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Proposed Amendment by Board of  
Freeholders to Section 333 of the  
Charter of the City of Stillwater re-  
lating, among other things, to the  
levying of taxes for all school pur-  
poses.

Stillwater Minnesota,  
June 10, 1918.  
To Honorable J. E. Kollner, Mayor of  
the City of Stillwater:

The Board of Freeholders, of which  
the undersigned members constitute  
a majority, appointed by the District  
Court of Washington County, Minne-  
sota, and duly authorized by law to  
propose amendments to the Charter of  
the City of Stillwater, hereby proposes  
that Section 333 of the Charter of the  
City of Stillwater, be and is hereby  
amended, so that said Section 333 shall  
read as follows:

333. Taxation.—The Board of  
Education is hereby authorized  
and empowered to levy upon the  
taxable property of the City each  
and every year such taxes as will  
raise sufficient sums of money for  
all school purposes of every char-  
acter whatsoever, including money  
for the purchase, construction, and  
repair of school buildings and also  
money to defray the expenses  
incident to the maintenance  
thereof; and also such sums  
as will provide for the prompt  
payment of all indebtedness  
of said district, provided that  
the aggregate annual amount shall  
not exceed in any year twenty-  
three mills on the dollar upon the  
assessed valuation of said district,  
unless the Council of the City of  
Stillwater shall approve the same  
by a majority vote. The Board of  
Education shall make and return  
its annual levy of taxes on or be-  
fore the first day of September of  
each year to the County Auditor  
of the County of Washington, and  
such taxes shall be collected and  
the payment thereof enforced in  
like manner as state and county  
taxes are collected and the pay-  
ment thereof enforced, and when  
collected shall, together with all  
costs, interest, and penalties col-  
lected thereon, be turned over by  
the County Treasurer to the  
Treasurer of said Board, at the  
times said County Treasurer is re-  
quired to make settlement with  
the City Treasurer of the City.

Board of Freeholders,  
By S. BLAIR McBEATH,  
Chairman,  
WILLIAM H. BEAN,  
Secretary,  
EDWIN D. BUFFINGTON,  
E. E. JOHNSON,  
C. E. MOSIER,  
G. E. MUNKEL,  
M. L. MURPHY,  
O. H. OLSEN,  
OSCAR OSTROM,  
ROBERT SLAUGHTER,  
GUST JOHNSON.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA )  
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON) SS.  
CITY OF STILLWATER )

THESE PRESENTS HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing draft of a proposed amendment to Section 333 of the Charter of the City of Stillwater as duly returned and delivered to the Chief Executive or Chief Magistrate of said City of Stillwater to-wit: its Mayor, J. R. Kolliner, by the board of freeholders appointed by the late Hon. P. H. Stolberg, and by the Hon. J. N. Searles, each being respectively at the time of such appointment, Judge of the Nineteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, under and pursuant to the constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota, was duly submitted to the qualified voters of said City of Stillwater at a special election, duly called and held for that purpose only, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1918, at which said election there were cast in favor of the adoption and ratification of said proposed amendment to Section 333 of the Charter of the City of Stillwater two hundred ninety (290) votes out of a total vote of four hundred sixty-two (462) cast at said special election, and at said special election said proposed amendment to Section 333 of the Charter of the City of Stillwater did receive the votes of more than three-fifths of the qualified voters voting at said special election in said City in favor of the adoption and ratification thereof, and that all of the votes so cast by the qualified voters at said special election were duly returned and canvassed by the properly and duly authorized and official canvassing board in and for said City of Stillwater, and that said canvassing board after such canvass did duly declare said proposed amendment to said Section 333 of the Charter of the City of Stillwater to have been duly adopted.

Witness our hands and the corporate seal of the City of Stillwater, Minnesota, this 5th day of September, 1918.

  
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Mayor of City of Stillwater.

Attest:   
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City Clerk of City of Stillwater.

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