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April 21, 2017

The Honorable Paul Pate
Secretary of State of Iowa
State Capitol Building
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

House File 485, an Act allowing city council members to serve a city's volunteer fire department in any position of capacity.

The above House File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Terry E. Branstad".

Terry E. Branstad
Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the House



House File 485

AN ACT

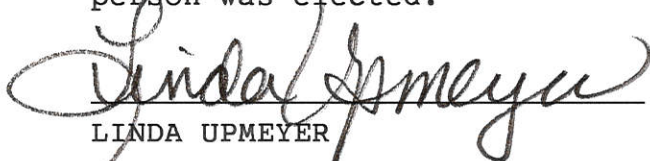
ALLOWING CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS TO SERVE A CITY'S VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT IN ANY POSITION OR CAPACITY.

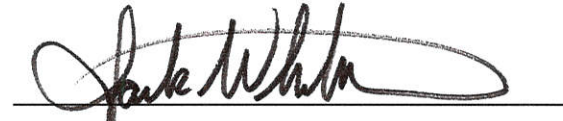
BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 372.13, subsection 10, Code 2017, is amended to read as follows:


10. A council member, during the term for which that member is elected, is not precluded from holding the office of chief of the volunteer fire department ~~if the fire department serves an area with a population of not more than two thousand~~ or from serving the volunteer fire department in any other position or capacity. A person holding the office of chief of such a volunteer fire department at the time of the person's election

to the city council may continue to hold the office of chief of the fire department during the city council term for which that person was elected.


LINDA UPMEYER
Speaker of the House


JACK WHITVER
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 485, Eighty-seventh General Assembly.


CARMINE BOAL
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved April 21, 2017


TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor