CHAPTER 398 — S.F.No. 1927

An act relating to St. Louis County; establishing positions in the unclassified civil service: amending Laws 1941, chapter 423, section 6, as amended.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Laws 1941, chapter 423, section 6, as amended by Laws 1949, chapter 255, section 1; Laws 1949, chapter 258, section 1; Laws 1949, chapter 309, section 1; Laws 1951, chapter 310, section 1; Laws 1959, chapter 217, section 1; Laws 1967, chapter 142, section 1; and Laws 1969, chapter 420, is amended to read:

Sec. 6. ST. LOUIS COUNTY; CIVIL SERVICE.

The officers and employees of such county and of any agency, board, or commission, supported in whole or in part by taxation upon the taxable property of such county or appointed by the judges of the district or probate court for such county, are hereby divided into the unclassified and classified service. The unclassified service shall comprise:

- a. All officers elected by popular vote or persons appointed to fill vacancies in such offices.
- b. Judges and receivers, referees, arbiters, court reporters, jurors, notaries public, and persons appointed by a court to make or conduct any special inquiry of a judicial and temporary character.
- c. Superintendent or principal administrative officer or comptroller of any separate department of county government which is now or hereafter created pursuant to law, who is directly responsible to the board of county commissioners or any other board or commission, as well as the county agricultural agents and the home demonstration agents under the control of the county extension committee.
- d. Members of the teaching staff, supervisors and principals in the employ of the superintendent of county schools.
- e. Members of non-paid board, or commissioners appointed by the board of county commissioners or acting in an advisory capacity.
- f. Assistant county attorneys or special investigators in the employ of the county attorney.
 - g. All common labor temporarily employed on an hourly basis.
 - h. All inmate or patient help in county institutions.

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- i. All physicians, dentists, registered nurses and medical laboratory technicians working under the direction of a licensed physician or dentist in any hospital or sanatorium operated by a commission or board of such county.
- j. All county commissioners' clerks appointed by the county board after the passage of this act; but nothing in this act shall affect the civil service status of any person previously appointed and now holding such a position in the classified service of the county.
- <u>k. A legislative lobbyist/grant coordinator appointed by the county board to act as legislative liaison with the St. Louis County legislative delegation and pursue legislative concerns and grant opportunities for the county, and the clerk for that position.</u>

The classified service shall include all other positions now existing and hereinafter created in the service of the county or any board or commission, agency, or offices of such county, including mine inspectors appointed by the board of county commissioners.

Sec. 2. LOCAL APPROVAL.

This act takes effect the day after compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivision 3, by the board of county commissioners of St. Louis County.

Approved April 18, 1984

CHAPTER 399 — H.F.No. 559

An act relating to courts; providing for interest rates on judgments; amending Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 549.09, subdivision 1.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 549.09, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. WHEN OWED; RATE. (a) When the judgment is for the recovery of money, including a judgment for the recovery of taxes, interest from the time of the verdict or report until judgment is finally entered shall be computed by the clerk as provided in this section clause (c) and added to the judgment. (b) Except as otherwise provided by contract or allowed by law, pre-verdict or pre-report interest on pecuniary damages shall be computed as provided in clause (c) from the time of the commencement of the action, except as provided herein. If either party serves a written offer of settlement, the other party may serve a written acceptance or a written counter-offer within 60 days.

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