

HOUSE BILL NO. 348

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1 House BILL NO. 348
2 INTRODUCED BY House Vincent
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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE
5 NONPARTISAN ELECTION OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS OF SCHOOLS
6 AND COUNTY CLERKS; AMENDING SECTION 7-4-2203, MCA."
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8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:
9 Section 1. Section 7-4-2203, MCA, is amended to read:
10 "7-4-2203. County officers. (1) There may be elected
11 or appointed the following county officers, who shall
12 possess the qualifications for suffrage prescribed by the
13 Montana constitution and such other qualifications as may be
14 prescribed by law:
15 (a) one county attorney;
16 (b) one clerk of the district court;
17 (c) one county clerk;
18 (d) one sheriff;
19 (e) one treasurer;
20 (f) one auditor if authorized by 7-6-2401;
21 (g) one county superintendent of schools;
22 (h) one county surveyor;
23 (i) one assessor;
24 (j) one coroner;
25 (k) one public administrator; and

1 (1) at least one justice of the peace.
2 (2) The commissioners may appoint at their discretion
3 constables. Not more than one constable may be appointed
4 for each justice's court.
5 (3) All elective township officers may be elected at
6 each general election as now provided by law.
7 ~~(4) Each county superintendent of schools and county~~
8 ~~clerk must be nominated and elected on a nonpartisan ballot~~
9 ~~by the qualified voters of the county according to the~~
10 ~~provisions of Title 13, chapter 14, part 1."~~

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