough, or