

SENATE FILE 453

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Passed Senate, Date 4-25-73 (998) Passed House, Date 6-18-73 (2036)

Vote: Ayes 41 Nays 0 Vote: Ayes 76 Nays 1

Approved 7-12-73

### A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the compensation of elected city officers.

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

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1 Section 1. Section three hundred sixty-eight A point  
2 twenty-one (368A.21), Code 1973, is amended to read as  
3 follows:

4 368A.21 INELIGIBILITY--CHANGE OF COMPENSATION. No mem-  
5 ber of any city or town council shall, during the time for  
6 which he has been elected, be appointed to any municipal  
7 office which has been created or the emoluments of which  
8 have been increased during the term for which he was elected,  
9 nor shall the emoluments of any city or town officer be  
10 changed during the term for which he has been elected, except  
11 that an increase in compensation of councilmen shall become  
12 effective for all councilmen at the beginning of the term of  
13 the councilmen elected at the election next following the  
14 increase in compensation. No person who shall resign or  
15 vacate any office shall be eligible to the same during the  
16 time for which he was elected, when, during the time, the  
17 emoluments of the office have been increased.

18 Sec. 2. Acts of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly, 1972  
19 Session, chapter one thousand eighty-eight (1088), section  
20 fifty-nine (59), subsection eight (8), is amended to read  
21 as follows:

22 8. By ordinance, the council shall prescribe the compen-  
23 sation of the mayor, councilmen, and other elected city  
24 officers, but an increase in the compensation of the mayor  
25 ~~or councilmen~~ shall not become effective during the term in  
26 which the increase is adopted, and the council shall not  
27 adopt such an ordinance increasing the compensation of the  
28 mayor or councilmen during the months of November and Decem-  
29 ber immediately following a regular city election. An in-  
30 crease in the compensation of councilmen shall become effec-  
31 tive for all councilmen at the beginning of the term of the  
32 councilmen elected at the election next following the increase  
33 in compensation.

34 EXPLANATION

35 This bill provides that an increase in the compensation

1 of city councilmen goes into effect for all city council-  
2 men on the first of January following the next election of  
3 councilmen.

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