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2001 BILL

1 *General*
AN ACT ...; relating to: terms of municipal judges.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

⊗ Under current law, a municipal court judge is elected at large for a term of 2 *two*
⊗ years unless the municipality has established a longer term of not to exceed 4 *years*.
⊗ This bill requires all municipal court judges to be elected for 4 *four* year terms.

For further information see the *local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

2 SECTION 1. 755.02 of the statutes is amended to read:

3 **755.02 Term.** The judges shall be elected at large for a term of 2 *4* years ~~unless~~
4 ~~a longer term, not exceeding 4 years, is provided by ordinance or bylaw.~~ The term
5 shall commence on May 1 of the year of the judge's election.

6 SECTION 2. Initial applicability.

7 (1) This act first applies to elections held on the effective date of this subsection.

8 History: 1977 c. 187 s. 94; 1977 c. 273, 305, 447; Stats. 1977 s. 755.02.

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MEMORANDUM

To: Representative Jeskewitz

From: Robert P. Nelson, Senior Legislative Attorney

Re: LRB-2971/1 Provide 4-year term for municipal judges

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