

or hereafter having a population in excess of 150,000, the salaries of all county elective officials who receive less than \$400.00 per annum in fees shall be 110 per cent of the amounts now fixed by statute until June 30, 1947. In all such counties, the salaries of all appointive officials and employees, which are now fixed by statute including the salaries of the District Court Reporters shall be fixed and determined by the County Board, provided, however, that the county attorney and such assistants that may be employed and have offices in the county seat of said county shall devote their entire time to the performance of the duties of their office and shall not engage in the private practice of law.

Approved April 21, 1945.

CHAPTER 474—H. F. No. 1407

An act relating to salaries of county officers in certain counties.

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

Section 1. Salaries of county officers in certain counties. In all counties of this state with a population of 50,000 but less than 60,000 inhabitants, based on the population according to the then last preceding state or federal census, the respective county officers shall receive as compensation for services rendered by them for their respective counties, annual salaries as follows:

- (1) County Auditor, \$3,300;
- (2) County Treasurer, \$3,300;
- (3) Judge of Probate, \$3,300;
- (4) Register of Deeds, \$3,300;
- (5) Sheriff, \$3,300;
- (6) Clerk of Court, \$3,000;
- (7) County Attorney, \$2,500;
- (8) County Commissioners, \$900.

Sec. 2. Fees credited to county general revenue fund. All fees collected by the respective county officers above named shall be paid to the county and no such county officer shall receive any such fees as additional compensation.

Sec. 3. Prior payments legalized. The salary heretofore paid any of the above named county officers, under the provisions of any existing law which may be found to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, by a court of competent jurisdiction, is hereby legalized and made valid.

Sec. 4. Fidelity bonds furnished by county; effective date. The premium on the bonds required by law to be furnished by the county officers and their deputies in any such county shall be paid by the county.

Payment of the salaries herein provided for shall commence July 1, 1945.

Approved April 21, 1945.

CHAPTER 475—S. F. No. 157

An act relating to public welfare boards, and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 393.03.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 393.03, be amended to read as follows:

393.03. Per diem of members. Except as provided in Section 393.01, subdivisions 3 and 4, the members of the county welfare board shall receive, in addition to any salaries they may receive from any other source, from the state or county or any municipality, the sum of \$5.00 per day for time actually spent in transacting the business of the board not exceeding a maximum of 25 days a year. Members shall be reimbursed by the county for expenses actually incurred in the performance of their official duties.

Sec. 2. Effective date. This act shall be in effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 21, 1945.