

1 SB39  
2 215925-1  
3 By Senator Coleman-Madison  
4 RFD: Jefferson County Legislation  
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A BILL  
TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

Relating to Jefferson County; to amend Section 1 of Act 258 of the 1975 Regular Session (Acts 1975, p. 792), authorizing a municipality, municipal board, or municipal public corporation in the county employing the mayor to serve as superintendent of a municipal utility system or systems, to set an additional salary for the mayor for his or her service; to further authorize the salary of the mayor employed as superintendent of a utility system or systems to be set pursuant to Section 11-43-80, Code of Alabama 1975, notwithstanding the other provisions of this act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Section 1 of Act 258 of the 1975 Regular Session (Acts 1975, p. 792), is amended to read as follows:

"Section 1.

1           "(a) The mayor of any municipality in Jefferson  
2 County who is employed full-time by a municipality, municipal  
3 board, or municipal public corporation, to serve as  
4 superintendent of a municipal light and power system,  
5 municipal water system, municipal sewage system ~~and~~ , or  
6 municipal gas system, or one or more of them, owned and  
7 operated by such municipality, municipal board, or municipal  
8 public corporation pursuant to the provision of ~~Title 37,~~  
9 ~~Section 440, Alabama Code 1940~~ Section 11-43-80, Code of  
10 Alabama 1975, as amended, shall be paid for his or her service  
11 as superintendent of ~~such~~ the system or systems, in addition  
12 to the salary he or she now or hereafter receives as mayor,  
13 ~~such~~ the sum as the governing body, board, or municipal public  
14 corporation shall deem reasonable, but not to exceed ~~Twelve~~  
15 ~~Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00)~~ twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200)  
16 per month, notwithstanding the provisions of ~~Title 37, Section~~  
17 ~~440~~ Section 11-43-80, as amended, or any other law to the  
18 contrary.

19           "(b) Alternatively, notwithstanding subsection (a),  
20 the governing body or board of a municipality, municipal  
21 board, or municipal public corporation employing the mayor of  
22 any municipality in Jefferson County to serve as  
23 superintendent of a municipal light and power system,  
24 municipal water system, municipal sewage system, or municipal  
25 gas system, or one or more of them, owned and operated by the  
26 municipality, municipal board, or municipal public  
27 corporation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 11-43-80,

1 Code of Alabama 1975, as amended, may adopt an ordinance or  
2 resolution electing for the municipality, municipal board, or  
3 municipal public corporation to be exempted from the  
4 limitations of subsection (a) and, instead, to follow Section  
5 11-43-80, as amended, or other applicable law."

6           Section 2. This act shall become effective  
7 immediately following its passage and approval by the  
8 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.