

## CHAPTER 3

### MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

- Section 3.1 Clerk.
- Section 3.2 Tax Collector.
- Section 3.3 Street Commissioner.
- Section 3.4 Municipal Attorney.

#### **Section 3.1 Clerk.**

(a) There is hereby established the office of Village clerk who shall be appointed by the mayor and the board.

(b) The duties of the clerk shall be as prescribed by law and as directed by the mayor and the board.

#### **Section 3.2 Tax Collector.**

(a) There is hereby established the office of Village tax collector who shall be appointed by the mayor and the board.

(b) The duties of the tax collector shall be as prescribed by law and as directed by the mayor and the board.

#### **Section 3.3 Street Commissioner.**

(a) There is hereby established the office of Village street commissioner who shall be appointed by the mayor and the board.

(b) The duties of the street commissioner shall be as prescribed by law and as directed by the mayor and the board.

#### **Section 3.4 Municipal Attorney.**

(a) There is hereby established the office of Village attorney who shall be appointed by the mayor and the board.

(b) The duties of the attorney shall be as prescribed by law and as directed by the mayor and the board.

Editorial Note: L.R.S. 33:381 directs that the three (3) first mentioned officials shall be in office in every municipality. The mayor and board are directed to elect a clerk and tax collector, "and all other necessary officers whose election is not provided for in L.R.S. 33:381, L.R.S. 33:386. By fair

implication, the requirement for appointment of a street commissioner is asserted. The duties of the clerk are stated at L.R.S. 33:421, 422; the duties of the tax collector at L.R.S. 33:424; and the duties of the street commissioner at L.R.S. 33:426. An appointed treasurer has the duties as shown at L.R.S. 33:425. L.R.S. 33:386 provides authority for appointment of a municipal attorney. L.R.S. 33:381 provides authority for the street commissioner to be the mayor or an alderman; an alderman may also be the clerk; the clerk and the chief of police can also serve as the tax collector or assessor.