

CHAPTER 273

AN ACT to amend 5.05 (5) (a) and (8) (b) and (c), 5.24 (2), as amended by chapter 20, laws of 1965, 5.26 (4), 6.20 (4), 6.23 (16), 59.87 (2), as amended by chapter 19, laws of 1965, 61.197 (1) (intro. par.), 61.25 (2), 64.37 (3), 81.38 (7) and 140.09 (11) of the statutes, relating to corrections of references to county supervisors.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. 5.05 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.05 (5) (a) For nominations of state executive officers, United States senators, congressmen and county officers, all signers on each separate nomination paper shall reside in the same county *and in the same district which the candidate named therein will represent if elected*. For nomination of assemblymen and senators, all signers on each separate nomination paper shall reside in the same district, except that if the senatorial or assembly district includes more than one county, then such signers shall reside in the same county.

SECTION 1d. 5.05 (8) (b) and (c) of the statutes are amended to read:

5.05 (8) (b) For officers to be voted for wholly within one county, *including county supervisors*, except representatives in congress, in the office of the county clerk of such county. The county clerk shall within 5 days after the deadline for filing nomination papers notify the secretary of state of the name, address and political party of each legislative candidate.

(c) For city officers, or other officers voted for exclusively within one city, in the office of the city clerk, except precinct committeemen, provided for in s. 5.35 (2) *and county supervisors*.

SECTION 1h. 5.24 (2) of the statutes, as amended by chapter 20, laws of 1965, is amended to read:

5.24 (2) If nomination papers proposed 3 or more candidates for members of the county board of supervisors or for any elective town office, including constable, in towns adopting the primary for elective town officers as provided in s. 5.27 (4) in counties having a population of 500,000 or more, or for any judicial office in any county having a population of 500,000 or more, or propose more than twice as many candidates for any elective town office in any such towns or for members of the board of school directors or the board of education as are to be elected in any city of any such county, or propose 3 or more candidates for justice of the supreme court, circuit or county judge or for state superintendent of public instruction or, in any county supervisory district in a county having a population of less than 500,000 and containing more than one town, for county supervisor, no person's name shall be placed on the ballot in the spring election unless he is nominated at the spring primary. *In any county supervisory district where 2 or more municipalities are combined for the purpose of electing 2 supervisors at large under s. 59.03 (2) (b), when 5 or more candidates file nomination papers there shall be a primary and names shall be placed on the ballot at the spring election, as provided in s. 5.26 (4).*

SECTION 1m. 5.26 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.26 (4) The persons, equal in number to twice the number of persons to be elected to any office, receiving the highest vote for such office at any ~~city~~ primary, shall be the nominees for such office, and their names, and no others, shall be placed upon the official ballot at the ensuing ~~city~~ election ~~in such city~~.

SECTION 1p. 6.20 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

6.20 (4) The county clerk shall arrange the surnames of all candidates for judicial officers representing one county or less in area, except those specified in sub. (2), and ~~superintendent of schools~~ *county supervisors* alphabetically for the first precinct in the list, and thereafter, in each succeeding precinct, the name appearing first for each office in the last preceding precinct shall be placed last.

SECTION 1t. 6.23 (16) of the statutes is amended to read:

6.23 (16) Ballots for judicial, *county supervisor*, school and city elections shall be printed upon the quality of white print paper specified in sub. (17) (b), and shall be of sufficient size to afford space for the names of the several candidates for any office in the column under the proper office designation. The names of candidates for judicial offices and school superintendent shall be printed on the same ballot in substantially the annexed form marked "E." *A separate ballot shall be provided for county supervisors.* Such ballots shall have similar matter printed on the back and outside as other official ballots are required to have.

SECTION 1x. 59.87 (2) of the statutes, as amended by chapter 19, laws of 1965, is amended to read:

59.87 (2) If the county board of supervisors determines to establish a co-operative extension service, it shall create a committee on agriculture consisting of the chairman of the board and 3 or more other members of the board selected by the board. ~~One of the members thus selected shall be a supervisor from a village or city and~~ The vocation of a majority of the ~~remaining~~ members of the committee shall be agriculture in the counties where membership with such qualifications is available. The county board may select as an additional member of the committee any public school administrator resident in the county. The members of the committee ~~on agriculture~~, including such additional member, if one has been selected, shall receive such compensation and expenses as the board determines under the authority of s. 59.15 (2) (c) and (3). The committee ~~on agriculture~~ shall meet at such intervals as is deemed necessary to properly carry out its functions and responsibilities.

SECTION 2. 61.197 (1) (intro. par.) of the statutes is amended to read:

61.197 SELECTION OF OFFICERS. (1) Officers other than members of the village board, ~~supervisors~~ and justices of the peace except as provided in s. 61.65, shall be selected by one of the following methods:

SECTION 3. 61.25 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

61.25 (2) To transmit to the county clerk, within 10 days after election or appointment and qualification, a certified statement of the name and term for which elected or appointed, of the president, clerk, treasurer, ~~supervisor~~ and assessor; and to the clerk of the circuit court immediately after their election or appointment and qualification, a like statement of the time and term for which elected or appointed of every justice of the peace, chief of police, marshal or constable of the village.

SECTION 4. 64.37 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

64.37 (3) The common council of any such city that has abandoned the commission form of government and before effective reorganization under ch. 62, may by an ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote of all its members, provide that the membership of the common council to be first elected upon such reorganization shall consist of one alderman from each ward, ~~and may further provide that the alderman of each ward shall be the supervisor therefrom.~~ Thereafter the membership of the council shall not be increased or decreased except as provided in s. 62.09 (1) (b).

SECTION 5. 81.38 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

81.38 (7) Except as provided in ~~sections 81.38 sub. (6) and s. 84.14 (3),~~ nothing herein contained shall authorize the levy of a tax upon the property in any city or village which is required to maintain its own bridges, ~~and the supervisors from such cities and villages shall have no vote upon any matter arising under this section.~~

SECTION 6. 140.09 (11) of the statutes is amended to read:

140.09 (11) The jurisdiction of the county department of health shall extend to all towns, villages and cities within the county, other than those having a full-time health department. Towns, cities and villages having full-time health departments may by vote of their governing bodies determine to come under such jurisdiction. ~~No supervisor from any city, village or town maintaining a full-time health department shall have any part in any determination under this section, and~~ No part of any expense incurred under this subsection shall be levied against any property within ~~such any~~ city, village or town *which has a full-time health department and which has not determined to come under the jurisdiction of the county department.*

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