CHAPTER 164.
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COUNTY OFFICERS—SALARIES.

AN ACT relating to county officers' salaries; amending section 36.17.020, chapter [4], Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.17.020; and amending section 36.16.032, chapter [4], Laws of 1963 and RCW 36.16.032.

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

SECTION 1. Section 36.17.020, chapter [4], Laws of 1963, and RCW 36.17.020 are each amended to read as follows:

The salaries of county officers of Class A counties and counties of the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth classes, as determined by the last preceding federal census, or as may be determined under the provisions of RCW 36.13.020 to 36.13.075, inclusive, shall be per annum respectively as follows:

Class A counties: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, sheriff, assessor, superintendent of schools, members of board of county commissioners, coroner, eleven thousand five hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, thirteen thousand five hundred dollars;

Counties of the first class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, sheriff, assessor, superintendent of schools, members of board of county commissioners, ten thousand four hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, twelve thousand three hundred dollars; coroner, five thousand two hundred dollars;

Counties of the second class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, sheriff, assessor, superintendent of schools, members of board of county commissioners, eight thousand eight hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, nine thousand three hundred dollars; coroner, three thousand dollars;
Counties of the third class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, assessor, sheriff, superintendent of schools, members of board of county commissioners, prosecuting attorney, seven thousand nine hundred dollars; coroner, two thousand dollars;

Counties of the fourth class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, assessor, sheriff, superintendent of schools, seven thousand dollars; members of the board of county commissioners and prosecuting attorney, six thousand four hundred dollars;

Counties of the fifth class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, sheriff, assessor, superintendent of schools, six thousand four hundred dollars; members of the board of county commissioners and prosecuting attorney, five thousand five hundred dollars;

Counties of the sixth class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, assessor, sheriff, superintendent of schools, five thousand eight hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, three thousand five hundred dollars; members of the board of county commissioners, one thousand nine hundred dollars and fifteen dollars per diem for expenses;

Counties of the seventh class: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, assessor, sheriff, superintendent of schools, five thousand seven hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, three thousand five hundred dollars; members of the board of county commissioners, one thousand nine hundred dollars and fifteen dollars per diem for expenses;

Counties of the eighth class: Auditor, treasurer, assessor, sheriff, five thousand dollars; clerk, three thousand five hundred dollars; superintendent of schools, three thousand three hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, three thousand dollars; members of board of county commissioners, one thousand five hundred dollars and twelve dollars per diem for expenses;

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Counties of the ninth class: Auditor-clerk, sheriff, treasurer-assessor, four thousand seven hundred dollars; superintendent of schools, two thousand eight hundred dollars; prosecuting attorney, two thousand two hundred dollars; members of the board of county commissioners, fifteen dollars per diem.

The salaries of county officers in counties with a population over five hundred thousand shall be per annum respectively as follows: Auditor, clerk, treasurer, sheriff, assessor, superintendent of schools, members of board of county commissioners, coroners, fifteen thousand dollars; prosecuting attorney, sixteen thousand nine hundred dollars.

Note: See section 36.17.020, chapter 4, Laws of 1963.

Sec. 2. Section 36.16.032, chapter [4], Laws of 1963, and RCW 36.16.032 are each amended to read as follows:

The office of county auditor may be combined with the office of county clerk in counties of the eighth class by unanimous resolution of the board of county commissioners passed thirty days or more prior to the first day of filing for the primary election for county offices. The salary of such office of county clerk combined with the office of county auditor shall be five thousand seven hundred dollars.

Note: See section 36.16.032, chapter 4, Laws of 1963.

Sec. 3. Employees of the counties shall have the right to voluntarily authorize the monthly deduction of their pledges to the United Good Neighbor or its successor, monthly payment to a credit unit, and monthly dues to a labor union, from their salaries or wages. When such written authorization is received by the county auditor, he shall make such monthly deduction.

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