

1 under his control, excepting such as may be required for
 2 current business, in any solvent bank or banks located in
 3 such city or town, subject to national supervision or state
 4 examination, as the council shall designate, and no other,
 5 and the sums so deposited shall bear interest at the rate of
 6 two and one-half per centum per annum, payable
 7 quarter-annually.

8 (12) To attend all meetings of the council, to record
 9 and sign the proceedings thereof and all ordinances, bylaws,
 10 resolutions, and contracts passed, adopted, or entered into,
 11 and to sign, number, and keep a record of all licenses,
 12 commissions, or permits granted or authorized by the
 13 council.

14 (13) To enter in a book all ordinances, resolutions,
 15 and bylaws passed and adopted by the council. Such book is
 16 called "The Ordinance Book."

17 (14) To enter in a book kept for that purpose the date,
 18 amount, and person in whose favor and for what purpose
 19 warrants are drawn upon the town treasury.

20 (15) To countersign and cause to be published or
 21 posted, as provided by law, all ordinances, bylaws, or
 22 resolutions passed and adopted by the council.

23 (16) To file and keep all records, books, papers, or
 24 property belonging to the town, and to deliver the same to
 25 his successor when qualified.

1 (17) To prepare a condensed statement of the
 2 proceedings of a regular or special meeting of the city or
 3 town council, including the total expenditure from each
 4 municipal fund, and cause the same to be published in a
 5 newspaper of general circulation in the city or town, or if
 6 there is none, in a newspaper serving the district.

7 The statement shall include a list of all claims
 8 allowed and a summary of all receipts. Failure by the clerk
 9 to make such a publication is a misdemeanor."

10 Section 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section
 11 43-517, R.C.M. 1947, there shall be no reimbursement nor
 12 shall there be any appropriation made by this act because
 13 the duties imposed on local government entities by this act
 14 are such that related costs are incurred as a part of their
 15 normal operating procedures.

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FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received January 17, 19 75, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for Senate Bill 70 pursuant to Chapter 53, Laws of Montana, 1965 - Thirty-Ninth Legislative Assembly.

Background information used in developing this Fiscal Note is available from the Office of Budget and Program Planning, to members of the Legislature upon request.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

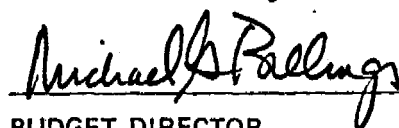
An act to extend the duties of a town clerk to include the preparation and publication of the proceedings of city or town councils; including the total expenditure from each municipal fund.

ASSUMPTIONS:

1. There are 126 cities and towns which would come under the provisions of this bill.
2. The city or town councils will meet once a week.
3. The average cost of such a publication is \$40 per printing.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Increased expenditure to cities and towns under proposed law would be an estimated \$1,920 per year.



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Date: January 21, 1975