Resolution of the County Board
of
Kankakee County, Illinois

RE: PER DIEM FOR JUDGES OF ELECTION

WHEREAS, the average judge of election spends a minimum of fifteen (15) hours at the polls on Election Day, and;

WHEREAS, the current per diem for judges of election is $75.00 per day for a non-certified judge and $145.00 per day for a certified judge, and;

WHEREAS, in order to attract and retain judges of election and to encourage proper training, the County Clerk, Dan Hendrickson recommends that the per diem for judges of election be increased to $160.00 per day for certified judges and non-certified judges per diem shall remain the same at $75.00 per day, and;

WHEREAS, given the additional duties taken on if there are only three election judges at a polling place, the County Clerk recommends the per diem for each judge at a polling place containing only three judges be set at $200.00 per day, and;

WHEREAS, at its November 20, 2018 Community Services meeting, it was reviewed, recommended and approved by a vote to increase the per diem for certified election judges to $160.00 per day and $200.00 per day in the event that there are only three election judges at the polling place.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of Kankakee County, Illinois that the per diem for judges of election be set at $75.00 per day for non-certified judges, $160.00 per day for certified judges and $200.00 per day for those judges located at polling places where there are only three election judges.

PASSED and adopted this 11th day of December, 2018.

Andrew H. Wheeler, County Board Chairman

ATTEST:

Dan Hendrickson, County Clerk