

town shall pay its assessor \$10 for each approved course successfully completed and \$20 upon his certification. The maximum payable to an assessor for successful completion of courses and certification shall not exceed \$50.

In the case of townships organized after the effective date of this act except towns located in counties enumerated in Minnesota Statutes, Section 391.01 or which have elected a county assessor system in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 273.055, the board shall allow the town adequate time to employ a certified assessor.

Sec. 2. This act is effective on the day following final enactment.

Approved April 10, 1974.

CHAPTER 450—H.F.No.3335

An act relating to taxation; allowing county treasurer additional time after settlement to make distribution; amending Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 276.11.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 276.11, is amended to read:

276.11 TAXATION; TIME OF DISTRIBUTION BY COUNTY TREASURER. As soon as practical after each settlement in February, May, and October the county treasurer shall pay over to the state treasurer or the treasurer of any town, city, ~~village~~, or school district, on the warrant of the county auditor, all moneys received by him arising from taxes levied and collected belonging to the state, or to such municipal corporation, or other body, and deliver up all orders and other evidences of indebtedness of such municipal corporation or other body, taking triplicate receipts therefor. He shall file one of the receipts with the county auditor, and shall return one by mail on the day of its reception to the clerk of the town, city, ~~village~~, or school district to which such payment was made, who shall preserve the same in his office. The county treasurer is authorized and directed to make such partial payments of amounts collected periodically in advance of final settlements as may be practicable. Accompanying each payment to the state treasurer or treasurer of any town, city, ~~village~~, or school district shall be a statement prepared by the county treasurer designating the years for which taxes included in the payment were collected and, for each year, the amount of such taxes and any penalties thereon. The county treasurer shall upon written request of the state, a municipal corporation or other public body pay at least 70 percent of the estimated collection within 30 days after settlement. He shall pay the bal-

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ance of the amounts collected to the state or to a municipal corporation or other body within ~~45-60~~ days after settlement, provided, however, that after ~~30-45~~ days interest shall accrue to the credit of and shall be paid to the state, municipal corporation or other body. Interest shall be payable upon appropriation from the general revenue fund of the county and, if not paid, may be recovered by the state, municipal corporation, or other body, in a civil action.

Sec. 2. This act is effective the day following its final enactment.

Approved April 10, 1974.

CHAPTER 451—H.F.No.3356
[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the city of Mankato to establish and maintain a traffic and ordinance violation bureau.

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

Section 1. MANKATO, CITY OF; TRAFFIC AND ORDINANCE VIOLATION BUREAU; ESTABLISHMENT. The city of Mankato in Blue Earth county may, by ordinance adopted by its council in accordance with the city charter and this act, establish a traffic and ordinance violation bureau to assist the courts in disposing of violations of city code provisions relating to traffic laws, building construction, licensing, streets and sidewalks, operation or maintenance, fire and fire prevention, public health and sanitation, public protection, and zoning.

Sec. 2. PROCEDURE. The city manager shall be the director of the traffic and ordinance violation bureau, hereinafter referred to as the bureau, and may assign subordinates in his office to perform the work of said bureau under his direction. The bureau shall be located in the city hall and the city manager shall designate the hours when the same is open. Ordinance violations may be disposed of by permitting the person charged to pay the prescribed fine in person at the bureau or by mail to the bureau within the time specified. The payment of the fine shall be deemed to be the entry of a plea of guilty to the violation charged and the plea of guilty and waiver on the reverse side of the tag shall be signed by the person charged.

Sec. 3. RECORDS; FINES AND OTHER COLLECTIONS. The bureau shall keep a complete record of all violations brought before it and all tags processed through it. Any fine or penalty received by the bureau from a person charged with a violation who does not appear before a judge or judicial officer shall be paid to the city treasurer. The bureau shall submit summarized reports, at least monthly, to the city manager of all violations processed through said bureau and of all

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