

HOUSE BILL No. 6190

September 9, 2004, Introduced by Reps. Wenke, Steil, Bieda, Vander Veen, Voorhees, Gaffney, Newell, Drolet, Stakoe and Tobocman and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Urban Policy.

A bill to allow public officials to elect not to receive compensation for serving in their elected or appointed positions.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. (1) Upon written notice to the legislative body of
2 the village, city, township, or county in which a person serves
3 as a public official, the person may elect not to receive
4 compensation for serving as a public official.

5 (2) As used in this act:

6 (a) "Legislative body" means any of the following:

7 (i) The council, commission, or other entity vested with the
8 legislative power of a village.

9 (ii) The council or other entity vested with the legislative
10 power of a city.

11 (iii) The township board of a township.

1 (iv) The county board of commissioners of a county.

2 (b) "Public official" means a person who is elected or
3 appointed to any of the following:

4 (i) A public office of a city, village, township, or county
5 in this state.

6 (ii) A department, board, agency, institution, commission,
7 authority, division, council, or other public entity of a city,
8 village, township, or county in this state.