

February 20, 1961.
Ways and Means.

House File 402
By GITTINS, BRILES, LOSS, DARRINGTON,
KLUEVER and MENSING.

Passed House, Date 2-24-61 Passed Senate, Date 4-10-61
Vote: Ayes 78 Nays 16 Vote: Ayes 42 Nays 2

Approved 4-12-61
House Concurred
4-11-61 86-6

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend Section one hundred thirty-five D point nine (135D.9), Code 1958, relating to fees on mobile homes.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Section one hundred thirty-five D point nine
2 (135D.9), Code 1958, is amended as follows:
3 1. By striking the word "two" in line seven (7) and inserting
4 in lieu thereof the word "six".

5 2. By striking the words "two and one-half" in line ten (10)
6 and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seven and one-half".

7 3. By striking the word "three" in line twelve (12) and
8 inserting in lieu thereof the word "nine".

1 Sec. 2. Section one hundred thirty-five D point ten (135D.10),
2 Code 1958, is amended as follows:

3 1. By striking the word "fifty" in line fourteen (14) and
4 inserting in lieu thereof the word "seventy-five".

5 2. By striking all after the word "located" in line twenty
6 (20), inserting a period and adding the following:

7 "If there is no municipality one hundred percent shall be paid
8 to the local public school district."

EXPLANATION OF HOUSE FILE 402

The purpose of increasing the fees on mobile homes, in lieu of property taxes, is simply to obtain more revenue for the operation of our public school districts. At the present time mobile homes pay a maximum of \$18 per year in fees for school purposes. Considering that the average tuition cost per elementary student is \$328.15 per year and \$591.32 per high school student per year, it is obvious that owners of mobile homes fall far short in paying their just share in the education of our children as compared to the property owner. An increase in fees would result in providing at least a token tax relief to the already heavily taxed property owner.

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*Dis 1-2-3-4**accepted as amended.*

- 1 Amend House File 402 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking from line four (4) of section one (1) the word
3 "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four". *3/24*
- 4 2. By striking from line six (6) of section one (1) the words
5 "seven and one-half" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six".
- 6 3. By striking from line eight (8) of section one (1) the word
7 "nine" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight".
- 8 4. By adding to section one (1) the following new subsections:
9 "4. By striking from lines forty (40) through forty-two (42)
10 the words 'a monthly fee in the amount and in the manner as has
11 heretofore been provided in this section' and inserting in lieu
12 thereof the following:
13 "the fee provided in this section. Such fee shall be paid
14 semiannually. The fee due for April through September shall be
15 paid by the tenth day of April. The fee due for October through
16 March shall be paid by the tenth day of October. On the tenth
17 day of May and on the tenth day of November said semiannual fees
18 become delinquent and on the tenth of each month thereafter that
19 the fee remains unpaid a ten percent penalty shall be added and
20 the county treasurer shall not renew the motor vehicle registration
21 until such delinquent fees and penalties, if any, have been paid.
22 If any mobile home is moved during the six month period for which
23 a fee has been paid, the county treasurer shall, upon request of
24 the owner, refund his pro rata share of the fee paid. If said fee
25 is not paid, the amount of the unpaid fee shall become a tax and
26 the tax shall be assessed against the land from which the mobile
27 home was removed."
- 28 5. By adding thereto the following new sections:
29 "Sec. 3. Section three hundred twenty-one point one hundred
30 twenty-three (321.123), Code 1958, is amended by adding thereto
31 the following new subsection:
32 'House trailers and mobile homes, regardless of whether or not
33 they are used on the highways, five dollars.'
34 "Sec. 4. Section three hundred twenty-one point one hundred
35 thirty (321.130), Code 1958, is amended as follows:
36 1. By striking from line three (3) the words "or house
37 trailers".
38 2. By striking from lines five (5) and six (6) the words "or
39 house trailers".
40 3. By striking from line seven (7) the words "or house trailer".
41 4. By striking from line eleven (11) the words "or house
42 trailer".
43 5. By striking from line thirteen (13) the words "or house
44 trailer".
45 6. By striking all after the word "year" in line fifteen (15)
46 and inserting in lieu thereof a period (.)"

*Dis. 5**accepted**3/24*

Filed
March 22, 1961.

GITTINS of Pottawattamie.

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*Last**3.24*

- 1 Amend House File 402 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking the word "six" in line four (4) of section
3 one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three".
- 4 2. By striking the words "seven and one-half" in line six
5 (6) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word
6 "four".
- 7 3. By striking the word "nine" in line eight (8) of section
8 one (1) and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "five".

Filed
March 22, 1961.

BARINGER of Fayette.

HOUSE FILE 402

- 1 Amend House File 402 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking the word "six" in line four (4) and
3 inserting in lieu thereof the word "four".
- 4 2. By striking the words "seven and one-half" in
5 line six (6) and inserting in lieu thereof the word
6 "five".
- 7 3. By striking the word "nine" in line eight (8)
8 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six".

*Withdrawn**3.24*

Filed
March 22, 1961.

HAGEDORN of Clay.

HOUSE FILE 402

*as amended
3/21*

- 1 Amend section one (1) of House File 402 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking from line four (4) the word "six" and in-
- 3 serting in lieu thereof the word "four".
- 4 2. By striking from line six (6) the words "seven and one-
- 5 half" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five".
- 6 3. By striking from line eight (8) the word "nine" and in-
- 7 serting in lieu thereof the word "six".

Filed
March 23, 1961.

ELY of Linn.
ANDERSEN of Woodbury.
SWISHER of Johnson.
DENMAN of Polk.
STANLEY of Muscatine.

HOUSE FILE 402

- 1 Amend the title to House File 402 by striking all after the
- 2 word "Act" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
- 3 "relating to fees on house trailers and mobile homes."

Filed and adopted
March 24, 1961.

GITINS of Pottawattamie.

HOUSE FILE 402

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Concurred
4/11*

- 1 Amend House File 402 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking from line 4 of section 1
- 3 the word "four" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "three".
- 4 2. By striking from line 6 of section 1 the
- 5 word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four".
- 6 3. By striking from line 8 of section 1
- 7 the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five".
- 8 ~~4. By striking from line 5 of section 3~~
- 9 the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "two".

Filed—Divisions 1, 2, and 3 adopted
Division 4 lost
April 10, 1961.

By SCHROEDER and O'MALLEY.