

CHAPTER 359

NOTARIES PUBLIC

359.02 Term, bond, oath, reappointment.

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359.02 TERM, BOND, OATH, REAPPOINTMENT.

A notary commissioned under section 359.01 holds office for six years, unless sooner removed by the governor or the district court. Before entering upon the duties of office, a newly commissioned notary shall file the notary's oath of office with the secretary of state. Within 30 days before the expiration of the commission a notary may be reappointed for a new term to commence and to be designated in the new commission as beginning upon the day immediately following the date of the expiration. The reappointment takes effect and is valid although the appointing governor may not be in the office of governor on the effective day.

History: 1989 c 6 s 1; 1989 c 189 s 1

359.071 CHANGE OF RESIDENCE.

A notary public who, during a term of office, establishes residency in a county of this state other than the county for which appointed, may file with the secretary of state an affidavit identifying the county of current residency, the county of appointment as notary public, and the date of change of residency. If the affidavit is properly filed, the notary continues to have the same powers during the unexpired term of appointment as if there were no change of residence. The notary public may use the official seal for the remainder of the term.

History: 1989 c 189 s 2