

## 1-103. Compensation.

(a) Annual salary. The annual salary for a [county commissioner] COUNTY COMMISSIONER is \$20,000, payable as provided by the county's payroll system.

(b) Presidential supplement. The Commissioner elected President of the Board shall receive an additional \$500 per year.

(c) Benefits. Each County Commissioner is entitled to health insurance and to other fringe benefits regularly provided to county employees.

(d) Prohibition. A Commissioner may not receive any other compensation for services as a Washington County Commissioner. (P.L.L., 1930, Art. 22, sec. 139; 1957 Code, sec. 169. 1910, ch. 591 (p. 1174); 1924, ch. 51; 1927, ch. 61; 1933, ch. 108; 1941, ch. 384; 1953, ch. 380; 1966, ch. 420; 1970, ch. 131; 1974, ch. 522; 1977, ch. 558; 1982, ch. 78; 1970 ed. sec. 8-2; 1984, ch. 289; 1985, ch. 340; 1989, ch. 53; 1990, ch. 198)

## 1-104. County Administrator.

(a) Appointment; salary; qualifications; bond. The County Commissioners [of Washington County] shall appoint a County Administrator at a salary set by the Commissioners. The County Administrator shall be selected on the basis of [his] THE APPLICANT'S executive and administrative abilities, including [his] THE APPLICANT'S knowledge and experience in public administration and public affairs. [He] THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR shall execute a surety bond in favor of the County Commissioners in the amount and with the corporate surety prescribed by the Commissioners and approved by the [county attorney] COUNTY ATTORNEY, with the condition that [he] THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR shall execute [his] THE duties OF THE OFFICE well and faithfully as required by law. The premium for the bond shall be paid from county funds.

(b) General responsibility.

(1) The [administrator] COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR shall [devote his full time to the work of] WORK FULL TIME FOR the county and [he] shall be responsible to the County Commissioners for the proper administration of its affairs.

(2) The COUNTY Administrator shall be held responsible for the proper discharge of [his] THE duties OF THE OFFICE, but may delegate to appropriate officers and employees authority necessary to carry out the duties of [his] THE office.

(c) Powers and duties. The County Administrator has the following powers and duties:

(1) To be chief administrative officer of the county and under the general supervision and control of the County Commissioners to be responsible for and handle the day-to-day operations of the county government, all as more particularly described in this section.

(2) To supervise and coordinate the administration of the functions of the several departments and administrative agencies of the county and to carry out the