



AN ORDINANCE: By Finance & Personnel Committee
Re: Amending Code §2-231(a) to revise the residency requirement to mandate residency for department heads within 20 miles of the Neenah City Administration Building

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-3
Introduced: March 21, 2012
Committee/Commission Action:
RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE

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The Common Council of the City of Neenah, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 2-231(a) & (b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Neenah is amended by deleting the stricken language and adding the highlighted language to read as follows:

Sec. 2-231. - Residency.

(a) Required. No person shall be ~~elected or~~ appointed to as a City ~~office department head~~ who ~~is does~~ not a resident elector of reside within twenty (20) miles of the City administration building, provided a person may be appointed to a City office who ~~is~~ does not ~~a resident~~ reside within 20 miles of the City administration building ~~elector~~ if he or she becomes a resident moves within 20 miles of the City administration building within 180 days of appointment. If such person fails to do so, the office shall be vacant.

(b) Exception. This section shall not apply where State law provides that a member of a board or commission may be appointed from an adjoining municipality, ~~nor to City officers that are not also City department heads.~~

Section 2. Severability. In the event any section, subsection, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held illegal, invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this ordinance. It is the legislative intent of the Common Council that this ordinance would have been adopted if such illegal provision had not been included or any illegal application had not been made.

Section 3. Repeal and Effective Date. All ordinances or parts of ordinances and resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Moved by: Ald. Ahles/Ramos
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Approved: March 21, 2012
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Approved:



George Scherck, Mayor

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