

*and the salary of each trustee at not more than \$15.00 per month, in villages located therein and having a population of more than 500 inhabitants and having an assessed valuation at not less than \$100,000 and not more than \$925,000; provided further, in villages of this state having a population of not less than 2,100 inhabitants, according to the Federal census of 1940 and having an assessed valuation of not less than \$700,000, including money and credits, for the year 1940 and having a municipal electric light plant, the salary of the president may be increased to \$100.00 per annum and the salary of each trustee may be increased to \$60.00 per annum by resolution adopted by unanimous vote of the village council."*

Approved April 16, 1941.

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#### CHAPTER 244—H. F. No. 683

*An act changing the date for preparation and publication of the annual financial statement in villages; amending Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 1174 and 1175.*

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1174, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"1174. **Duties of treasurer—preparation of financial statement.**—The treasurer shall give such bond as the council may require. He shall collect, receipt for and safely keep all money belonging to the village, and shall promptly enter, in a book to be provided for the purpose, an account of all money received and disbursed by him as treasurer; showing the sources and objects thereof, with the date of each transaction. He shall pay out no money except upon the written order of the president of the council, attested by the clerk, which orders, being paid and cancelled, he shall retain as his vouchers. Such accounts and vouchers shall be exhibited to the council upon its request and he shall deliver to his successor all books, papers, and money belonging to said village. And *the treasurer in office at the close of the calendar year shall immediately thereafter make out and file with the clerk for public inspection a detailed account of his receipts and disbursements, with the sources and objects of each.*"

Sec. 2. Law amended.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 1175, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**"1175. Clerk to make and publish financial statement.**—Thereupon the clerk *in office at the close of the calendar year* shall prepare a detailed statement of the financial affairs of the village for the preceding year, showing all money received, with the sources, dates and respective amounts thereof; all money paid, to whom and for what purpose; all outstanding and unpaid orders, to whom issued and for what purpose; all money remaining in the treasury; also all other items necessary to accurately show the financial condition of such village. He shall file such statement in his office for public inspection, and shall *present it to the council not later than January 15. The clerk shall publish the same not later than January 31* in a newspaper published in such village to be selected by the village council, and if there be no such newspaper he shall post copies of such statement in three of the most public places in such village."

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CHAPTER 245—H. F. No. 699

*An act relating to the providing ballot labels, diagrams, sample ballots, return sheets, and other supplies needed for voting machines and for pro-rating costs between the state and counties; amending Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 601-8(1)g.*

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 601-8(1)g, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**"601-8(1)g. Officers to provide ballot labels—diagrams, etc., for voting machines.**—The same authorities as are charged with providing paper ballots when such are used shall be required to provide all ballot labels, diagrams, sample ballots, return sheets and all other necessary supplies needed for the voting machines.

*In state and county general elections the county auditor of each county using voting machines shall provide all ballot labels and other necessary printed forms and supplies needed for the voting machines, including all such forms needed for*