

opinion from me as to whether or not the said Board of Health is authorized to purchase a motor vehicle for the County Health Commissioner or District Health Commissioner for her official use.

Will you kindly submit an opinion on this question?"

The question which you submit was considered and passed upon by this department in an opinion, found in Opinions of the Attorney General for 1925, page 761, the syllabus of which is as follows:

"There is no express authority authorizing a district board of health to purchase an automobile for the use of its employees. However, where conditions are such that the successful, economical and efficient performance of the board's duties, which are expressly imposed by statute, requires such a purchase, the authority is reasonably implied. Whether or not such a condition exists is a question of fact to be determined in each case, in the discretion of the board."

I concur in the views expressed in the above opinion by the then Attorney General and therefore refer you to the discussion of the question as contained therein. In the event that you have not available the bound volume of the Opinions of the Attorney General for 1925, I enclose herewith an office copy of the opinion referred to above.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF NEWTON FALLS CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT, TRUMBULL COUNTY, OHIO—\$100,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 10, 1929.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

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DISAPPROVAL, NOTES OF SHARON RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, NOBLE COUNTY, OHIO—\$7,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 10, 1929.

Re: Notes of Sharon Rural School District, Noble County, Ohio, \$7,000.00.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I have examined the transcript of the proceedings of the board of education and other officers of Sharon Rural School District, Noble County, relative