

joining with a city in equipping and maintaining play grounds may permit, under the limitations provided in section 7622-1 and 7622-3 the use of the school grounds adjacent to the several school buildings of such district for the carrying on of a recreational program.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

2516.

APPROVAL, SYNOPSIS OF A PROPOSED LAW SET FORTH IN THE INITIATIVE PETITION RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN OHIO STATE POLICE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 23, 1925.

DAY, CORRIGAN & DAY, *Attorneys-at-Law, Cleveland, Ohio.*

GENTLEMEN:—You have submitted for my approval, under the provisions of section 5175-29e, a synopsis of a proposed law set forth in the initiative petition relating to the establishment of an Ohio state police. You further submit a copy of the proposed initiative petition. Said synopsis reads:

“To provide for the establishing of the Ohio state police, consisting of two hundred and twenty (220) state police designated as troopers and including the necessary officers for the purpose of co-operating with local authorities throughout the state in detecting crime, apprehending criminals, repressing riots, directing traffic and preserving law and order throughout the state of Ohio and to empower the general assembly to make the necessary appropriations for the functioning of the Ohio state police.”

I, C. C. Crabbe, attorney general of the state of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing synopsis is a true statement of the contents and purpose of the proposed law set forth in the initiative petition considered herein.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

2517.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE LONGENECKER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, OF GREENVILLE, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF THE REMODELING OF THE STATE OWNED ARMORY AT EATON, OHIO, AT COST OF \$14,670.00. SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE UNITED STATES FIDELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 26, 1925.

HON. FRANK D. HENDERSON, Adjutant General, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the state of Ohio, acting by the adjutant general, and the Longenecker Construction Company,

of Greenville, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of the remodeling of the state owned armory at Eaton, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of \$14,670.00.

You have submitted the certificate of the director of finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances, legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, the board of control authorized advertisement for ten days, informal bids were taken and tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

2518.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE LONGENECKER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, OF GREENVILLE, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF AN ADDITION TO THE STATE OWNED ARMORY AT EATON, OHIO, AT COST OF \$2,995.00. SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE UNITED STATES FIDELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 26, 1925.

HON. FRANK D. HENDERSON, Adjutant General, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the state of Ohio, acting by the adjutant general, and the Longenecker Construction Company, of Greenville, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of an addition to the state owned armory at Eaton, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of \$2,995.00.

You have submitted the certificate of the director of finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, the board of control authorized advertisement for ten days, informal bids were taken, and tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.