

## Personnel

## CHAPTER 418

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**418.01-418.035** [Repealed, 1949 c 119 s 110]

**418.04-418.10** [Repealed, 1959 c 251 s 1]

**418.11** [Repealed, 1963 c 798 s 16]

**418.12** [Local, City of West St. Paul]

**418.13 COMPENSATION OF DEPUTY CLERKS IN CITIES OF FOURTH CLASS.** The council of any city of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter providing for the appointment of a deputy clerk may fix the compensation of the deputy clerk and provide for its payment from the general fund of the city. This section shall not affect the right of any such city to include a contrary provision in any home rule charter or amendment hereafter adopted.

[1943 c. 260 s. 1]

**418.14 SELECTING CITY CLERK; TERM OF COUNCILMEN.** The council of any city of the fourth class operating under a special law may, by ordinance subject to the referendum provided by section 418.15, provide for any of the following changes in the government of the city.

(1) A change in the method of selecting the city clerk or recorder so as to provide for election by the people or appointment by the council for an indefinite term or for such term as is fixed in the ordinance;

(2) A change in the length of term of members of the city council and a change in the year in which any of such members are to be elected; but no such ordinance shall provide for terms longer than three years.

[1949 c 351 s 1]

**418.15 REFERENDUM.** Each such ordinance shall be confined to the change or changes enumerated in one of the paragraphs of section 418.14. No such ordinance shall become effective until it has been submitted to the voters of the city at a general or special election and approved by a majority of those voting on the question of its approval. No such ordinance shall diminish the term of any incumbent elective officer. Each such ordinance shall remain in effect until amended or repealed in the same manner.

[1949 c 351 s 2]

**418.20 FIREMEN, CITIES OF FIRST CLASS; MAXIMUM EMPLOYMENT AGE.** In cities of the first class no person may become employed as a fireman in such city's fire department after having attained the age of 35 years, notwithstanding the provisions of the Veterans Preference Law, Minnesota Statutes, Section 197.45, Subdivision 2, and of Laws 1957, Chapter 741.

[1961 c 185 s 1]

**418.21** [Repealed, Ex1971 c 33 s 17]

**418.22** [Repealed, Ex1971 c 33 s 17]

**418.23** [Repealed, Ex1971 c 33 s 17]

**418.24** [Repealed, Ex1971 c 33 s 17]

**418.25 PAYMENT BY CITY FOR OFFICIAL BONDS.** Subdivision 1. When an officer or employee of any city, however organized, is required to furnish a fidelity or faithful performance bond, the governing body of the city, or the board or commission to whom the officer or employee is responsible, may provide for the payment of the premium on the bond from city funds. In lieu of individual bonds, the governing body, board or commission may provide for blanket position

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bonds furnished by a surety company to cover any officer or employee required to furnish a bond if all of the obligations required by law, charter, or ordinance to be assumed by the principal and his sureties by an individual bond are included in the blanket position bond.

Subd. 2. This section is supplementary to other statutory and charter provisions and supersedes such provisions only to the extent that they restrict or prohibit action authorized by this section.

[1959 c 198 s 1]