



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2013 Wisconsin Act 53
[2013 Assembly Bill 22]

Municipal Court Fees

Under prior law, in a municipal court action, the municipal judge was required to collect a fee of not less than \$15 nor more than \$28 on each separate matter. Of each fee received by the judge, the municipal treasurer paid \$5 to the Secretary of the Department of Administration for deposit in the general fund and retained the balance for the use of the municipality.

2013 Wisconsin Act 53 increased the \$28 maximum to \$38. As under prior law, the municipality retains the fee, except the \$5 that is deposited into the general fund.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov>.