

(4) Filing fees in all proceedings for the appointment of a guardian of the estate of a minor or incompetent in said court shall be as follows:

(a) Where the gross value of the estate of said minor or incompetent is less than \$1,000, the sum of \$2.00;

(b) Where the gross value of the estate of said minor or incompetent is more than \$1,000 and less than \$15,000, the sum of \$4.00;

(c) Where the gross value of the estate of said minor or incompetent is more than \$15,000 and less than \$100,000, the sum of \$12;

(d) Where the gross value of the estate of said minor or incompetent is more than \$100,000, the sum of \$37.

Sec. 3. *In St. Louis county, notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 508.81, as amended, on the filing of any application for registration, the applicant shall pay the clerk of the court the sum of \$10, which shall be in full of all clerk's fees and charges in such proceedings on his behalf. Any defendant on entering his appearance shall pay a like sum, which shall be in full of all clerk's fees on his behalf. When any number of defendants enter their appearance jointly only one fee shall be paid. Every publication in a newspaper required by this law shall be paid for by the party on whose application the publication is made. The party at whose request any notice is issued shall pay for the service of the same, except when sent by mail by the clerk or by the registrar.*

Sec. 4. *Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 357.05, is hereby repealed.*

Sec. 5. *This act shall become effective upon its approval by a majority vote of the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county and upon compliance with the provisions of Laws 1959, Chapter 368.*

Approved April 13, 1961.

CHAPTER 314—H. F. No. 1006

[Not Coded]

An act relating to St. Louis county; abolishing the board of auditors thereof.

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

Section 1. **St. Louis county; board of auditors.** Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 385.06, such provisions do not apply to St. Louis county, and the board of audit thereof is abolished.

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective upon its approval by the majority of the members of the board of county commissioners of St. Louis county and upon compliance with Laws 1959, Chapter 368.

Approved April 13, 1961.

CHAPTER 315—H. F. No. 1041

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the village of Buhl in St. Louis county; providing for the establishment of a public utilities commission therein and prescribing its powers and duties.

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

Section 1. **Buhl, village of; public utilities commission.** Subdivision 1. In the village of Buhl in St. Louis county, the village is empowered to establish by ordinance a public utilities commission in said village upon petition therefor signed by voters equal in number to at least 15 percent of the electors voting at the last preceding village election.

Subd. 2. Before establishing such commission, the village council may, in its discretion, submit to the voters at a regular election or at a special election held for that purpose the question of establishing such commission. The question on the ballot shall be stated substantially as follows: "Shall a public utilities commission be established?"

Subd. 3. If a majority of the votes cast on the proposition so submitted is in the affirmative, the village shall establish by ordinance a public utilities commission in the village of Buhl.

Sec. 2. If a public utilities commission is established as provided in section 1 hereof, the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, Sections 412.341 to 412.391, and acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, shall apply to such

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