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99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Reported from the Committee on Local Government and Elections, March 29, 2018, with recommendation that the Senate Committee Substitute do pass.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal sections 49.082, 50.333, 50.334, 50.343, 51.281, 51.282, 52.269, 53.082, 53.083, 54.261, 54.320, 55.091, 56.265, 57.317, 58.095, and 473.742, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof sixteen new sections relating to salaries of county officials.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 49.082, 50.333, 50.334, 50.343, 51.281, 51.282, 52.269, 53.082, 53.083, 54.261, 54.320, 55.091, 56.265, 57.317, 58.095, and 473.742, RSMo, are repealed and sixteen new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 49.082, 50.333, 50.334, 50.343, 51.281, 51.282, 52.269, 53.082, 53.083, 54.261, 54.320, 55.091, 56.265, 57.317, 58.095, and 473.742, to read as follows:

49.082. 1. A county commissioner in any county, other than in a first classification chartered county or a first classification county not having a charter form of government and not containing any part of a city with a population of three hundred thousand or more, shall, subject to any other adjustment otherwise provided in this section, receive an annual salary computed as set forth in the following schedule. The assessed valuation factor shall be the amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding the computation. The provisions of this section shall not permit or require a reduction in the amount of compensation being paid for the office of commissioner on January 1, 1997.

	Assessed Valuation	Salary
	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$19,140
	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	19,800
	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	21,120

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

14	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	22,440
15	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	23,760
16	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	25,080
17	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	26,400
18	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	27,060
19	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	27,390
20	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	28,380
21	300,000,000 or more	29,700

22 2. In addition to any compensation provided pursuant to subsection 1 of
 23 this section, the presiding commissioner of any county not having a charter form
 24 of government shall receive two thousand dollars annual salary. **Upon majority**
 25 **approval of the salary commission, the annual compensation of a**
 26 **commissioner may be increased by two thousand dollars greater than**
 27 **the compensation provided by this subsection and subsection 1 of this**
 28 **section.**

29 3. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
 30 payable to a commissioner only if the commissioner has completed at least twenty
 31 hours of classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
 32 commissioner's office when approved by a professional association of the county
 33 commissioners of Missouri unless exempted from the training by the professional
 34 association. The professional association approving the program shall provide a
 35 certificate of completion to each commissioner who completes the training
 36 program and shall send a list of certified commissioners to the treasurer of each
 37 county. Expenses incurred for attending the training session may be reimbursed
 38 to a county commissioner in the same manner as other expenses as may be
 39 appropriated for that purpose.

40 4. A county commissioner in any county, other than a first classification
 41 charter county or a first classification county not having a charter form of
 42 government and not containing any part of a city with a population of three
 43 hundred thousand or more, shall not, except upon a two-thirds vote of all the
 44 members of the salary commission, receive an annual compensation in an amount
 45 less than the total compensation being received for the office of county
 46 commissioner or presiding commissioner respectively for the particular county for
 47 services rendered or performed on the date the salary commission votes.

50.333. 1. There shall be a salary commission in every nonchartered
 2 county.

3 2. The clerk or court administrator of the circuit court of the judicial
4 circuit in which such county is located shall set a date, time and place for the
5 salary commission meeting and serve as temporary chairman of the salary
6 commission until the members of the commission elect a chairman from their
7 number. Upon written request of a majority of the salary commission members
8 the clerk or court administrator of the circuit court shall forthwith set the earliest
9 date possible for a meeting of the salary commission. The circuit clerk or court
10 administrator shall give notice of the time and place of any meeting of the salary
11 commission. Such notice shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation
12 in such county at least five days prior to such meeting. Such notice shall contain
13 a general description of the business to be discussed at such meeting.

14 3. The members of the salary commission shall be:

15 (1) The recorder of deeds if the recorder's office is separate from that of
16 the circuit clerk;

17 (2) The county clerk;

18 (3) The prosecuting attorney;

19 (4) The sheriff;

20 (5) The county commissioners;

21 (6) The collector or treasurer ex officio collector;

22 (7) The treasurer or treasurer ex officio collector;

23 (8) The assessor;

24 (9) The auditor;

25 (10) The public administrator; and

26 (11) The coroner.

27 Members of the salary commission shall receive no additional compensation for
28 their services as members of the salary commission. A majority of members shall
29 constitute a quorum.

30 4. Notwithstanding the provisions of sections 610.021 and 610.022, all
31 meetings of a county salary commission shall be open meetings and all votes
32 taken at such meetings shall be open records. Any vote taken at any meeting of
33 the salary commission shall be taken by recorded yeas and nays.

34 5. In every county, the salary commission shall meet at least once before
35 November thirtieth of each odd-numbered year. The salary commission may meet
36 as many times as it deems necessary and may meet after November thirtieth and
37 prior to December fifteenth of any odd-numbered year if the commission has met
38 at least once prior to November thirtieth of that year. At any meeting of the

39 salary commission, the members shall elect a chairman from their number. The
40 county clerk shall present a report on the financial condition of the county to the
41 commission once the chairman is elected, and shall keep the minutes of the
42 meeting.

43 6. For purposes of this section, the 1988 base compensation is the
44 compensation paid on September 1, 1987, plus the same percentage increase paid
45 or allowed, whichever is greater, to the presiding commissioner or the sheriff,
46 whichever is greater, of that county for the year beginning January 1, 1988. Such
47 increase shall be expressed as a percentage of the difference between the
48 maximum allowable compensation and the compensation paid on September 1,
49 1987. At its meeting in 1987 and at any meeting held in 1988, the salary
50 commission shall determine the compensation to be paid to every county officer
51 holding office on January 1, 1988. The salary commission shall establish the
52 compensation for each office at an amount not greater than that set by law as the
53 maximum compensation. If the salary commission votes to increase
54 compensation, but not to pay the maximum amount authorized by law for any
55 officer or office, then the increase in compensation shall be the same percentage
56 increase for all officers and offices and shall be expressed as a percentage of the
57 difference between the maximum allowable compensation and the compensation
58 being received at the time of the vote. If two-thirds of the members of the salary
59 commission vote to decrease the compensation being received at the time of the
60 vote below that compensation, all officers shall receive the same percentage
61 decrease. The commission may vote not to increase or decrease the compensation
62 and that compensation shall continue to be the salary of such offices and officers
63 during the subsequent term of office.

64 7. For the year 1989 and every second year thereafter, the salary
65 commission shall meet in every county as many times as it deems necessary on
66 or prior to November thirtieth of any such year for the purpose of determining the
67 amount of compensation to be paid to county officials. For each year in which the
68 commission meets, the members shall elect a chairman from their number. The
69 county clerk shall present a report on the financial condition of the county to the
70 commission once the chairman is elected, and shall keep minutes of the
71 meeting. The salary commission shall then consider the compensation to be paid
72 for the next term of office for each county officer to be elected at their next
73 general election. If the commission votes not to increase or decrease the
74 compensation, the salary being paid during the term in which the vote was taken

75 shall continue as the salary of such offices and officers during the subsequent
76 term of office. If the salary commission votes to increase the compensation, all
77 officers or offices whose compensation is being considered by the commission at
78 that time shall receive the same percentage of the maximum allowable
79 compensation. However, for any county in which all offices' and officers' salaries
80 have been set at one hundred percent of the maximum allowable compensation,
81 the commission may vote to increase the compensation of all offices except that
82 of full-time prosecuting attorneys at that or any subsequent meeting of the salary
83 commission without regard to any law or maximum limitation established by
84 law. Such increase shall be expressed as a percentage of the compensation being
85 paid during the term of office when the vote is taken, and each officer or office
86 whose compensation is being established by the salary commission at that time
87 shall receive the same percentage increase over the compensation being paid for
88 that office during the term when the vote is taken. This increase shall be in
89 addition to any increase mandated by an official's salary schedule because of
90 changes in assessed valuation during the current term. If the salary commission
91 votes to decrease the compensation, a vote of two-thirds or more of all the
92 members of the salary commission shall be required before the salary or other
93 compensation of any county office shall be decreased below the compensation
94 being paid for the particular office on the date the salary commission votes, and
95 all officers and offices shall receive the same percentage decrease.

96 8. The salary commission shall issue, not later than December fifteenth
97 of any year in which it meets, a report of compensation to be paid to each officer
98 and the compensation so set shall be paid beginning with the start of the
99 subsequent term of office of each officer. The report of compensation shall be
100 certified to the clerk of the county commission for the county and shall be in
101 substantially the following form:

102 The salary commission for _____ County hereby certifies that it
103 has met pursuant to law to establish compensation for county
104 officers to be paid to such officers during the next term of office for
105 the officers affected. The salary commission reports that there
106 shall be (no increase in compensation) (an increase of _____
107 percent) (a decrease of _____ percent) (county officer's salaries set
108 at _____ percent of the maximum allowable compensation).

109 Salaries shall be adjusted each year on the official's year of incumbency for any
110 change in the last completed assessment that would affect the maximum

111 allowable compensation for that office.

112 9. For the meeting in 1989 and every meeting thereafter, in the event a
113 salary commission in any county fails, neglects or refuses to meet as provided in
114 this section, or in the event a majority of the salary commission is unable to reach
115 an agreement and so reports or fails to certify a salary report to the clerk of the
116 county commission by December fifteenth of any year in which a report is
117 required to be certified by this section, then the compensation being paid to each
118 affected office or officer on such date shall continue to be the compensation paid
119 to the affected office or officer during the succeeding term of office.

120 10. Other provisions of law notwithstanding, in every instance where an
121 officer or employee of any county is paid a mileage allowance or reimbursement,
122 the county commission shall allow or reimburse such officers or employees out of
123 the county treasury at the highest rate paid to any county officer for each mile
124 actually and necessarily traveled in the performance of their official duties. The
125 county commission of any county may elect to pay a mileage allowance for any
126 county commissioner for travel going to and returning from the place of holding
127 commission meetings and for all other necessary travel on official county business
128 in the personal motor vehicle of the commissioner presenting the claim. The
129 governing body of any county of the first classification not having a charter form
130 of government may provide by order for the payment of mileage expenses of
131 elected and appointed county officials by payment of a certain amount monthly
132 which would reflect the average monthly mileage expenses of such officer based
133 on the amount allowed pursuant to state law for the payment of mileage for state
134 employees. Any order entered for such purpose shall not be construed as salary,
135 wages or other compensation for services rendered.

136 11. The term "maximum allowable compensation" as used in this section
137 means the highest compensation which may be paid to the specified officer or
138 office in the particular county based on the salary schedule established by law for
139 the specified officer or office. If the salary commission at its meeting in 1987
140 voted for one hundred percent of the maximum allowable compensation and does
141 not change such vote at its meeting held within thirty days after May 13, 1988,
142 as provided in subsection 6 of this section, the one hundred percent shall be
143 calculated on the basis of the total allowable compensation permitted after May
144 13, 1988.

145 12. At the salary commission meeting which establishes the percentage
146 rate to be applied to county officers during the next term of office, the salary

147 commission may authorize the further adjustment of such officers' compensation
 148 as a cost-of-living component and effective January first of each year, the
 149 compensation for county officers may be adjusted by the county commission, and
 150 if the adjustment of compensation is authorized, the percentage increase shall be
 151 the same for all county officers, not to exceed [the percentage increase given to
 152 the other county employees] **one hundred and ten percent of the maximum**
 153 **allowable compensation.** The compensation for all county officers may be set
 154 as a group, although the change in compensation will not become effective until
 155 the next term of office for each officer.

156 13. At the salary commission meeting in 1997 which establishes the
 157 salaries for those officers to be elected at the general election in 1998, the salary
 158 commission of each noncharter county may provide salary increases for associate
 159 county commissioners elected in 1996. This one-time increase is necessitated by
 160 the change from two- to four-year terms for associate commissioners pursuant to
 161 house bill 256, passed by the first regular session of the eighty-eighth general
 162 assembly in 1995.

50.334. 1. In all counties, except counties of the first classification having
 2 a charter form of government and counties of the first classification not having
 3 a charter form of government and not containing any part of a city with a
 4 population of three hundred thousand or more, each recorder of deeds, if the
 5 recorder's office is separate from that of the circuit clerk, shall receive as total
 6 compensation for all services performed by the recorder, except as provided
 7 pursuant to section 50.333, an annual salary which shall be computed on an
 8 assessed valuation basis as set forth in the following schedule. The assessed
 9 valuation factor shall be the amount thereof as computed for the year next
 10 preceding the computation. The county recorder of deeds whose office is separate
 11 from that of the circuit clerk in any county, other than a county of the first
 12 classification having a charter form of government or a county of the first
 13 classification not having a charter form of government and not containing any
 14 part of a city with a population of three hundred thousand or more, shall not,
 15 except upon two-thirds vote of all the members of the salary commission, receive
 16 an annual compensation in an amount less than the total compensation being
 17 received for the office of county recorder of deeds in the particular county for
 18 services rendered or performed on January 1, 1997.

19	Assessed Valuation	Salary
20	\$ 8,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000

21	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	30,000
22	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	32,000
23	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	34,000
24	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	36,000
25	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	38,000
26	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	40,000
27	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	41,000
28	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500
29	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	43,000
30	300,000,000 or more	45,000

31 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
32 payable to the recorder only if he has completed at least twenty hours of
33 classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
34 recorder's office when approved by a professional association of the county
35 recorders of deeds of Missouri unless exempted from the training by the
36 professional association. The professional association approving the program
37 shall provide a certificate of completion to each recorder who completes the
38 training program and shall send a list of certified recorders to the treasurer of
39 each county. Expenses incurred for attending the training session shall be
40 reimbursed to the county recorder in the same manner as other expenses as may
41 be appropriated for that purpose.

42 **3. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
43 **compensation of a recorder of deeds may be increased by two thousand**
44 **dollars greater than the compensation provided by subsection 1 and**
45 **subsection 2 of this section.**

50.343. 1. Other provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding, in any
2 first classification nonchartered county, including any county containing any part
3 of a city with a population of three hundred thousand or more, the annual salary
4 of a county recorder of deeds, clerk, auditor, county commissioner, collector,
5 treasurer, assessor or salaried public administrator may be computed on an
6 assessed valuation basis, without regard to modification due to the existence of
7 enterprise zones or financing under chapter 100, as set forth in the following
8 schedule except as provided in subsection 2 of this section. The assessed
9 valuation factor shall be the amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding
10 the computation. The provisions of this section shall not permit a reduction in
11 the amount of compensation being paid on January 1, 1997, for any of the offices

12 subject to this section on January 1, 1997.

13 (1) For a recorder of deeds, clerk, auditor, presiding commissioner,
14 collector, treasurer, assessor, or salaried public administrator:

15	Assessed Valuation	Salary
16	\$450,000,001 to 600,000,000	\$47,000
17	600,000,001 to 750,000,000	49,000
18	750,000,001 to 900,000,000	51,000
19	900,000,001 to 1,050,000,000	53,000
20	1,050,000,001 to 1,200,000,000	55,000
21	1,200,000,001 to 1,350,000,000	57,000
22	1,350,000,000 and over	59,000

23 (2) Presiding commissioners shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars
24 more than the salary received by the associate commissioners.

25 **(3) Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
26 **compensation the annual salary of a county recorder of deeds, clerk,**
27 **auditor, county commissioner, collector, treasurer, assessor, or salaried**
28 **public administrator in any first classification nonchartered county,**
29 **including any county containing any part of a city with a population of**
30 **three hundred thousand or more, may be increased by two thousand**
31 **dollars greater than the compensation provided by this section.**

32 2. After December 31, 1990, in any county of the second classification
33 which becomes a first classification county without a charter form of government,
34 the annual compensation of county recorder of deeds, clerk, auditor, county
35 commissioner, collector, treasurer, assessor and the public administrator in
36 counties where the public administrator is paid a salary under the provisions of
37 section 473.740 may be set at the option of the salary commission. On or before
38 October first of the year immediately prior to the beginning of the county fiscal
39 year following the general election after the certification by the state equalizing
40 agency that the county possesses an assessed valuation placing it in first
41 classification status, the salary commission shall meet for the purpose of setting
42 compensation for such county officials and such compensation shall be payable
43 immediately except that no compensation of any county official shall be reduced
44 and the compensation of presiding county commissioners in any of such counties
45 shall be two thousand dollars more than the compensation paid to the associate
46 commissioners in that county. Thereafter in all such counties the salary
47 commission shall meet for the purpose of setting the compensation of the officers

48 in this subsection who will be elected at the next general election, and such
 49 compensation shall be payable upon the beginning of the next term of office of
 50 such officers; except that, no compensation of any officer shall be reduced and the
 51 compensation of presiding county commissioners in any of such counties shall be
 52 two thousand dollars more than the compensation paid to the associate
 53 commissioners in that county. Two thousand dollars of the compensation
 54 established under the procedures authorized pursuant to this subsection shall be
 55 payable to a county officer only if the officer has completed at least twenty hours
 56 of classroom instruction in the operation of the office in the same manner as
 57 provided by law for officers subject to the provisions of section 50.333. At the
 58 salary commission meeting which establishes the percentage rate to be applied
 59 to county officers during the next term of office, the salary commission may
 60 authorize the further adjustment of such officers' compensation as a cost-of-living
 61 component and effective January first of each year, the compensation for county
 62 officers may be adjusted by the county commission, not to exceed [the percentage
 63 increase given to the other county employees] **one hundred and ten percent**
 64 **of the maximum allowable compensation.**

65 3. Other provisions of this section to the contrary notwithstanding, at the
 66 option of a majority of the county salary commission members, the salary of
 67 associate commissioners of a county of the first classification without a charter
 68 form of government with a population of at least eighty-two thousand but not
 69 more than eighty-five thousand inhabitants may be set at no more than sixty-five
 70 percent of the amount on the salary schedule for the county affected.

51.281. 1. The county clerk in any county, other than in a first
 2 classification county, shall receive an annual salary computed as set forth in the
 3 following schedule. The assessed valuation factor shall be the amount thereof as
 4 shown for the year next preceding the computation. The provisions of this section
 5 shall not permit or require a reduction in the amount of compensation being paid
 6 for the office of clerk on January 1, 1997.

7	Assessed Valuation	Salary
8	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000
9	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	30,000
10	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	32,000
11	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	34,000
12	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	36,000
13	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	38,000

14	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	40,000
15	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	41,000
16	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500
17	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	43,000
18	300,000,000 or more	45,000

19 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
 20 payable to the clerk only if the clerk has completed at least twenty hours of
 21 classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the clerk's
 22 office when approved by a professional association of the county clerks of Missouri
 23 unless exempted from the training by the professional association. The
 24 professional association approving the program shall provide a certificate of
 25 completion to each clerk who completes the training program and shall send a list
 26 of certified clerks to the treasurer of each county. Expenses incurred for
 27 attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county clerk in the same
 28 manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that purpose.

29 **3. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
 30 **compensation of a county clerk may be increased by two thousand**
 31 **dollars greater than the compensation provided by this section.**

32 4. The county clerk may retain any fees to which he is entitled for services
 33 performed in the issuance of fish and game licenses or permits.

34 [4.] **5.** The county clerk in any county, other than a first classification
 35 charter county or a first classification county not having a charter form of
 36 government and not containing any part of a city with a population of three
 37 hundred thousand or more, shall not, except upon two-thirds vote of all the
 38 members of the salary commission, receive an annual compensation in an amount
 39 less than the total compensation being received for the office of county clerk in
 40 the particular county for services rendered or performed on the date the salary
 41 commission votes.

51.282. 1. The county clerk in any county of the first class not having a
 2 charter form of government and which contains a portion of a city with a
 3 population of three hundred thousand or more shall receive an annual salary
 4 computed on an assessed valuation basis as set forth in the following
 5 schedule. Except as provided in section 50.333, the amount provided by this
 6 section shall be the total compensation for all services performed by such
 7 clerk. The assessed valuation factor shall be the amount thereof as shown for the
 8 year next preceding the computation. The provisions of this section shall not

9 permit or require a reduction in the amount of compensation received by any
10 person holding the office of clerk on January 1, 1988.

11	Assessed Valuation	Salary
12	Less than \$25,000,000	\$26,500
13	25,000,001 to 50,000,000	27,500
14	50,000,001 to 75,000,000	28,500
15	75,000,001 to 100,000,000	29,500
16	100,000,001 to 125,000,000	30,500
17	125,000,001 to 150,000,000	31,500
18	150,000,001 to 200,000,000	32,500
19	200,000,001 to 300,000,000	33,500
20	300,000,001 to 400,000,000	34,500
21	400,000,001 to 500,000,000	36,500
22	500,000,001 to 750,000,000	39,500
23	750,000,001 to 1,000,000,000	41,500
24	1,000,000,001 or more	42,500

25 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
26 payable to the clerk only if he has completed at least twenty hours of classroom
27 instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the clerk's office when
28 approved by a professional association of the county clerks of Missouri unless
29 exempted from the training by the professional association. The professional
30 association approving the program shall provide a certificate of completion to
31 each clerk who completes the training program and shall send a list of certified
32 clerks to the treasurer of each county. Expenses incurred for attending the
33 training session may be reimbursed to the county clerk in the same manner as
34 other expenses as may be appropriated for that purpose.

35 **3. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
36 **compensation of the county clerk in any county of the first class not**
37 **having a charter form of government and which contains a portion of**
38 **a city with a population of three hundred thousand or more may be**
39 **increased by two thousand dollars greater than the compensation**
40 **provided by this section.**

41 4. The salary provided in this section shall be the total compensation
42 received by the county clerk, except that he may retain any fees to which he is
43 entitled for services performed in the issuance of fish and game licenses or
44 permits.

52.269. 1. In all counties, except first classification counties having a
 2 charter form of government and first classification counties not having a charter
 3 form of government and not containing any part of a city with a population of
 4 three hundred thousand or more, the county collector shall receive an annual
 5 salary which shall be paid in equal monthly installments by the county. The
 6 salary shall be computed on an assessed valuation basis as provided in this
 7 subsection. The assessed valuation factor shall be the amount as shown for the
 8 year next preceding the annual salary computation. A county collector subject to
 9 the provisions of this section shall not receive an annual compensation less than
 10 the total compensation being received by the county collector in that county for
 11 services rendered or performed for the period beginning March 1, 1987, and
 12 ending February 29, 1988. The county collector shall receive the same percentage
 13 adjustments provided by the county salary commissions for county officers in that
 14 county pursuant to section 50.333. The provisions of this section shall not permit
 15 or require a reduction in the amount of compensation being paid for the office of
 16 county collector on January 1, 1997, or less than the total compensation being
 17 received for the services rendered or performed for the period beginning March
 18 1, 1987, and ending February 29, 1988. The salary shall be computed on the
 19 basis of the following schedule:

20	Assessed Valuation	Salary
21	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000
22	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	30,000
23	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	32,000
24	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	34,000
25	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	36,000
26	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	38,000
27	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	40,000
28	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	41,000
29	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500
30	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	43,000
31	300,000,000 or more	45,000

32 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
 33 payable to the collector only if the collector has completed at least twenty hours
 34 of classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
 35 collector's office when approved by a professional association of the county
 36 collectors of Missouri unless exempted from the training by the professional

37 association. The professional association approving the program shall provide a
 38 certificate of completion to each collector who completes the training program and
 39 shall send a list of certified collectors to the treasurer of each county. Expenses
 40 incurred for attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county
 41 collector in the same manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that
 42 purpose.

43 **3. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
 44 **compensation of a county collector of this section may be increased by**
 45 **two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
 46 **section.**

47 **4.** Any provision of law to the contrary notwithstanding, any fee provided
 48 for in section 52.250 or 52.275, when collected on ditch and levee taxes, shall not
 49 be collected on behalf of the county and deposited into the county general revenue
 50 fund. Such fee shall be retained by the collector as compensation for his services,
 51 in addition to any amount provided for such collector in this section.

52 **[4.] 5.** Except as provided in subsection 3 of this section, after the next
 53 general election following January 1, 1988, all fees collected by the collector shall
 54 be collected on behalf of the county and deposited in the county general revenue
 55 fund.

53.082. 1. The county assessor in any county, other than in a first
 2 classification county, shall receive an annual salary computed as set forth in the
 3 following schedule provided in this subsection. The assessed valuation factor
 4 shall be the amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding the
 5 computation. The provisions of this section shall not permit or require a
 6 reduction in the amount of compensation being paid for the office of assessor on
 7 September 1, 1997.

8	Assessed Valuation	Salary
9	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000
10	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	30,000
11	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	32,000
12	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	34,000
13	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	36,000
14	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	38,000
15	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	40,000
16	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	41,000
17	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500

18 250,000,000 to 299,999,999 43,000

19 300,000,000 or more 45,000

20 2. The compensation for county assessors in second, third and fourth
21 classification counties for the term of office beginning September 1, 1997, shall
22 be calculated pursuant to the salary schedule in this section using the percentage
23 increase approved by the county salary commission when establishing the
24 compensation for the office of county assessor at the salary commission meeting
25 in 1997. This salary shall become effective on September 1, 1997.

26 3. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
27 payable to the assessor only if the assessor has completed at least twenty hours
28 of classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
29 assessor's office when approved by a professional association of the county
30 assessors of Missouri unless exempted from the training by the professional
31 association. The professional association approving the program shall provide a
32 certificate of completion to each assessor who completes the training program and
33 shall send a list of certified assessors to the treasurer of each county. Expenses
34 incurred for attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county
35 assessor in the same manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that
36 purpose.

37 4. **Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
38 **compensation of a county assessor of this section may be increased by**
39 **two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
40 **section.**

41 5. The county assessor in any county, except a first classification county,
42 shall not, except upon two-thirds vote of all the members of the salary
43 commission, receive an annual compensation in an amount less than the total
44 compensation being received for the office of county assessor in the particular
45 county for services rendered or performed on the date the salary commission
46 votes.

53.083. 1. Other provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding, the
2 annual salary of the county assessor in any county of the first class not having
3 a charter form of government and containing a portion of a city with a population
4 of three hundred thousand or more shall be computed on an assessed valuation
5 basis as set forth in the following schedule. The assessed valuation factor shall
6 be the amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding the computation. The
7 provisions of this section shall permit a reduction in the amount of compensation

8 received by a person holding office as of May 13, 1988.

9	Assessed Valuation	Salary
10	\$ 875,000,001 to 950,000,000	\$34,500
11	950,000,001 to 1,000,000,000	35,500
12	1,000,000,001 to 1,025,000,000	36,000
13	1,025,000,001 to 1,050,000,000	36,500
14	1,050,000,001 to 1,075,000,000	37,000
15	1,075,000,001 to 1,100,000,000	37,500
16	1,100,000,001 to 1,200,000,000	38,000
17	1,200,000,001 to 1,300,000,000	38,500
18	1,300,000,001 to 1,400,000,000	39,000
19	1,400,000,001 or more	39,500

20 **2. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
 21 **compensation of a county assessor of this section may be increased by**
 22 **two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
 23 **section.**

54.261. 1. The county treasurer in counties of the first classification, not
 2 having a charter form of government and containing a portion of a city with a
 3 population of three hundred thousand or more, and in counties of the second,
 4 third and fourth classifications of this state, shall receive as compensation for
 5 services performed by the treasurer an annual salary based upon the assessed
 6 valuation of the county. The provisions of this section shall not permit or require
 7 a reduction, nor shall require an increase, in the amount of compensation being
 8 paid for the office of treasurer on January 1, 2002.

9 2. The amount of salary based upon assessed valuation shall be computed
 10 according to the following schedule:

11	Assessed Valuation	Salary
12	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000
13	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	30,000
14	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	32,000
15	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	34,000
16	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	36,000
17	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	38,000
18	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	40,000
19	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	41,000
20	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500

21	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	43,000
22	300,000,000 or more	45,000

23 3. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
 24 payable to the treasurer only if the treasurer has completed at least twenty hours
 25 of classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
 26 treasurer's office when approved by a professional association of the county
 27 treasurers or county collectors of Missouri unless exempted from the training by
 28 the professional association. The professional association approving the program
 29 shall provide a certificate of completion to each treasurer who completes the
 30 training program and shall send a list of certified treasurers to the county
 31 commission of each county. Expenses incurred for attending the training session
 32 shall be reimbursed to the county treasurer in the same manner as other
 33 expenses as may be appropriated for that purpose.

34 4. **Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
 35 **compensation of a county treasurer of this section may be increased by**
 36 **two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
 37 **section.**

38 5. The county treasurer in any county, other than a county of the first
 39 classification having a charter form of government or a county of the first
 40 classification not having a charter form of government and not containing any
 41 part of a city with a population of three hundred thousand or more, shall not,
 42 except upon two-thirds vote of all the members of the commission, receive an
 43 annual compensation in an amount less than the total compensation being
 44 received for the office of county treasurer in the particular county for services
 45 rendered or performed on the date the salary commission votes.

46 [5.] 6. In the event of a vacancy due to death, resignation, or otherwise
 47 in the office of treasurer in any county except a county with a charter form of
 48 government, and when there is no deputy treasurer, the county commission shall
 49 appoint a qualified acting treasurer until such time as the vacancy is filled by the
 50 governor pursuant to section 105.030 or the elected treasurer returns to
 51 work. The county commission shall employ and fix the compensation of clerical
 52 and other assistants necessary to enable the interim treasurer to efficiently
 53 perform the duties of the office.

54.320. 1. The county collector-treasurer in counties of the third and
 2 fourth classifications adopting township organization shall receive an annual
 3 salary as set forth in the following schedule. The assessed valuation factor shall

4 be the amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding the computation. A
 5 county collector-treasurer subject to the provisions of this section shall not receive
 6 an annual compensation less than the total compensation being received by the
 7 county treasurer ex officio collector in that county for services rendered or
 8 performed for the period beginning March 1, 1987, and ending February 29,
 9 1988. The county collector-treasurer shall receive the same percentage
 10 adjustments provided by county salary commissions for county officers in that
 11 county pursuant to section 50.333. The provisions of this section shall not permit
 12 or require a reduction in the amount of compensation being paid for the office of
 13 county treasurer ex officio collector on January 1, 1997, or less than the total
 14 compensation being received for the services rendered or performed for the period
 15 beginning March 1, 1987, and ending February 29, 1988. The salary shall be
 16 computed on the basis of the following schedule:

17	Assessed Valuation	Salary
18	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000
19	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	30,000
20	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	32,000
21	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	34,000
22	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	36,000
23	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	38,000
24	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	40,000
25	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	41,000
26	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500
27	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	43,000
28	300,000,000 to 449,999,999	45,000

29 In addition, the collector-treasurer shall collect on behalf of the county a fee for
 30 the collection of all back taxes and all delinquent taxes of two percent on all sums
 31 collected to be added to the face of the tax bill, and collected from the party
 32 paying the tax. The collector-treasurer shall collect on behalf of the county a fee
 33 of three percent on all licenses, including current railroad and utility taxes,
 34 surtax, back taxes, delinquent taxes and interest collected by the
 35 collector-treasurer, to be deducted from the amounts collected. The
 36 collector-treasurer shall collect on behalf of the county for the purpose of mailing
 37 statements and receipts required by section 139.350 a fee of one-half of one
 38 percent on all licenses and all taxes, including current taxes, back taxes,
 39 delinquent taxes, and interest collected by the collector-treasurer, to be deducted

40 from the amounts collected. All fees collected under this section shall be collected
41 on behalf of the county and shall be deposited in the county treasury or as
42 provided by law. Collector-treasurers in counties having a township form of
43 government are entitled to collect such fees immediately upon an order of the
44 circuit court under section 139.031. If the protest is later sustained and a portion
45 of the taxes so paid is returned to the taxpayer the county shall return that
46 portion of the fee collected on the amount returned to the taxpayer. The
47 collector-treasurer in each of the third and fourth classification counties which
48 have adopted the township form of county government is entitled to employ
49 deputies and assistants, and for the deputies and assistants is allowed not less
50 than the amount allowed in 2003-2004, whichever is greater.

51 2. Notwithstanding any provisions of law to the contrary, the
52 collector-treasurer in each county of the third or fourth classification having a
53 township form of government shall employ not fewer than one full-time
54 deputy. The collector-treasurer may employ such number of deputies and
55 assistants as may be necessary to perform the duties of the office of
56 collector-treasurer promptly and correctly, as determined by the
57 collector-treasurer. The office of the collector-treasurer shall be funded
58 sufficiently to compensate deputies and assistants at a level no less than the
59 compensation provided for other county employees. Such deputies and assistants
60 shall be allowed adjustments in compensation at the same percentage as provided
61 for other county employees, as effective January first each year.

62 3. **Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
63 **compensation of a county collector-treasurer of this section may be**
64 **increased by two thousand dollars greater than the compensation**
65 **provided by this section.**

66 4. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
67 payable to the collector-treasurer only if such officer has completed at least
68 twenty hours of classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the
69 operations of the collector-treasurer's office when approved by a professional
70 association of the county treasurers or county collectors of Missouri unless
71 exempted from the training by the professional association. The professional
72 association approving the program shall provide a certificate of completion to
73 each collector-treasurer who completes the training program and shall send a list
74 of certified collector-treasurers to the county commission of each
75 county. Expenses incurred for attending the training session may be reimbursed

76 to the county collector-treasurer in the same manner as other expenses as may
77 be appropriated for that purpose.

55.091. 1. The county auditor in any county, other than in a first
2 classification chartered county or a first classification county not having a charter
3 form of government and not containing any part of a city with a population of
4 three hundred thousand or more, shall receive an annual salary computed on an
5 assessed valuation basis as set forth in the following schedule. The assessed
6 valuation factor shall be the amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding
7 the computation. The provisions of this section shall not permit or require a
8 reduction in the amount of compensation being paid for the office of auditor on
9 January 1, 1997.

10	Assessed Valuation	Salary
11	\$131,000,000 to 189,999,999	\$40,500
12	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	41,500
13	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	43,000
14	300,000,000 to 399,999,999	45,000
15	400,000,000 to 499,999,999	46,000
16	500,000,000 or more	47,000

17 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
18 payable to the auditor only if the auditor has completed at least twenty hours of
19 classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
20 auditor's office when approved by a professional association of the county auditors
21 of Missouri unless exempted from the training by the professional
22 association. The professional association approving the program shall provide a
23 certificate of completion to each auditor who completes the training program and
24 shall send a list of certified auditors to the treasurer of each county. Expenses
25 incurred attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county auditor
26 in the same manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that purpose.

27 **3. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
28 **compensation of a county auditor of this section may be increased by**
29 **two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
30 **section.**

31 4. The county auditor in any county, other than a first classification
32 charter county, shall not, except upon two-thirds vote of all the members of the
33 salary commission, receive an annual compensation less than the total
34 compensation being received for the office of county auditor in the particular

35 county for services rendered or performed on the date the salary commission
36 votes.

56.265. 1. The county prosecuting attorney in any county, other than in
2 a chartered county, shall receive an annual salary computed using the following
3 schedule, when applicable. The assessed valuation factor shall be the amount
4 thereof as shown for the year immediately preceding the year for which the
5 computation is done.

6 (1) For a full-time prosecutor the prosecutor shall receive compensation
7 equal to the compensation of an associate circuit judge;

8 (2) For a part-time prosecutor:

9	Assessed Valuation	Salary
10	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$37,000
11	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	38,000
12	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	39,000
13	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	41,000
14	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	43,000
15	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	45,000
16	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	47,000
17	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	49,000
18	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	51,000
19	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	53,000
20	300,000,000 or more	55,000

21 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
22 payable to the prosecuting attorney only if the prosecuting attorney has
23 completed at least twenty hours of classroom instruction each calendar year
24 relating to the operations of the prosecuting attorney's office when approved by
25 a professional association of the county prosecuting attorneys of Missouri unless
26 exempted from the training by the professional association. The professional
27 association approving the program shall provide a certificate of completion to
28 each prosecuting attorney who completes the training program and shall send a
29 list of certified prosecuting attorneys to the treasurer of each county. Expenses
30 incurred for attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county
31 prosecuting attorney in the same manner as other expenses as may be
32 appropriated for that purpose.

33 3. **Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
34 **compensation of a part-time county prosecutor of this section may be**

35 **increased by two thousand dollars greater than the compensation**
 36 **provided by this section.**

37 4. As used in this section, the term "prosecuting attorney" includes the
 38 circuit attorney of any city not within a county.

39 [4.] 5. The prosecuting attorney of any county which becomes a county
 40 of the first classification during a four-year term of office or a county which
 41 passed the proposition authorized by subsection 1 of section 56.363 shall not be
 42 required to devote full time to such office pursuant to section 56.067 until the
 43 beginning of the prosecuting attorney's next term of office or until the proposition
 44 otherwise becomes effective.

45 [5.] 6. The provisions of section 56.066 shall not apply to full-time
 46 prosecutors who are compensated pursuant to subdivision (1) of subsection 1 of
 47 this section.

57.317. 1. The county sheriff in any county, other than in a first
 2 classification chartered county, shall receive an annual salary computed as set
 3 forth in the following schedule. The assessed valuation factor shall be the
 4 amount thereof as shown for the year next preceding the computation. The
 5 provisions of this section shall not permit or require a reduction in the amount
 6 of compensation being paid for the office of sheriff on January 1, 1997.

7	Assessed Valuation	Salary
8	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$36,000
9	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	37,000
10	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	38,000
11	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	39,000
12	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	40,000
13	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	42,000
14	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	44,000
15	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	45,000
16	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	46,000
17	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	48,000
18	300,000,000 to 449,999,999	50,000
19	450,000,000 to 599,999,999	52,000
20	600,000,000 to 749,999,999	54,000
21	750,000,000 to 899,999,999	56,000
22	900,000,000 to 1,049,999,999	58,000
23	1,050,000,000 to 1,199,999,999	60,000

24 1,200,000,000 to 1,349,999,999 62,000

25 1,350,000,000 and over 64,000

26 2. Two thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
 27 payable to the sheriff only if the sheriff has completed at least twenty hours of
 28 classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the sheriff's
 29 office when approved by a professional association of the county sheriffs of
 30 Missouri unless exempted from the training by the professional association. The
 31 professional association approving the program shall provide a certificate of
 32 completion to each sheriff who completes the training program and shall send a
 33 list of certified sheriffs to the treasurer of each county. Expenses incurred for
 34 attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county sheriff in the
 35 same manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that purpose.

36 **3. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
 37 **compensation of a county sheriff of this section may be increased by six**
 38 **thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
 39 **section.**

40 4. The county sheriff in any county, other than a first classification
 41 charter county, shall not, except upon two-thirds vote of all the members of the
 42 salary commission, receive an annual compensation less than the total
 43 compensation being received for the office of county sheriff in the particular
 44 county for services rendered or performed on the date the salary commission
 45 votes.

58.095. 1. The county coroner in any county, other than in a first
 2 classification chartered county, shall receive an annual salary computed on a
 3 basis as set forth in the following schedule. The provisions of this section shall
 4 not permit or require a reduction in the amount of compensation being paid for
 5 the office of coroner on January 1, 1997:

6	Assessed Valuation	Salary
7	\$18,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$8,000
8	41,000,000 to 53,999,999	8,500
9	54,000,000 to 65,999,999	9,000
10	66,000,000 to 85,999,999	9,500
11	86,000,000 to 99,999,999	10,000
12	100,000,000 to 130,999,999	11,000
13	131,000,000 to 159,999,999	12,000
14	160,000,000 to 189,999,999	13,000

15	190,000,000 to 249,999,999	14,000
16	250,000,000 to 299,999,999	15,000
17	300,000,000 or more	16,000

18 2. One thousand dollars of the salary authorized in this section shall be
19 payable to the coroner only if the coroner has completed at least twenty hours of
20 classroom instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of the
21 coroner's office when approved by a professional association of the county
22 coroners of Missouri unless exempted from the training by the professional
23 association. The professional association approving the program shall provide a
24 certificate of completion to each coroner who completes the training program and
25 shall send a list of certified coroners to the treasurer of each county. Expenses
26 incurred for attending the training session may be reimbursed to the county
27 coroner in the same manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that
28 purpose. All elected or appointed coroners, deputy coroners, and assistants to the
29 coroner shall complete the annual training described in this subsection within six
30 months of election or appointment.

31 3. **Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
32 **compensation of a county coroner of this section may be increased by**
33 **two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by this**
34 **section.**

35 4. The county coroner in any county, other than a first classification
36 charter county, shall not, except upon two-thirds vote of all the members of the
37 salary commission, receive an annual compensation in an amount less than the
38 total compensation being received for the office of county coroner in the particular
39 county for services rendered or performed on the date the salary commission
40 votes.

41 [4.] 5. For the term beginning in 1997, the compensation of the coroner,
42 in counties in which the salary commission has not voted to pay one hundred
43 percent of the maximum allowable salary, shall be a percentage of the maximum
44 allowable salary established by this section. The percentage applied shall be the
45 same percentage of the maximum allowable salary received or allowed, whichever
46 is greater, to the presiding commissioner or sheriff, whichever is greater, of that
47 county for the year beginning January 1, 1997. In those counties in which the
48 salary commission has voted to pay one hundred percent of the maximum
49 allowable salary, the compensation of the coroner shall be based on the maximum
50 allowable salary in effect at each time a coroner's term of office commences

51 following the vote to pay one hundred percent of the maximum allowable
 52 compensation. Subsequent compensation shall be determined as provided in
 53 section 50.333.

54 [5.] 6. Effective January 1, 1997, the county coroner in any county, other
 55 than a county of the first classification with a charter form of government, may,
 56 upon the approval of the county commission, receive additional compensation for
 57 any month during which investigations or other services are performed for three
 58 or more decedents in the same incident during such month. The additional
 59 compensation shall be an amount that when added to the regular compensation
 60 the sum shall equal the monthly compensation of the county sheriff.

473.742. 1. Each public administrator in counties of the second, third or
 2 fourth classification and in the city of St. Louis shall make a determination
 3 within thirty days after taking office whether such public administrator shall
 4 elect to receive a salary as defined herein or receive fees as may be allowed by
 5 law to executors, administrators and personal representatives. The election by
 6 the public administrator shall be made in writing to the county clerk. Should the
 7 public administrator elect to receive a salary, the public administrator's office
 8 may not then elect to change at any future time to receive fees in lieu of salary.

9 2. If a public administrator elects to be placed on salary, the salary shall
 10 be based upon the average number of open letters in the two years preceding the
 11 term when the salary is elected, based upon the following schedule:

12 (1) Zero to five letters: salary shall be a minimum of seven thousand five
 13 hundred dollars;

14 (2) Six to fifteen letters: salary shall be a minimum of fifteen thousand
 15 dollars;

16 (3) Sixteen to twenty-five letters: salary shall be a minimum of twenty
 17 thousand dollars;

18 (4) Twenty-six to thirty-nine letters: salary shall be a minimum of
 19 twenty-five thousand dollars;

20 (5) Public administrators with forty or more letters shall be considered
 21 full-time county officials and shall be paid according to the assessed valuation
 22 schedule set forth below:

23	Assessed Valuation	Salary
24	\$ 8,000,000 to 40,999,999	\$29,000
25	\$ 41,000,000 to 53,999,999	\$30,000
26	\$ 54,000,000 to 65,999,999	\$32,000

27	\$ 66,000,000 to 85,999,999	\$34,000
28	\$ 86,000,000 to 99,999,999	\$36,000
29	\$ 100,000,000 to 130,999,999	\$38,000
30	\$ 131,000,000 to 159,999,999	\$40,000
31	\$ 160,000,000 to 189,999,999	\$41,000
32	\$ 190,000,000 to 249,999,999	\$41,500
33	\$ 250,000,000 to 299,999,999	\$43,000
34	\$ 300,000,000 to 449,999,999	\$45,000
35	\$ 450,000,000 to 599,999,999	\$47,000
36	\$ 600,000,000 to 749,999,999	\$49,000
37	\$ 750,000,000 to 899,999,999	\$51,000
38	\$ 900,000,000 to 1,049,999,999	\$53,000
39	\$1,050,000,000 to 1,199,999,999	\$55,000
40	\$1,200,000,000 to 1,349,999,999	\$57,000
41	\$1,350,000,000 and over	\$59,000;

42 (6) The public administrator in the city of St. Louis shall receive a salary
43 not less than sixty-five thousand dollars;

44 (7) Two thousand dollars of the compensation authorized in this section
45 shall be payable to the public administrator only if he or she has completed at
46 least twenty hours of instruction each calendar year relating to the operations of
47 the public administrator's office when approved by a professional association of
48 the county public administrators of Missouri unless exempted from the training
49 by the professional association. The professional association approving the
50 program shall provide a certificate of completion to each public administrator who
51 completes the training program and shall send a list of certified public
52 administrators to the treasurer of each county. Expenses incurred for attending
53 the training session shall be reimbursed to the county public administrator in the
54 same manner as other expenses as may be appropriated for that purpose.

55 3. The initial compensation of the public administrator who elects to be
56 put on salary shall be determined by the average number of letters for the two
57 years preceding the term when the salary is elected. Salary increases or
58 decreases according to the minimum schedule set forth in subsection [1] 2 of this
59 section shall be adjusted only after the number of open letters places the
60 workload in a different subdivision for two consecutive years. Minimum salary
61 increases or decreases shall only take effect upon a new term of office of the
62 public administrator. The number of letters each year shall be determined in

63 accordance with the reporting requirements set forth in law.

64 4. All fees collected by a public administrator who elects to be salaried
65 shall be deposited in the county treasury or with the treasurer for the city of St.
66 Louis.

67 5. Any public administrator in a county of the first classification without
68 a charter form of government with a population of less than one hundred
69 thousand inhabitants who elects to receive fees in lieu of a salary pursuant to
70 this section may elect to join the Missouri local government employees' retirement
71 system created pursuant to sections 70.600 to 70.755.

72 **6. Upon majority approval of the salary commission, the annual**
73 **compensation of public administrator of this section may be increased**
74 **by two thousand dollars greater than the compensation provided by**
75 **this section.**

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