

**RESOLUTION
R2022-179**

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE SALARY FOR
THE DEKALB COUNTY SHERIFF**

WHEREAS, Section 5-1010 of the Counties Code [55 ILCS 5/5-1010] requires the County Board to establish the salary of County officers at a meeting prior to the election of the officers whose salary is being established; and

WHEREAS, Section 2(a) of the Local Government Officer Compensation Act [50 ILCS 145/2(a)] requires the salary of elected officers for local governments to be established at least one hundred eighty (180) days prior to the start of their term; and

WHEREAS, Section 2(b) of the Local Government Officer Compensation Act [50 ILCS 145/2(b)] requires the salary of elected officers of a county be set by ordinance or resolution of the County Board; and

WHEREAS, the Public Act 102-0699 was enacted on April 19, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Public Act 102-0699 amends the Counties Code by adding Section 3-6007.5 [55 ILCS 5/3-6007.5] as follows:

Section 3-6007.5. Sheriff's salary.

- (a) As used in this Section, "salary" is exclusive of any other compensation or benefits.
- (b) The salary of a sheriff elected or appointed after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 102nd General Assembly in a non-home rule county shall not be less than 80% of the salary set for the State's Attorney under Section 4-2001 for the county in which the sheriff is elected or appointed.
- (c) The State shall furnish 66 2/3% of the total annual salary to be paid to a sheriff. Said amounts furnished by the State shall be payable monthly by the Department of Revenue out of the Personal Property Tax Replacement Fund or the General Revenue Fund to the county in which the sheriff is elected or appointed. The county shall furnish 33 1/3% of the total annual salary; and

WHEREAS, Section 4-2001 of the Counties Code establishes the methods used to set the salary of the State's Attorney; and

WHEREAS, Section 4-2001(a)(1) through (a)(4) of the Counties Code sets either a certain annual salary for the State's Attorney or an annual salary for State's Attorney "as set by the Compensation Review Board, whichever is greater" [55 ILCS 5/4-2001(a)(1) through (a)(4)]; and

WHEREAS, Section 4-2001(a)(5) of the Counties Code provides for the greater of the set salary or the salary “as set by the Compensation Review Board” to include “any cost-of-living adjustments as authorized by the Compensation Review Board” [55 ILCS 5/4-2001(a)(1)]; and

WHEREAS, the pursuant to Section 4-2001 of the Counties Code the DeKalb County State’s Attorney’s annual salary along with any cost-of-living adjustments is set and authorized by the Compensation Review Board on an annual basis in July.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the annual salary for the DeKalb County Sheriff shall be as follows:

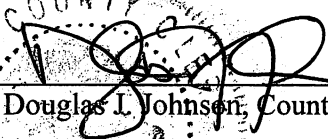
1. Effective December 1, 2022, the DeKalb County Sheriff’s annual salary shall be set at no less than eighty percent (80%) of the DeKalb County State’s Attorney’s salary as is set by the State of Illinois pursuant to Section 4-2001 of the Counties Code inclusive of any cost-of-living adjustments as authorized by the Compensation Review Board.
2. In addition to the salary provided for in Paragraph 1, the Sheriff shall receive an annual stipend to be paid by the Illinois Department of Revenue out of the Personal Property Tax Replacement Fund in the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500.00) as required by Section 4-6003(d) of the Counties Code [55 ILCS 5/4-6003(d)].
3. The definition of benefits for the DeKalb Sheriff shall be defined by the County Board of DeKalb County and shall be consistent with the other county-wide elected officials.

PRESENTED, APPROVED, AND RESOLVED by the County Board of DeKalb County, Illinois on June 15, 2022.

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John Frieders Chair, County Board

Attest:


Douglas L. Johnson, County Clerk

