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A BILL FOR

An Act to legalize the action of the county board of supervisors of Appanoose County, Iowa, in making expenditures and approving claims against said county for secondary road maintenance, to legalize said expenditures and said claims as valid and binding obligations of said county, and to authorize said county by its proper officials to pay said indebtedness evidenced by unpaid warrants by the issuance and exchange or sale of funding bonds as authorized by law.

WHEREAS, the board of supervisors of Appanoose County, Iowa, heretofore incurred indebtedness during the year 1946 for the maintenance of secondary roads in said county and during said year and prior to January 1, 1947, said board allowed and authorized the payment of said claims against the maintenance fund of said county, and

WHEREAS, said expenditures were for the purpose of maintaining roads, bridges and culverts, and for necessary material, equipment, repairs, parts, and supplies therefor, and the county of Appanoose is enjoying the use and benefit thereof and said expenditures were necessary to keep said roads in condition for general purposes and for transportation of agricultural and other products and for traffic deemed essential to the community, and said expenditures and the purpose for which they were made were well worth the sum which said county agreed should be paid therefor and the indebtedness of said county at the time said expenditures were made did not and does not now exceed the constitutional limit of indebtedness, and

WHEREAS, the claims so allowed, aggregate the sum of forty-eight thousand one hundred twenty-nine dollars and nineteen cents (\$48,129.19) and were and are bona fide claims against said county and should be paid, and

WHEREAS, at the time of the incurring of said indebtedness

there was no money in the secondary road maintenance fund of said county adequate to pay said indebtedness, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the authority of the board of supervisors to make said expenditures, incur said indebtedness, approve said claims and order the payment thereof and it is deemed advisable that said doubts and all questions concerning the validity of said indebtedness and said proceedings be forever put at rest; now therefore

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

1 Section 1. That the acts and proceedings of the board of
2 supervisors of the county of Appanoose making such expenditures
3 and incurring said indebtedness by said county and approving said
4 claims and ordering the payment thereof be and the same are hereby
5 legalized and validated.

1 Sec. 2. That the aforesaid claims against the county of
2 Appanoose in the aggregate sum of forty-eight thousand one
3 hundred twenty-nine dollars and nineteen cents (\$48,129.19) be
4 and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be binding,
5 valid, legal general obligations and indebtedness of said county,
6 and said county through its proper officers is authorized to
7 issue and exchange or sell bonds to fund said indebtedness as
8 provided by the laws of the state of Iowa.

1 Sec. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance
2 shall take effect and be in full force from and after its
3 passage and publication in the Centerville Daily Iowegian and
4 Citizen, a newspaper published in Centerville, Iowa, and in the
5 Moulton Weekly Tribune, a newspaper published in Moulton, Iowa.
6 without expense to the state of Iowa.