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CHAPTER 128

AN ACT to amend 43.26 (1) of the statutes, relating to the composition of the library board.

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

43.26 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

43.26 (1) Each such library shall be administered by a library board composed in each city of the second or third class of 8 appointive members, in each city of the fourth class of 6 appointive members, and in each village, town or county of 4 appointive members, who shall be citizens of the municipality except that not more than 2 appointive members thereof may be citizens of towns adjacent to such municipality, of either sex, appointed by the mayor, village president, or town or county chairman, respectively, with the approval of the municipal governing body. Upon their first appointment such members shall be divided as nearly as may be, into 3 equal classes to serve for 1, 2 and 3 years, respectively, from July 1 in the year of their appointment in the case of towns, cities and villages and from January 1 following their appointment in the case of counties, and there-

after each regular appointment shall be for a term of 3 years. * * * *The appointing authority shall also appoint, as an additional member, one school administrator, or his representative, to represent the public school district or districts in which the public library is located.* Not more than one member of the council or county, village or town board shall at any one time be a member of the library board. No compensation shall be paid to the members of any municipal library board for their services as such but they may be reimbursed for their actual and necessary expenses incurred in performing duties outside the municipality if so authorized by the board.

Approved June 24, 1963.
