## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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This bill is drafted according to your instructions, but it seems to me that it would be clearer to merely specify "\$15,000" in s. 66.0501 (4), instead of providing a cross–reference to s. 946.13 (2) (a). As a practical matter, although I don't know how much volunteer fire fighters typically receive as compensation, \$15,000 seems sort of high for a volunteer position.

Based on my conversation with Boots, it also seems to me that the approach taken in LRB-0307/1 solves the problem in the statute more effectively by making it absolutely clear that the compensation amount specified in the statute applies only to one or more of the positions specified (volunteer fire fighter, EMT, or first responder) and not to the total compensation received for all municipal positions. Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

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