

**331.437 Expenditures exceeding appropriations.**

It is unlawful for a county official, the expenditures of whose office come under this part, to authorize the expenditure of a sum for the official's department larger than the amount which has been appropriated for that department by the board.

A county official in charge of a department or office who violates this law is guilty of a simple misdemeanor. The penalty in [this section](#) is in addition to the liability imposed in [section 331.476](#).

[83 Acts, ch 123, §21, 209](#)