

until their successors are appointed or elected. The members of the board shall all reside within the town. The board shall choose its own chairman. The town board may compensate the members of such board. Vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term of any member whose term becomes vacant.

(3) The town board shall adopt rules for the conduct of the business of the board of adjustment, in accordance with the provisions of any ordinance or ordinances adopted pursuant to section 60.74. The board of adjustment may adopt further rules as necessary to carry into effect the regulations of the town board. Meetings of the board shall be held at the call of the chairman and at such other times as the board may determine. Such chairman, or in his absence the acting chairman, may administer oaths and compel the attendance of witnesses. All meetings of the board shall be open to the public. The board shall keep minutes of its proceedings, showing the vote of each member upon each question, or, if absent, indicating such fact, and shall keep records of its examinations and other official actions, all of which shall be immediately filed in the office of the board and shall be a public record.

(4) Boards of adjustment under town zoning ordinances shall have the powers and duties provided for boards of adjustment by section 59.99 and shall carry out their duties in the manner provided for boards of adjustments by section 59.99.

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### CHAPTER 225.

AN ACT to create 318.06 (10) of the statutes, relating to assigning residue in estates.

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

318.06 (10) of the statutes is created to read:

318.06 (10) ASSIGNING PURSUANT TO CONTRACT. If any person having an interest in an estate shall assign all or part of his interest therein (other than an interest not assignable by the specific language of a will) as collateral or otherwise and the assignee shall serve a copy thereof on the executor or adminis-

trator of the estate and shall file the assignment with the county court having jurisdiction of the estate before the entry of the final decree or judgment therein, the county court shall assign to such assignee in the final decree or judgment in the estate the legacy, share or portion included within such assignment to the extent that such assignment is valid as determined by said court, after giving effect to any credits to which the assignor may be entitled.

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#### CHAPTER 226.

AN ACT to create 59.05 (2m) of the statutes, permitting county boards to elect a second vice chairman.

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

59.05 (2m) of the statutes is created to read:

59.05 (2m) The board at the time of the election of chairman may also elect one of their number second vice chairman for the same term, who, in case of the absence, disability or death of the vice chairman, shall perform his duties.

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#### CHAPTER 227.

AN ACT to amend 261.02 of the statutes, relating to the county in which actions for divorce and for annulment or affirmance of marriage must be brought.

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

261.02 of the statutes is amended to read:

261.02 The county designated in the complaint shall be the place of trial, unless the same be changed as provided in this chapter, except that every action named in section 261.01 (1) can be commenced only in the county in which the property or some