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Reduces the minimum number of meetings that the board of the District One Hospital District must hold to at least twice each year, instead of once a month. Effective the day after enactment.

District One Hospital District was established under a 1963 special law. The special law provides for the board to consist of nine members appointed by an appointment committee consisting of elected officials representing the municipalities of the hospital district. Laws 1963, chapter 118, section 2, subdivision 4, as amended by Laws 1996, chapter 471, article 8, section 20. The municipalities in the district include “the cities of Faribault, Nerstrand, and Morristown; and the townships of Wheeling, Cannon City, Wells, Shieldsville, Morristown, Warsaw, Walcott, and Richland.” Laws 1963, chapter 118, section 1, subdivision 3, as amended by Laws 1996, chapter 471, article 8, section 19.

Last session, the legislature authorized the district to sell district property. It also repealed the special law for the district, effective when the cities in the district submit a petition to dissolve to the district. Laws 2014, chapter 183.