

RESOLUTION NO. 7246

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4 A RESOLUTION introduced by Councilmembers Harold Lane and John Alcala,  
5 amending Article II, Section 5 "Residency Requirement" of the City of  
6 Topeka Personnel Rules and Regulations.  
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8 BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Topeka that Article II, Section 5  
9 "Residency Requirement" of the Topeka Personnel Rules and Regulations is hereby  
10 amended to read as follows:

11 **Residency Requirement.**

12 Specifications

13 Employees employed after December 31, 1981, by the City must be bona fide  
14 residents of Shawnee County, except at the time of appointment or employment when  
15 they need not be residences of Shawnee County, but shall establish residency in  
16 Shawnee County within six (6) months after completion of the initial employment  
17 probation. Employees employed in a public safety position, as defined by the Personnel  
18 Director, shall, within six (6) months after completion of the initial employment probation,  
19 reside within the boundaries of Shawnee County at a location which is no more than  
20 thirty (30) minutes travel time from their assigned reporting station or office. Said  
21 residence shall be maintained within the boundaries of Shawnee County for the duration  
22 of the employee's employment. The Chief Administrative Officer may grant one  
23 extension not to exceed six (6) months for establishment of residency upon the request  
24 of an individual employee for good cause shown. All employees of the ~~City-County~~  
25 ~~Health Agency and the City-County Planning Agency~~ shall reside within the boundaries  
26 of Shawnee County.

27            Department Head Residency  
28            All department heads shall reside within the boundaries of Shawnee County.  
29    The salaries of those department heads who reside within the boundaries of Shawnee  
30    County but are not bona fide residents of the City or whose residences are not subject  
31    to a consent to annex, shall be frozen at the rate of pay in effect on the date this  
32    resolution is approved by the Topeka City Council. The salaries of those department  
33    heads who are or become bona fide residents of the City or whose residence are  
34    subject to a consent to annex shall not be frozen and those department heads will  
35    receive pay increases as allowed by the City of Topeka Personnel Rules and  
36    Regulations.

37            BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the original of Article II, Section 5 "Residency  
38    Requirement" of the City of Topeka Personnel Rules and Regulations is hereby  
39    repealed.

40            ADOPTED and APPROVED by the City Council July 16, 2002



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44            Harry "Butch" Felker  
44            Harry "Butch" Felker, Mayor

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47            Iris E. Walker  
48            Iris E. Walker, City Clerk

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY	
DATE <u>7/18/02</u>	BY <u>FW</u>