## House File 485 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON LOCAL

GOVERNMENT

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 264)

## A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act allowing city council members to serve a city's
- 2 volunteer fire department without compensation in any
- 3 position or capacity.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

## H.F. 485

- 1 Section 1. Section 372.13, subsection 10, Code 2017, is 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 10. A council member, during the term for which that member
- 4 is elected, is not precluded from holding the office of chief
- 5 of the volunteer fire department if the fire department serves
- 6 an area with a population of not more than two thousand or from
- 7 serving the volunteer fire department without compensation in
- 8 any other position or capacity. A person holding the office
- 9 of chief of such a volunteer fire department at the time of the
- 10 person's election to the city council may continue to hold the
- 11 office of chief of the fire department during the city council
- 12 term for which that person was elected.
- 13 EXPLANATION
- 14 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
- the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.
- 16 This bill allows city council members to serve a city's
- 17 volunteer fire department without compensation in any position
- 18 or capacity.