

261.04 or 261.08 of the * * * statutes. * * * *When the venue of any action shall be changed by said county court pursuant to section 261.08 or section 356.03 of the statutes it shall be changed to the circuit court of Barron county or the judge of said county court may call upon the circuit judge of the circuit in which Barron county is located or upon the county judge of any county court having civil and criminal jurisdiction to attend, hold court and try said action and while so doing he shall have the powers of the judge of said county court of Barron county.* * * * If any person charged upon indictment or information with a criminal offense shall have procured a change of venue to the circuit court of Barron county, said county court shall commit or hold the party to bail to appear at the next term of the circuit court and the clerk of said county court shall transmit all papers and a copy of the records and proceedings in said case, properly certified to be such under the seal of said court, to the said circuit court which shall then have full jurisdiction of the action; all recognizances previously given in such cases and returned to said county court may be enforced in said circuit court as fully as if they had been originally returned thereto. In like manner may all such cases which might originally have been brought in said county court or appealed thereto, where a change of venue is allowed or directed by the circuit court on the grounds of prejudice of the judge thereof, be removed to said county court, provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as abrogating the power conferred upon the circuit court by section 261.08 of the * * * statutes * * *.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 42.

AN ACT to amend subdivision eleven of section 261.01 of the statutes, relating to place of trial in auto accident cases.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Subdivision eleven of section 261.01 of the statutes is amended to read: (261.01) (Eleventh) The place of

trial of an action growing out of the negligent operation of a motor vehicle shall be in the county in which the cause of action arose or where the defendant resides.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 43.

AN ACT to amend section 61.32 of the statutes, relating to salaries of the village board of trustees.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 61.32 of the statutes is amended to read: 61.32 The trustees of each village shall constitute a board designated the "Village Board of" (name of village), in which shall be vested all the powers of the village not specifically given some other officer. Four trustees shall constitute a quorum, except in villages having a population of two hundred and fifty or less, but a less number may adjourn from time to time. The president shall preside at all meetings when present. In his absence the board may select another trustee to preside. Regular meetings shall be held at such times as may be prescribed by their by-laws. Special meetings may be called by any two trustees in writing, filed with the clerk, who shall thereupon seasonably notify all the trustees of the time and place thereof in the manner directed by the by-laws. All meetings shall be open to the public. The board shall keep a record of all its proceedings, shall have power to preserve order at its meetings, compel attendance of trustees and punish nonattendance, and it shall be judge of the election and qualification of its members. The president and board of trustees of any village, whether operating under general or special law, may by * * * *a three-fourths vote of all the members of the village board* determine that an annual salary be paid the president and trustees. * * * *Salaries heretofore established shall so remain until changed by ordinance and shall not be increased or diminished during their terms of office.*

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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