

CHAPTER 161.

[ S. B. 216. ]

INVESTMENT OF INACTIVE OR EXCESS COUNTY FUNDS.

AN ACT relating to inactive or excess county funds; authorizing investment thereof; and amending section 36.33.180, R.C.W.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 36.33.180, R.C.W., as derived from section 2, chapter 209, Laws of 1937, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Investment of excess or inactive funds in U. S. bonds.

The county treasurer of every county shall call the attention of the county finance committee to any inactive funds or funds in excess of the current needs of the county. The committee may by order authorize him to invest such inactive or excess funds in bonds of the United States government, if prior to making the order, they have applied for and received from the state finance committee, its approval of such investment.

[Am. Rem. Supp. § 5646-11.]

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CHAPTER 162.

[ S. B. 38. ]

RESIDENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS OF APPOINTIVE OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF CITIES AND TOWNS.

AN ACT relating to residential qualifications of appointive officials and employees of cities and towns; and amending section 35.21.200, R.C.W.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 35.21.200, R.C.W., as derived from section 1, chapter 25, Laws of 1941, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Any city or town may by ordinance of its legislative authority determine whether there shall be any residential qualifications for any or all of its appointive officials or for preference in employment of its employees, but residence of an employee outside the limits of such city or town shall not be grounds for discharge of any regularly appointed civil service employee otherwise qualified: *Provided*, That this section shall not authorize a city or town to change any residential qualifications prescribed in any city charter for any appointive official or employee: *Provided, further*, That all employees appointed prior to the enactment of any ordinance establishing such residence qualifications as provided herein or who shall have been appointed or employed by such cities or towns having waived such residential requirements shall not be discharged by reason of such appointive officials or employees having established their residence outside the limits of such city or town: *Provided, further*, That this act shall not authorize a city or town to change the residential requirements with respect to employees of private public utilities acquired by public utility districts or by the city or town.

Cities may determine residential qualifications for appointive officials and employees.

Charter provision.

Employees appointed prior to establishment of qualifications.

Employees of certain public utilities.

[Am. Rem. Supp. 1941, § 9213-3.]

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