

**THE GENERAL LAW VILLAGE ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 3 of 1895**

**62.5 Village trustees; term of office; ordinance providing for election and terms of office.**

Sec. 5. Except as otherwise provided in this section, 3 village trustees shall be elected at each biennial village election for the term of 4 years and until their successors are qualified. As an alternative, if provided by an ordinance adopted by the village all 6 village trustees shall be elected at the biennial village elections for the term of 2 years and until their successors are qualified. The term of office for a trustee elected at the village's regular election begins on November 20 after the officer's election and qualification.

**History:** 1895, Act 3, Imd. Eff. Feb. 19, 1895;—CL 1897, 2703;—CL 1915, 2573;—CL 1929, 1483;—CL 1948, 62.5;—Am. 1973, Act 148, Imd. Eff. Nov. 21, 1973;—Am. 1998, Act 255, Imd. Eff. July 13, 1998;—Am. 2003, Act 305, Eff. Jan. 1, 2005;—Am. 2004, Act 300, Imd. Eff. July 23, 2004;—Am. 2012, Act 551, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.