



580 Capitol Hill Building  
 Seventh and Union  
 Nashville, Tennessee 37219  
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County Trustees, Sheriffs, Clerks of Courts,  
 Clerks and Masters of Chancery Courts, Clerks of Probate Courts,  
 Clerks of Circuit Courts, Register of Deeds, Clerks of Criminal Courts,  
 Assessors of Property, and Clerks of General Sessions Courts

Maximum Salaries  
 Provided for by T.C.A. 8-2403  
 Fiscal Year 1976-77

County Class	1970 Population	FY 1975-76 Base Maximum	Max. Salary Eff. 9/1/76 @ 9.1% Inc.	2 mos. @ FY 75-76 Base Maximum	10 mos. @ FY 76-77 Base Maximum	Total FY 76-77 Maximum Salary
1st	400,000 or more	\$30,525.00	\$33,302.78	\$ 5,087.50	\$27,752.32	\$32,839.82
2nd	150,000 - 400,000	23,421.00	25,552.31	3,903.50	21,293.59	25,197.09
3rd**	100,000 - 200,000	18,870.00	20,587.17	3,145.00	17,155.98	20,300.98
3rd	50,000 - 150,000	17,871.00	19,497.26	2,978.50	16,247.72	19,226.22
4th	24,500 - 50,000	15,318.00	16,711.94	2,553.00	13,926.62	16,479.62
5th	12,000 - 24,500	14,041.50	15,319.28	2,340.25	12,766.07	15,106.32
6th	6,000 - 12,000	12,126.75	13,230.28	2,021.13	11,025.23	13,046.36
7th	3,770 - 6,000	11,488.50	12,533.95	1,914.75	10,444.96	12,359.71
8th	3,770 or less:					
	Trustee	8,935.50	9,748.63	1,489.25	8,123.86	9,613.11
	All Others	7,659.00	8,355.97	1,276.50	6,963.31	8,239.81

\*\*Chapter 667, Public Acts of 1974 applies to Sullivan County only (not codified)

Minimum Salaries  
 Provided for by T.C.A. 8-2404  
 Fiscal Year 1976-77

County Class	1970 Population	FY 1975-76 Base Minimum	Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/76 @ 9.1% Inc.	2 Mos. @ FY 75-76 Base Minimum	10 Mos. @ FY 76-77 Base Minimum	Total FY 76-77 Minimum Salary
a1	600,000 or more	\$13,974.90	\$15,246.62	\$ 2,329.15	\$12,705.52	\$15,034.67
a	400,000 - 600,000	16,072.80	17,535.42	2,678.80	14,612.85	17,291.65
b	150,000 - 400,000	15,945.15	17,396.16	2,657.53	14,496.80	17,154.33
c	50,000 - 150,000	13,142.40	14,338.36	2,190.40	11,948.63	14,139.03
d	25,000 - 50,000	11,427.45	12,467.35	1,904.58	10,389.46	12,294.04
e	12,000 - 25,000	10,212.00	11,141.29	1,702.00	9,284.41	10,986.41
f	6,000 - 12,000	8,807.85	9,609.36	1,467.98	8,007.80	9,475.78
g	5,000 - 6,000	7,992.00	8,719.27	1,332.00	7,266.06	8,598.06
h	3,800 - 5,000	7,531.35	8,216.70	1,255.23	6,847.25	8,102.48
i	3,770 - 3,800	7,020.75	7,659.64	1,170.13	6,383.03	7,553.16
j	3,770 or less:					
	Clerks of County & Probate Courts	7,659.00	8,355.97	1,276.50	6,963.31	8,239.81
	Sheriffs	6,893.10	7,520.37	1,148.85	6,266.98	7,415.83
	Trustees, Clerk's & Master, Clerks of Criminal & Circuit Courts, Register of Deeds	5,106.00	5,570.65	851.00	4,642.21	5,493.21

Note: The Minimum Salary of the Assessor of Property is equal the maximum compensation of the County Trustee. The Assessor and Circuit Court Clerk in certain counties are authorized compensation in addition to the above amount. (Section 8-2405(B), T.C.A.)

Minimum Salary Schedule  
County Highway Officials  
 Provided for by T.C.A. 54-1006  
Fiscal Year 1976-77

Table I

If the county court clerk in the following class counties draws the maximum salary provided for in T.C.A. 8-2403, the minimum salary for the county highway official is as follows:

County Class	1970 Population	FY 1975-76 Base Minimum	Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/76 @ 9.1% Inc.	2 mos. @ FY 75-76 Base Minimum	10 mos. @ FY 76-77 Base Minimum	Total FY 76-77 Minimum Salary
1st	400,000 or more	\$30,525.00	\$33,302.78	\$ 5,087.50	\$27,752.32	\$32,839.82
2nd	150,000-400,000	23,421.00	25,552.31	3,903.50	21,293.59	25,197.09
3rd**	100,000-200,000	18,870.00	20,587.17	3,145.00	17,155.98	20,300.98
3rd	50,000-150,000	17,871.00	19,497.26	2,978.50	16,247.72	19,226.22
4th	24,500- 50,000	15,318.00	16,711.94	2,553.00	13,926.62	16,479.62
5th	12,000- 24,500	14,041.50	15,319.28	2,340.25	12,766.07	15,106.32
6th	6,000- 12,000	12,126.75	13,230.28	2,021.13	11,025.23	13,046.36
7th	3,770- 6,000	11,488.50	12,533.95	1,914.75	10,444.96	12,359.71
8th	3,770 or less	8,000.00	8,355.97	1,333.33	6,963.31	8,296.64

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Table II

If the county court clerk in the following class counties draws the minimum salary provided for in T.C.A. 8-2404, the minimum salary for the county highway official is as follows:

County Class	1970 Population	FY 1975-76 Base Minimum	Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/76 @ 9.1% Inc.	2 mos. @ FY 75-76 Base Minimum	10 mos. @ FY 76-77 Base Minimum	Total FY 76-77 Minimum Salary
a <sub>1</sub>	600,000 or more	\$13,974.90	\$15,246.62	\$ 2,329.15	\$12,705.52	\$15,034.67
a	400,000-600,000	16,072.80	17,535.42	2,678.80	14,612.85	17,291.65
b	150,000-400,000	15,945.15	17,396.16	2,657.53	14,496.80	17,154.33
c	50,000-150,000	13,142.40	14,338.36	2,190.40	11,948.63	14,139.03
d	25,000- 50,000	11,427.45	12,467.35	1,904.58	10,389.46	12,294.04
e	12,000- 25,000	10,212.00	11,141.29	1,702.00	9,284.41	10,986.41
f	6,000- 12,000	8,807.85	9,609.36	1,467.98	8,007.80	9,475.78
g	5,000- 6,000	8,000.00	8,719.27	1,333.33	7,266.06	8,599.39
h	3,800- 5,000	8,000.00	8,216.70	1,333.33	6,847.25	8,180.58
i	3,770- 3,800	8,000.00	8,000.00	1,333.33	6,666.67	8,000.00
j	3,770 or less	8,000.00	8,355.97	1,333.33	6,963.31	8,296.64

Note: If the county court clerk in your county draws compensation between the minimum and maximum rates, you should contact him or her to determine what your minimum salary should be effective September 1, 1976.

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County Judges, County Chairman,  
County Managers and County Administrators

Minimum Salaries  
Provided for by T.C.A. 8-2414  
Fiscal Year 1976-77

<u>County Class</u>	<u>1970 Population</u>	<u>FY75-76 Base Salary</u>	<u>Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/76</u>	<u>2 mos. @ Present Min.</u>	<u>10 mos. @ Adjusted Min.</u>	<u>Total FY76-77 Minimum Salary</u>
1st	400,000 or more	\$35,103.75	\$38,298.19	\$ 5,850.63	\$31,915.16	\$37,765.79
2nd	150,000 - 400,000	26,934.15	29,385.16	4,489.03	24,487.63	28,976.66
3rd	50,000 - 150,000	20,551.65	22,421.85	3,425.28	18,684.87	22,110.15
4th	24,500 - 50,000	17,615.70	19,218.73	2,935.95	16,015.61	18,951.56
5th	12,000 - 24,500	16,147.73	17,617.17	2,691.29	14,680.97	17,372.26
6th	6,000 - 12,000	13,945.76	15,214.82	2,324.29	12,679.02	15,003.31
7th	3,770 - 6,000	13,211.78	14,414.05	2,201.96	12,011.71	14,213.67
8th	3,770 or less	10,275.83	11,210.93	1,712.64	9,342.44	11,055.08


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GENERAL SESSIONS JUDGES SALARIES  
As Provided for in T.C.A. 16-1109(D)

County Class	1970 Population	FY1975-76 Base Salary	Salary eff. 9/1/76 @ 9.1% inc.	2 months FY75-76 Base	10 months @ FY76-77 Base	Total FY76-77 Salary
1st	100,000 or more	\$24,975.00	\$27,247.73	\$4,162.50	\$22,706.44	\$26,868.94
2nd	50,000-100,000	21,090.00	23,009.19	3,515.00	19,174.33	22,689.33
3rd	40,000-50,000	19,425.00	21,192.68	3,237.50	17,660.57	20,898.07
4th	30,000-40,000	16,650.00	18,165.15	2,775.00	15,137.63	17,912.63
5th	20,000-30,000	12,210.00	13,321.11	2,035.00	11,100.93	13,135.93
6th	15,000-20,000	9,990.00	10,899.09	1,665.00	9,082.58	10,747.58
7th	10,000-15,000	8,880.00	9,688.08	1,480.00	8,073.41	9,553.41
8th	10,000 or less	7,770.00	8,477.07	1,295.00	7,064.23	8,359.23

Exceptions as Provided for in T.C.A. 16-1109  
(See footnotes following figures)

County	1970 Population	FY1975-76 Base Salary	Salary eff. 9/1/76 @ 9.1% inc.	2 months FY75-76 Base	10 months @ FY76-77 Base	Total FY76-77 Salary
Hamilton	250,000-260,000	\$20,535.00	\$22,403.69	\$3,422.50	\$18,669.74	\$22,092.24
Montgomery	62,000-63,000	24,975.00	27,247.73	4,162.50	22,706.44	26,868.94
Greene	47,000-47,700	15,318.00	16,711.94	2,553.00	13,926.62	16,479.62
Carter	43,000-43,500	15,318.00	16,711.94	2,553.00	13,926.62	16,479.62
Carter	43,000-43,500 w/ juvenile jurisdiction	17,760.00	19,376.16	2,960.00	16,146.80	19,106.80
Putnam	35,470-36,000	23,310.00 <sup>1</sup>	25,431.21	3,885.00	21,192.68	25,077.68
Williamson	34,000-35,000	19,425.00	21,192.68	3,237.50	17,660.57	20,898.07
Williamson	34,000-35,000	24,975.00 <sup>2</sup>	27,247.73	4,162.50	22,706.44	26,868.94
Giles	22,050-22,300	15,540.00 <sup>3</sup>	16,954.14	2,590.00	14,128.45	16,718.45
Loudon	24,000-24,300	17,760.00 <sup>4</sup>	19,376.16	2,960.00	16,146.80	19,106.80
Carroll	25,700-26,000	13,320.00	14,532.12	2,220.00	12,110.10	14,330.10
Henry	23,700-24,000	14,041.00	15,318.73	2,340.17	12,765.61	15,105.78
Jefferson	24,900-25,000	17,760.00 <sup>5</sup>	19,376.16	2,960.00	16,146.80	19,106.80
Obion	29,500-30,000	15,540.00	16,941.14	2,590.00	14,128.45	16,718.45
Weakley	28,500-28,950	15,540.00	16,954.14	2,590.00	14,128.45	16,718.45
Rhea	17,000-17,250	8,325.00	9,082.58	1,387.50	7,568.82	8,956.32
Claiborne	19,000-19,500	11,100.00	12,110.10	1,850.00	10,091.75	11,941.75
Haywood	19,500-20,000	12,210.00	13,321.11	2,035.00	11,100.93	13,135.93
Polk	11,600-12,000	6,660.00	7,266.06	1,110.00	6,055.05	7,165.05
Grainger	13,900-14,000	11,100.00	12,110.10	1,850.00	10,091.75	11,941.75
Humphreys	13,500-13,600	14,041.00	15,318.73	2,340.17	12,765.61	15,105.78
Pickett	<del>3,770-4,000</del>	<del>6,660.00</del>	<del>7,266.06</del>	<del>1,110.00</del>	<del>6,055.05</del>	<del>7,165.05</del>
Meigs	5,200-5,225	5,550.00	6,055.05	925.00	5,045.88	5,970.88
Hancock	6,700-6,750	8,880.00	9,688.08	1,480.00	8,073.41	9,553.41

<sup>1</sup>Salary of \$23,310 for judges of the general sessions court is effective provided that they serve and preside as both general sessions judge and juvenile judge. Otherwise the base salary for this class county is \$16,650.00

<sup>2</sup>The base salary of \$24,975 is effective in this class county only if the general sessions judge exercises all jurisdiction and authority conferred by law upon the county judge or chairman. Otherwise the base salary for this class county is \$19,425.

<sup>3</sup>The base salary of \$15,540 is effective only if these general sessions judges have probate and juvenile jurisdiction.

<sup>4</sup>The base salary of \$17,760 is effective only if these general sessions judges have juvenile and domestic relations jurisdiction.

<sup>5</sup>Base salary of \$17,760 for probate and juvenile jurisdiction. Otherwise base salary is \$12,210.

*Amended in 1975 P.C.H. 348*