

HOUSE BILL No. 2092

By Committee on Governmental Organization and Elections

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10 AN ACT concerning county treasurers; relating to terms of office;
11 amending K.S.A. 19-501 and repealing the existing section.
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13 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

14 Section 1. K.S.A. 19-501 is hereby amended to read as follows: 19-
15 501. Each county treasurer elected at the general election in ~~1976~~ 2004
16 shall serve until the second ~~Tuesday in October of 1981~~ *Monday in Jan-*
17 *uary of 2009* and until a successor is elected and qualified. At the general
18 election in ~~1980~~ 2008, and every four (~~4~~) years thereafter, a county trea-
19 surer shall be elected in each county for a term of four (~~4~~) years, com-
20 mencing on the second ~~Tuesday in October~~ *Monday in January* following
21 the election, and until a successor is elected and qualified. ~~Such county~~
22 ~~treasurer shall~~, Before entering upon the duties of the office *the county*
23 *treasurer shall* execute to the state of Kansas a corporate surety bond
24 issued by a company authorized to do business in this state and approved
25 by the board of county commissioners in an amount of not less than
26 ~~twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000)~~ \$25,000. Such bond, with the ap-
27 proval of the board endorsed thereon by the clerk, shall be filed in the
28 office of the county clerk. ~~In the event~~ *If* the board of commissioners
29 ~~shall not be in session~~ *does not meet* in time for any county treasurer to
30 present such bond for their approval ~~as above specified~~, or such county
31 treasurer ~~shall be unable, for any reason,~~ *is unable* to present such bond
32 at any regular meeting of the board after due notice of such county trea-
33 surer's election, such county treasurer may present such bond to the
34 ~~chairman~~ *chairperson* or clerk of the board for approval, and the approval
35 endorsed thereon shall have the same effect as if ~~done~~ *approved* by the
36 board of county commissioners. ~~In the event~~ *If* the amount of the bond
37 is approved by only the ~~chairman~~ *chairperson* or the clerk of the board,
38 it shall not be less than twice the amount of all moneys directed by the
39 board to be levied in the county during the previous year.

40 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 19-501 is hereby repealed.

41 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
42 publication in the statute book.