

for the acts, defaults or misconduct in office of either his jailer or his deputies, appointed under the provisions of section 59.21 (8) or section 59.074, except where such deputy or jailer acts under the express direction of the sheriff. Each such deputy and jailer shall execute and file an official bond and shall be liable for his acts, defaults or misconduct in office in the same manner and to the same extent that the sheriff and his executors and administrators would otherwise be liable, and actions therefor shall be prosecuted directly against such deputy or jailer and the surety on his official bond. The official bond required shall be in such principal amount as the county board shall determine and shall have a licensed surety company as surety. The cost of any such bond shall be paid by the county.

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CHAPTER 211.

AN ACT to amend 48.07 (6) (b) of the statutes, relating to recovery for care and maintenance of children committed to licensed child welfare agencies.

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

48.07 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

48.07 (6) (b) **Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (a)** of this subsection, a licensed child welfare agency into whose care and custody a child has been committed by a juvenile court shall be entitled to recovery from the county chargeable for the support of such child, a reasonable sum to be agreed upon by the juvenile court and such agency, for his care and maintenance in an institution and not exceeding seven dollars per week if boarded in a family home, less in either case any amounts received pursuant to paragraph (a) * * *, *provided that the juvenile court with the approval of the county board of supervisors may authorize a higher rate per week.* Such amounts shall be payable as are other claims against the county and an amount sufficient to pay all such claims shall be appropriated annually by the county.

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