

HOUSE BILL No. 2708

AN ACT concerning the Johnson county park and recreation district; relating to the acquisition of property and the issuance of bonds; amending K.S.A. 19-2874 and repealing the existing section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 19-2874 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-2874. The park district may issue bonds to acquire real estate and may issue bonds to improve the park system or any part thereof: ~~Provided, That. The board may submit the question of the issuance of bonds to acquire real estate and for the improvement thereof may be provided for in one proposition: Provided further, That.~~ No bonds shall be issued unless authorized by a majority of all the votes cast on the proposition by the qualified electors of the district at an election called and held for the purpose. ~~A proposition to acquire real estate shall describe any real estate to be acquired and the location thereof for any given park or playground site. Any propositions~~ *The proposition shall specify the purpose for which the bonds are to be issued and the school district within which any real estate proposed to be acquired is located. Any proposition for bonds for improvements shall describe the kind or kinds of improvements proposed to be made but need not specify the amounts to be spent for any given improvements. The bonded indebtedness of the park district shall not exceed one and one-half percent (1½%) 1½% of the assessed taxable tangible valuation of the park district at any one time. Except as otherwise provided, all bonds shall be issued as provided by the general bond law in article 1 of chapter 10 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated and amendments thereto except as otherwise provided by this act. All bonds issued under this act shall be general obligations of the park district and the park board shall levy taxes upon all assessed taxable tangible property within the park district to pay the bonds and interest thereon as the same mature and come due.*

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-2874 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

I hereby certify that the above BILL originated in the HOUSE, and passed that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the SENATE _____

President of the Senate.

Secretary of the Senate.

APPROVED _____

Governor.