

Chap. 3. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PLYMOUTH TO APPROPRIATE A SUM OF MONEY TO CONSTRUCT AN INFORMATION FACILITY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of chapter two hundred and seventeen of the acts of nineteen hundred and seventy, or section six A of chapter forty of the General Laws, the town of Plymouth may appropriate during the nineteen hundred and seventy-four fiscal year a sum not exceeding sixty thousand dollars for the purposes of constructing and equipping an information facility in said town. The money so appropriated by the town shall be expended under the direction of the selectmen.

Approved February 7, 1974.

Chap. 4. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF LOWELL TO ISSUE CERTAIN TEMPORARY NOTES FOR A PERIOD NOT EXCEEDING TWO YEARS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding section seventeen of chapter forty-four of the General Laws, as amended, the city treasurer, with the approval of the city manager of the city of Lowell, heretofore authorized under an order of the city council passed October twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and sixty-nine to issue bonds in the amount of fifteen million three hundred thousand dollars pursuant to clause (15) of section eight of said chapter forty-four, as amended, may make a temporary loan for a period of not more than two years in anticipation of the money to be derived from the sale of such bonds, and may issue notes therefor; but the time within which the bonds shall become due and payable shall not be extended by reason of the making of such temporary loan. Temporary notes issued for a period of less than two years may be renewed or paid from time to time by the issue of other notes, provided that the period from the date of an original note to the maturity of any note issued to renew or pay the same debt shall not exceed two years.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved February 8, 1974.

Chap. 5. AN ACT PROVIDING THAT JOHN JOSEPH DRISCOLL SHALL, NOTWITHSTANDING CERTAIN MAXIMUM AGE REQUIREMENTS, BE ELIGIBLE FOR APPOINTMENT AS A FIRE FIGHTER IN THE TOWN OF NORTH ANDOVER.

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to immediately make John Joseph Driscoll eligible to take the next open competitive civil service examination for fire fighter in the town of North Andover, notwithstanding the fact that

he has passed the maximum age for eligibility for said examination, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of any law to the contrary regulating the maximum age of applicants for appointment as a fire fighter, John Joseph Driscoll shall be eligible to take the next open competitive examination for fire fighter in the town of North Andover and, provided he meets all other requirements, shall be eligible for certification and appointment as a fire fighter in said town.

Approved February 14, 1974.

Chap. 6. AN ACT AUTHORIZING CITIES AND TOWNS TO LEASE CERTAIN PROPERTY TO THE UNITY WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION, INC., POST NO. 1 FOR USE AS POST HEADQUARTERS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 9 of chapter 40 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the word "Inc.", in line 10, as appearing in chapter 57 of the acts of 1961, the words:— , of the Unity War Veterans Association, Inc., Post No. 1.

Approved February 14, 1974.

Chap. 7. AN ACT REPEALING THE LAW REGULATING THE SALE OF BRAKE FLUID.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section two hundred and ninety-five X of chapter ninety-four of the General Laws is hereby repealed.

Approved February 14, 1974.

Chap. 8. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TIME PERIOD FOR TOWN MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS OF TOWN OFFICIALS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 39 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 9, as most recently amended by section 23 of chapter 849 of the acts of 1969, and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Section 9. Except as otherwise provided by special law or a charter adopted or revised or amended under Sections two, three, or four of Article LXXXIX of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth which may provide for a different time for the