

ORDINANCE NO. 1967-1

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTENANCE AND SUPERVISION OF A PUBLIC LIBRARY IN THE VILLAGE OF BROWNSDALE, MINNESOTA

The Village Council of the Village of Brownsdale, Minnesota, ordains,

Section I. The Village of Brownsdale, Minnesota, Public Library and Reading Room heretofore established shall be continued and all ordinances and resolutions heretofore passed relating to the establishment of said Public Library are hereby confirmed and said Public Library and Reading Room shall hereafter be maintained and operated under the provisions of this ordinance.

Section II. The Public Library shall be under the jurisdiction of a board of five directors known as the Library Board of the Village of Brownsdale, Minnesota. The general statutes of Minnesota applying to public libraries and reading rooms shall govern the appointment of the board members, their tenure in office, and their powers and duties.

Section III. The part of the premises upon which the Village of Brownsdale, Minnesota, Community Building is located upon and a part of said Village of Brownsdale Community Building are hereby provided and set aside for the use as a Public Library and Reading Room.

Section IV. For the purpose of maintaining such library the Village Council annually shall levy a tax upon all the taxable property in the Village not exceeding 8 mills on the dollar. Proceeds of such tax, together with all other monies received for such library, shall be paid into the village treasury and credited to a special fund to be known as "The Library Fund."

Section V. It shall be unlawful for any person wilfully to commit any injury to any property of the Public Library or wilfully to damage or mutilate any book, periodical or other property of the Public Library or to wilfully fail to return any book, periodical or other property of the Public Library or Reading Room after the expiration of the time for which such book, periodical or other property may be kept according to the rules and regulations duly adopted by the Board of the Public Library.

Section VI. Any person violating any provision of Section V. shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon

conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$100.00 or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding 90 days.

Passed by the Common Council of the Village of Brownsdale, Minnesota, this 12 day of January, 1967.

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Dale E. Jarvis
Village Clerk

Max H. Kenton
Mayor, Village of Brownsdale,
Minnesota