

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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

3 HOUSE BILL 1904

By: Cleveland

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to volunteer fire departments;  
8 amending 11 O.S. 2011, Section 29-203, which relates  
9 to the Oklahoma Volunteer Firefighters Act; allowing  
10 volunteer fire department to increase membership if  
11 serving certain area; and providing an effective  
12 date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 11 O.S. 2011, Section 29-203, is  
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 29-203. Any municipality having a volunteer fire  
17 department shall limit by ordinance the size of the volunteer fire  
18 department to not less than twelve nor more than twenty-five members  
19 for municipalities with a population of more than one thousand five  
20 hundred (1,500); or not less than eight or more than twenty-five  
21 members for municipalities with a population of eight hundred (800)  
22 to one thousand five hundred (1,500); or not less than six or more  
23 than twenty-five members for municipalities with a population of  
24 less than eight hundred (800). Any municipality having a volunteer

1 fire department that serves a nine-one-one (911) emergency telephone  
2 area of fifty (50) square miles or more may increase the size of the  
3 volunteer fire department up to an additional five members, with the  
4 total number of members of the volunteer fire department not to  
5 exceed thirty.

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

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