

SENATE BILL No. 16

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 36-8-11-14.

Synopsis: Fire protection district per diems. Increases the maximum amount (from \$20 to \$100) that a member of the board of fire trustees of a fire protection district may receive for each day that the member devotes to the work of the district.

Effective: July 1, 2015.

Randolph

January 6, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Local Government.



First Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2015)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2014 Regular Session and 2014 Second Regular Technical Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 36-8-11-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 14. (a) At the first
- 3 regular meeting each year, the trustees of the board shall elect a
- 4 chairman and vice chairman from their number. The vice chairman
- 5 shall act as chairman during the absence or disability of the chairman.
- 6 (b) A majority of the trustees constitutes a quorum. An action of the
- 7 board is official, however, only if it is authorized by a majority of the
- 8 trustees at a regular or properly called special meeting.
- 9 (c) Each trustee may receive not more than ~~twenty one hundred~~
- 10 dollars ~~(\$20)~~ **(\$100)** a day for each day devoted to the work of the
- 11 district. In addition, each trustee may be reimbursed for actual
- 12 expenses, including traveling expense at a rate equivalent to that
- 13 provided by statute for state employees. Claims for expense
- 14 reimbursement must be accompanied by an itemized written statement
- 15 and approved by a recorded motion of the board.
- 16 (d) At the time the county legislative body initially appoints the



1 board, it shall order where the board will maintain its offices. The
2 offices may not be changed without approval of the legislative body.
3 The board shall arrange for office space and keep a record of all
4 transactions and minutes of all meetings in the office. All records and
5 minutes shall be kept available for public inspection.

