

CHAPTER 472—S.F.No.2699

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the salaries of the county commissioners of Ramsey county; amending Laws 1961, Chapter 676, Section 1, as amended; repealing Laws 1961, Chapter 676, Sections 2 and 3, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1961, Chapter 676, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1965, Chapter 784, Section 1, is amended to read:

Section 1. **RAMSEY COUNTY; COMMISSIONERS; SALARIES.** Each member of the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county shall receive an annual salary as fixed by the county board by resolution, but not to exceed \$6,500, and the mayor of the city of Saint Paul shall receive a salary as fixed by the county board of Ramsey county not to exceed \$2500 annually for service as ex officio chairman of the county board of Ramsey county, which sum may be retained by him regardless of any provision of charter or other prohibition. The resolution shall not be effective until the first business day of January next following and if within 30 days following its publication a petition asking for an election on the proposition signed by voters equal to 5 percent of the number of voters at the last regular election is filed with the county auditor, the resolution shall not be effective until it has been approved by a majority of the votes cast on the question at a regular or special election. Salaries thus fixed by resolution shall remain in effect until changed by similar action, except that the board may by resolution fix such salaries in a smaller amount for any year. Until thus changed by resolution the salaries shall remain \$6,500 for the commissioners and \$2,500 for the ex-officio chairman.

Sec. 2. Laws 1961, Chapter 676, Sections 2 and 3, as amended by Laws 1965, Chapter 157, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1967, Chapter 777, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1969, Chapter 863, Section 1, are repealed.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval by the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 21, 1971.

Changes or additions indicated by underline, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.