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AN ACT to amend 70.46 (1) of the statutes, relating to composition of local property tax boards of review.

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

SECTION 1. 70.46 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

70.46 (1) Except as provided in s. 70.99, the supervisors and clerk of each town, the mayor, clerk and such other officers, other than assessors, as the common council of each city by ordinance determines, the president, clerk and such other officers, other than the assessor, as the board of trustees of each village by ordinance determines, shall constitute a board of review for such the town, city or village. In cities of the 1st class the board of review shall, and in all other towns, cities and villages it may, by ordinance in lieu of the foregoing consist of 5 to 9 residents of the town, city or village, none of whom may occupy any public office or be publicly employed. The members shall be appointed by the town chairperson, the mayor of the city or the village president with the approval of the town board, common council or village board and shall hold office as members of the board for staggered 5-year terms. In all other towns, cities and villages the board of review may by ordinance in lieu of the foregoing consist of any number of town, city or village residents and may include public officers and public employes. The ordinance shall specify the manner of appointment. The town board, common council or village board shall fix, by ordinance, the salaries of the members of the board of review. No board of review member hereunder may serve on a county board of review to review any assessment made by a county assessor unless appointed as provided in s. 70.99 (10).

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