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- by adding thereto the following paragraph: "23. Any lands, the use of which (without charge by or compensation to the holder of the legal
- title thereto) has been granted to and accepted by the state or any political subdivision thereof for airport or aircraft landing area purposes."

Approved April 4, 1945.

CHAPTER 151

COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

H. F. 315

AN ACT to provide for increases in compensation for public officers and employees in counties and subdivisions thereof during the period from July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1947 and to authorize a levy of one-half mill to provide funds in counties wherein the county general fund is insufficient to pay such increases.

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

SECTION 1. It is hereby provided that from July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1947, assessors who are by law compensated on a per diem basis, including assessors employed by cities, but whose compensation is paid by the county, shall receive compensation at the rate of five dollars (\$5.00) per day, provided, however, that in cities having a population of more than sixty thousand (60,000) such compensation shall be at the rate of six dollars (\$6.00) per day.

SEC. 2. It is hereby provided that from July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1947, county supervisors shall receive compensation of six dollars (\$6.00) per day for each day services are rendered as provided by law. However, in counties now having or which may hereafter have a population in excess of sixty thousand (60,000), with boards not exceeding five (5) members in number, these county supervisors shall receive an annual salary of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2500.00), and in counties now having or which may hereafter have a population in excess of one hundred fifty thousand (150,000), county supervisors shall receive an annual salary of three thousand dollars (\$3000.00). These salaries shall be in full payment of all services rendered to the county by said supervisors except statutory mileage while actually engaged in the performance of official duties.

It is further provided that the amounts allowed themselves by supervisors for per diem and mileage shall be subject to review by the District Court if a petition signed by twenty-five (25) electors and free-17 holders of the county is filed with the Clerk of the District Court within ten (10) days after publication of such allowance or payment.

SEC. 3. It is hereby provided that from July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1947, full time deputy auditors, deputy recorders, deputy treasurers and deputy clerks of the district court shall receive as compensation, payable on an annual basis, not less than one thousand four hundred dollars (\$1400.00) per annum.

It is hereby provided that from July 1, 1945 to June 30, 2 1947, full time deputy sheriffs shall receive as compensation, payable 3 on an annual basis, not less than one thousand four hundred dollars (\$1400.00) nor more than two thousand one hundred dollars (\$2100.00) except in any county having within its limits a city with a 5 6 population of thirty-six thousand (36,000) or over, the annual salary shall be not more than two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2400.00), the amount to be fixed by the board of supervisors, provided that where 8 by law a chief deputy is appointed or a deputy other than a chief dep-9 uty in charge of an office where court is held outside the county seat, 10 the board of supervisors shall fix the compensation of such chief deputy 11 12 or deputy in charge of the office where court is held outside the county 13 seat, at not to exceed two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2400.00).

SEC. 5. It is hereby provided that from July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1947, except as otherwise provided for herein, the compensation of all county officers and deputies except county attorneys and their assistants, whose compensation is fixed by law, including full time assessors and full time deputy assessors, employed by cities, but whose compensation is paid by the county, shall be increased and granted by the board of supervisors as follows:

In counties having a population of forty-four thousand (44,000) or less a twenty percent (20%) increase in each case, but in no case to exceed four hundred dollars (\$400.00) per annum and in counties having a population in excess of forty-four thousand (44,000) a twenty percent (20%) increase in each case, but in no case to exceed six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per annum.

- SEC. 6. In those counties wherein the county general fund is insufficient to pay the salaries as provided by this act, the board of supervisors is authorized to levy, if necessary, one-half mill in addition to the one and one-half mill levy as provided in section seven thousand one hundred seventy-one (7171), Code, 1939, for the purpose of this act.
- SEC. 7. County officers or deputy as used in this act shall not be construed to include county superintendent of schools and deputy superintendent of schools.
- SEC. 8. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as a limitation on the powers of Boards of Supervisors as regards salaries not fixed by statute.
- SEC. 9. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in The Tipton Advertiser, a newspaper published at Tipton, Iowa, and in the Scranton Journal, a newspaper published at Scranton, Iowa.

Approved March 21, 1945.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in The Tipton Advertiser, Tipton, Iowa, March 29, 1945, and the Scranton Journal, Scranton, Iowa, March 29, 1945.

WAYNE M. ROPES, Secretary of State.