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Sponsor: Rep. Debbie Stabenow
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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4371 AS INTRODUCED 3-7-89

Under current law, village officers get paid (out of the village treasury general fund) only for each regularly scheduled village council meeting that they attend, with the amount being fixed by village ordinance. They may not be paid for any meetings they do not actually attend and may not be paid for any other services they may perform for the village during their term of office.

The bill would amend Public Act 3 of 1895 (the act governing the incorporation of villages) to strike the current provisions regarding compensation of village officers and would instead say that village officers would receive compensation as provided by ordinance (which would specify the manner and method that compensation would be due and payable). The bill also would allow village officers to receive any additional compensation that was allowed by law.

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