

SENATE BILL No. 109

By Committee on Elections and Local Government

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AN ACT concerning surveyors; authorizing creation of surveyor districts.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. (a) The board of county commissioners of any two or more counties, by adoption of a joint resolution, may unite to form a surveyor district and employ a surveyor for such district. The joint resolution shall:

(1) Fix the salary of the district surveyor and the portion thereof which each county shall pay;

(2) fix the terms and conditions of employment of the district surveyor;

(3) provide a method for altering the boundaries of and the dissolution of the surveyor district; and

(4) provide any other provision deemed necessary.

(b) In the absence of a specific provision in a joint resolution adopted pursuant to subsection (a), the boards of county commissioners shall act jointly as a district governing body and shall be subject to the provisions of other laws relating to county surveyors appointed for one county.

(c) No person shall be eligible for employment as a district surveyor unless such person is a land surveyor licensed pursuant to K.S.A. 74-7001 *et seq.*, and amendments thereto.

(d) The boundaries of any surveyor district created pursuant to subsection (a) shall not be altered for at least one year following the date of the adoption of the resolution by the counties creating the district.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.