

**COUNTY OF UNION,  
ILLINOIS  
RESOLUTION TO APPROVE PAYMENT OF STIPENDS  
FOR CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICIALS**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to 55 ILCS 5/4-6002©, a coroner shall receive a stipend of \$6,500 per year; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to 55 ILCS 5/46003(d), a sheriff shall receive a stipend of \$ 6,500 per year; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to 55 ILCS 5/3-10007, a county treasurer shall receive a stipend of \$6,500 per year; and

**WHEREAS**, during Fiscal Year 2010, the State of Illinois has failed to pay a portion of the stipends due and owing to the Union County Clerk and Coroner, and

**WHEREAS**, uncertainty exists as to whether the State of Illinois will pay full stipends to Union County Clerk and the Coroner (the "Elected Officials") as required by Illinois law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Elected Officials continue to perform all duties as required by Illinois law and the stipends paid to the Elected Officials are a significant portion of the compensation for the duties of the respective offices held by the Elected Officials; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Union, Illinois finds that it is necessary and in the best interest of the County that the Elected Officials receive all compensation due and owing under Illinois law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Union, Illinois desires to provide the stipends required under Illinois law to the Elected Officials if the State of Illinois fails to provide the full amount of such stipends.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Union, Illinois as follows:

**Section 1:** The Union County Treasurer shall make the following payments to certain elected officials to compensate for the failure of the State of Illinois to pay the full amount of stipends to the elected officials as required by Illinois law for fiscal year 2012:

Union County Clerk	\$1,300
Coroner	\$3,900

**Section 2:** Should the State of Illinois provide the stipend funds, or any portion of the stipend funds, listed in Section 1, said elected official shall provide said stipend funds received from the State of Illinois to the County of Union, Illinois.

**Section 3:** Any elected official receiving a stipend amount from the County of Union, Illinois as listed in Section 1, shall be entitled to IMRF Service Credit for said amount; provided, however, any elected official receiving a stipend amount from the County of Union, Illinois as listed in Section 1 shall not seek additional IMRF Service Credit based on the failure of the State of Illinois to apy such stipend amount.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Union, Illinois this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 2012.

  
Randy Lambdin, Chairman:

Aye    Nay  
voting    

  
Don Denny, County Commissioner:

voting    

  
Dale Russell, County Commissioner:

voting    

ATTEST:

  
Bobby Toler, Jr., Union County Clerk