

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 54th Legislature (2013)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 1872

By: Billy

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8 An Act relating to cities and towns; amending 11 O.S.
9 2011, Section 8-101, which relates to qualifications
10 for elected office; authorizing certain
municipalities to change residency requirements for
office; and providing an effective date.

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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 11 O.S. 2011, Section 8-101, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 8-101. A A. Except as otherwise provided in subsection
17 B of this section, a municipal elected official shall be a resident
18 and a registered voter of the municipality in which he serves, and
19 all councilmembers or trustees from wards shall be actual residents
20 of their respective wards. If an elected official ceases to be a
21 resident of the municipality, he shall thereupon cease to be an
22 elected official of that municipality.

23 B. A municipality with a population of less than one thousand
24 five hundred residents, according to the latest Federal Decennial

1 Census, may vote to allow a nonresident of the municipality that
2 resides within a school district within the boundaries of the
3 municipality to be an eligible candidate for municipal office.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2013.

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