

ORDINANCE

SUBJECT: MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT

COMMITTEE: EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

FIRST CONSIDERATION: March 18, 2010

FINAL CONSIDERATION: MAY 20, 2010

ORDINANCE # 79-5/10 PUBLICATION DATE JUNE 2, 2010

The County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County does ordain as follows:

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND S. 3.13(4)(b)4. OF CHAPTER 3 OF THE
GENERAL CODE OF LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN REGARDING MILEAGE
REIMBURSEMENT**

ANALYSIS

This ordinance expands the activities attended by County Board Supervisors for which they may claim mileage. Currently, Supervisors may only claim mileage for attending meetings when they receive a formal meeting notice. This ordinance would allow Supervisors to claim mileage for official county business that is defined as resulting from their County Board or committee responsibilities. This would include noticed meetings and also include attending other matters such as a meeting of another governmental entity where an item of interest to the County is going to be discussed or meeting with a Department Head or the County Board Chair or County Administrator when a meeting notice is not required by law. The Supervisors' mileage claims will still need to be approved by the County Board Chair and processed by the County Clerk.

INFORMATION:

County Board Rules: Governing Body s. 2.02(8) states, in part: Ordinances are drafted by the Corporation Counsel. After the ordinance has been reviewed by a standing committee, each Supervisor will be given a copy of the ordinance showing the deleted language (grayed) and the new language (underlined) and an analysis of the intent of the ordinance. After introduction to the County Board, the ordinance shall be referred to the next monthly meeting unless waived by a 2/3 vote of the Supervisors present and a public hearing may be held if requested by a Supervisor. An amendment may be introduced and debated at either the original or the referred meeting. Copies of the ordinances of the County of La Crosse in their entirety are available with Corporation Counsel, County Clerk, or www.co.la-crosse.wi.us/code/.

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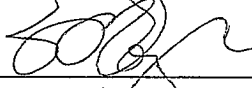
Section 1. Section 3.13(4)(b)4. is amended to read:

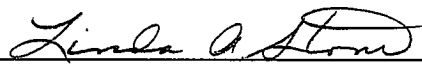
3.13(4)(b)4. Mileage may be claimed by all Supervisors for official County business that results from their County Board or committee responsibilities. Citizen committee members may claim mileage for attending regularly scheduled meetings for which they receive a formal meeting notice. Mileage may also be claimed by those Supervisors appointed by the County Board Chair to external boards and/or committees attached to outside agencies and/or organizations when attending meetings scheduled by those agencies or organizations. All mileage claims from Supervisors shall be approved by the County Board Chair and given to the County Clerk for processing. Mileage claimed by citizen committee members shall be processed by the Department Head attached to that committee and charged to the department travel budget.

Section 2 This Ordinance shall take effect the day after passage and publication.

Dated this 20 day of MAY, 2010.

LA CROSSE COUNTY


By: 
Steve Doyle, County Board Chair

By: 
Linda Stone, County Clerk

PASSED: MAY 20, 2010
PUBLISHED: JUNE 2, 2010

STATE OF WISCONSIN
COUNTY OF LA CROSSE

I, Linda A. Stone, County Clerk of La Crosse County do hereby certify that this document is a true and correct copy of the original ordinance required by law to be in my custody and which the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County adopted at a meeting held on the 20th day of May, 2010.


Linda A. Stone, La Crosse County Clerk