

TOWNSHIPS

CHAPTER 547

HOUSE BILL NO. 1392

(Representatives D. Johnson, Damschen, Haas)
(Senators Erbele, Klein, Triplett)

TOWNSHIP ZONING VIOLATION PENALTY

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 58-03-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the penalty for violation of zoning regulations in townships.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 2 of section 58-03-14 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

2. If after reasonable notice and opportunity for hearing by the board of township supervisors, a property owner fails to bring a building or structure or the use of land owned by that person into compliance with a regulation or restriction made under sections 58-03-11 through 58-03-15, in addition to any other remedies, the board of township supervisors may impose a civil penalty of up to ~~five hundred two thousand~~ two thousand dollars annually against the property owner and the property. The board of township supervisors may also assess the property owner for all costs of the township in bringing the property into compliance or in instituting and prosecuting any appropriate action or proceeding under this section. Any civil penalty or assessment of costs, or both, against a property owner constitute a lien on the property and must be charged against the property and become a part of the taxes against the property for the ensuing year and must be collected in the same manner as other real estate taxes are collected and placed to the credit of the township.

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CHAPTER 548**HOUSE BILL NO. 1386**

(Representatives Herbel, Onstad)
(Senator Warner)

TOWNSHIP OFFICER COMPENSATION

AN ACT to amend and reenact sections 58-06-02, 58-07-01, and 58-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the compensation of township officers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 58-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

58-06-02. Compensation of supervisors. A township supervisor is entitled to receive as compensation for services twenty dollars a day for each day necessarily devoted to the work of a supervisor's office not exceeding ~~six hundred~~ one thousand dollars in a calendar year. Additional compensation over ~~six hundred~~ one thousand dollars may be provided for reimbursement of expenses and mileage at a rate not exceeding the allowable mileage rate accepted by the United States internal revenue service for each mile [1.61 kilometers] necessarily traveled in the performance of a supervisor's duties.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 58-07-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

58-07-01. Compensation of clerk. The township clerk is entitled to receive as compensation for services twenty dollars a day for each day necessarily devoted to the work of the clerk's office not exceeding ~~six hundred~~ one thousand dollars in a calendar year. Additional compensation over ~~six hundred~~ one thousand dollars may be provided for reimbursement of expenses and mileage at a rate not exceeding the allowable mileage rate accepted by the United States internal revenue service for each mile [1.61 kilometers] necessarily traveled in the performance of the clerk's duties. In those townships in which the offices of township clerk and treasurer have been merged, the person elected to fill the new office is entitled to receive compensation as township clerk only.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 58-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

58-08-01. Compensation of treasurer. The township treasurer is entitled to receive as compensation for services twenty dollars a day for each day necessarily devoted to the work of the treasurer's office not exceeding ~~six hundred~~ one thousand dollars in a calendar year. Additional compensation over ~~six hundred~~ one thousand dollars may be provided for reimbursement of expenses and mileage at a rate not exceeding the allowable mileage rate accepted by the United States internal revenue service for each mile [1.61 kilometers] necessarily traveled in the performance of the

treasurer's duties. The township treasurer may not be allowed a percentage on the balance turned over to the treasurer's successor in office.

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