

**446.020 Singular includes plural -- Masculine includes feminine.**

- (1) A word importing the singular number only may extend and be applied to several persons or things, as well as to one (1) person or thing, and a word importing the plural number only may extend and be applied to one (1) person or thing as well as to several persons or things.
- (2) A word importing the masculine gender only may extend and be applied to females as well as males.

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