MINNESOTA STATUTES 1979 SUPPLEMENT

COUNTY ATTORNEY 388.19

375.35 Appropriation to military service organizations, Memorial Day services.

The several county boards in this state are hereby empowered, in addition to the power now conferred on them by law, to appropriate annually not to exceed \$100 to each post of a recognized military service persons' organization or society, holding charter from congress or incorporated in this state, organized and existing in their respective counties, for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day exercises.

[1979 c 310 s 2]

CHAPTER 388. COUNTY ATTORNEY

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388.05	Repealed.	388.19	County attorneys council.
388 051	Duties.		

388.05 [Repealed, 1979 c 233 s 42] **388.051** Duties.

It is the duty of the county attorney to:

- (a) Appear in all cases in which the county is a party;
- (b) Give opinions and advice, upon the request of the county board or any county officer, upon all matters in which the county is or may be interested, or in relation to the official duties of the board or officer;
- (c) Prosecute felonies, including the drawing of indictments found by the grand jury, gross misdemeanors and, to the extent prescribed by law, violations of misdemeanors, municipal ordinances, charter provisions and rules;
- (d) Attend before the grand jury, give them legal advice and examine witnesses in their presence;
- (e) Request the clerk of court to issue subpoenas to bring witnesses before the grand jury or any judge or judicial officer before whom he is conducting a criminal hearing;
 - (f) Attend any inquest at the request of the coroner; and
- (g) Appear, when requested by the attorney general, for the state in any case instituted by the attorney general in his county or before the United States land office in case of application to preempt or locate any public lands claimed by the state and assist in the preparation and trial.

[1979 c 233 s 3]

388.19 County attorneys council.

Subdivision 1. Creation. There is hereby created a county attorneys council hereinafter designated as the "council" to be composed of the county attorney from each of the 87 counties and the attorney general of the state of Minnesota. The members shall meet annually in November of each year and, commencing at the annual meeting in November 1973, shall elect a president, a president-elect, a secretary, and a treasurer, and such other officers and directors as the county attorneys council shall determine. Each of these officers shall hold office for a term of one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. The county attorneys council may adopt such rules as are necessary for the carrying out of its duties. A county attorney may designate in writing an assistant who may act in his stead in carrying out any function of the county attorneys council except serving as an officer. The county attorneys council may acquire and hold property, accept gifts and expend any such sums so received. The county attorneys council may charge fees for seminars, workshops and publications it conducts and produces.

[For text of subds 2 to 4, see M.S.1978]

[1979 c 337 s 22]