

Sec. 3. The commissioner of highways shall remove or cause to be removed any advertisement or sign prohibited under this act.

Approved April 19, 1947.

CHAPTER 420—H. F. No. 936

An act relating to the compensation and mileage of town and village assessors and other town officers; amending Laws 1945, Chapter 481, Section 2.

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

Section 1. Laws 1945, Chapter 481, Section 2, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 367.05, is amended to read as follows:

367.05. Compensation. Subdivision 1. Town assessors. The town assessors shall be compensated at the rate of \$6.00 per day for each day's service necessarily rendered, not exceeding 90 days, and mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in going to and returning from the county-seat of the county to attend any meeting of the assessors of the county which may be legally called by the county auditor, and also for each mile necessarily traveled in making his return of assessment to the proper county officer; provided, that the electors, at the annual town meeting, after reading and disposing of the annual report, may fix the compensation of the assessor on an annual basis, but such compensation of the assessor in any town having an assessed valuation of more than \$200,000, and less than \$1,000,000, when so fixed shall not exceed \$500.00 and shall not be less than \$100.00 in any one year; and that in any town having an assessed valuation, including money and credits, of less than \$200,000, the maximum compensation for assessor in any year shall not exceed \$400.00 and shall not be less than \$75.00. In addition to the per diem or compensation fixed on an annual basis, the electors at the annual town meeting are authorized in their discretion to allow the assessor mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in his assessment work. *This subdivision shall not apply to any county having not less*

than 450,000 inhabitants and an assessed valuation, including money and credits, of more than \$450,000,000.

Subd. 2. **Other town officers.** The following town officers shall be entitled to compensation for each day's service necessarily rendered:

Supervisors and clerks, \$4.00 when the service is rendered within the town, and \$4.00 when rendered without the town and mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled on official business out of the town, but not exceeding \$30.00 for such mileage for any one town officer in any year; but no supervisor shall receive more than \$120.00 as compensation in any one year; provided, that in any town containing over 50, but not more than 55, sections the salary of the supervisors, in addition to mileage herein allowed, shall be \$4.00 per day when the service is rendered within the town, and \$4.00 per day when the service is rendered without the town, but no supervisor in any such town shall receive more than \$135.00 as compensation in any one year;

For the following services the clerk shall receive fees, and not a per diem:

- (1) Certifying each notice of election, 25 cents;
- (2) Posting notices, each, 25 cents and ten cents for each mile necessarily traveled;
- (3) Filing each paper, ten cents;
- (4) Recording orders and other instruments, ten cents per folio;
- (5) Copying and certifying any record or instrument recorded or filed in his office, ten cents per folio, to be paid by the person applying therefor.

The voters at any town meeting, after reading and disposing of the annual report, may, by resolution, fix the scale of wages and the hours of employment of the road overseer and of any other person employed by any town on any town road. The voters at any town meeting, after reading and disposing of the annual report, may, by resolution, increase or decrease the compensation of town officers, not to exceed 50 per cent.

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to repeal any law wherein any towns are classified for the purpose

of fixing the salaries, or maximum salaries, or *mileage*, of any of their officers.

Subd. 3. **Compensation of village assessor in Hennepin County.** The village assessor shall be entitled to compensation at the rate of \$6.00 per day for each day's service necessarily rendered, not exceeding 90 days, and mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in going to and returning from the county-seat of the county to attend any meeting of the assessors of the county which may be legally called by the county auditor, and also for each mile necessarily traveled in making his return of assessment to the proper county officers; provided that the compensation of the village assessor may be fixed by the governing board of such village at a sum of not to exceed \$500.00 and not less than \$100.00 in any one year. In addition to the per diem or compensation fixed on an annual basis, the governing board of the village is authorized in its discretion to allow the village assessor mileage at the rate of five cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in his assessment work. *This subdivision shall not apply to any county having not less than 450,000 inhabitants and an assessed valuation, including money and credits, of more than \$450,000,000.*

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CHAPTER 421—H. F. No. 1125

[Coded as Sections 122.40 to 122.54]

An act to provide a survey for reorganization of school districts and appropriating money therefor.

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

[122.40] **Survey for reorganization of school districts.**

Section 1. Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** For the purposes of this chapter, unless a different meaning is indicated by the context, the words, terms, and phrases defined in this section shall have the meanings given them:

Subd. 2. "Committee" means the school survey committee hereinafter authorized to be created in all counties of the state.