

titled to the same fees and mileage as for attendance upon the district court, except that any officer, agent, or employee of the city or village who receives compensation for his services, shall not be entitled to fees or mileage.

Approved April 24, 1959.

CHAPTER 696—S. F. No. 1548

[Not Coded]

An act proposing an amendment to the constitution relating to the elective franchise; amending Article VII, Section 1.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. For the purpose of permitting persons to vote who have moved from a precinct within thirty days from election, and to eliminate certain obsolete constitutional provisions relating to the elective franchise, the following amendment is proposed to the people of the state for their approval or rejection—

Article VII, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, is amended to read:

Every person of the age of twenty-one years or more who has been a citizen of the United States for three months and who has resided in this state six months and in the precinct for thirty days next preceding an election shall be entitled to vote in that precinct, and the place of voting by one otherwise qualified who has changed his residence within thirty days preceding the election may be prescribed by law.

Sec. 2. The question shall be submitted to the people of this state for their approval or rejection at the general election for the year 1960 in the manner provided by law for the submission of amendments to the Constitution. The votes thereon shall be counted, canvassed, and the result proclaimed as provided by law. The ballots used at this election shall have printed thereon the following:

“Shall the Constitution of the State of Minnesota be amended to authorize prescribing by law the place where a person who has moved his residence from a precinct within thirty days preceding an election may vote and

to eliminate obsolete provisions governing the franchise of persons of Indian blood?

Yes.....
No"

Approved April 24, 1959.

CHAPTER 697—S. F. No. 1282

An act relating to old age assistance; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 256.15, Subdivision 2.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 256.15, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Payments, limitation.** The manner and amount of old age assistance payments shall be fixed with due regard to the conditions in each case in accordance with the rules and regulations of the state agency. In no case shall a *payment* exceed \$71 a month, except for medical, dental, surgical, hospital, nursing care, or licensed nursing home care, provided, however, that where the county welfare board determines that because of his infirmity or physical disability a recipient requires *congregate or foster care or the services of a homemaker or a housekeeper but is not in need of continual medical or nursing care, the county welfare board* may allow not to exceed \$115 per month. *Such services or care must be received from a nonrelative in the recipient's own home or in a congregate care home or foster home complying with standards established by the department of public welfare and having the approval of the county welfare board* subject to the following:

The annual income of any property which is not so utilized as to produce reasonable returns shall be deemed to be the net income which would be available if the property were suitably used. Due consideration shall be given to the current or prevailing conditions affecting the use of such property.

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