

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature (2022)

3 SENATE BILL 1680

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to detachment of municipal territory;
8 declaring circumstances under which a territory may
9 be detached; providing definition; prohibiting
10 municipalities from annexing territory after
11 defunding; providing exception; requiring conformance
12 with state law; providing for codification; and
13 providing an effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 21-110a of Title 11, unless
17 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 A. A territory may be detached from the corporate limits of a
19 municipality when the governing municipality has defunded the police
20 department at least once within the previous twenty-four (24)
21 months.

22 "Defunded" means the municipality has adopted a budget for a
23 fiscal year that reduces appropriated monies to the municipal police
24 department by five percent (5%) or greater compared to the previous
25 fiscal year.

1 This provision shall not apply to municipalities that have a
2 total budget that is at least ten percent (10%) less than the
3 previous fiscal year

4 B. A municipality shall not annex an area during a fiscal year
5 that defunds the municipal police department unless the budget of
6 the police department is the same or exceeds what it was before it
7 was defunded.

8 C. Any annexed territory that wishes to detach from the
9 governing municipality shall comply with all procedures in Section
10 21-110 of Title 11 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

11 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2022.

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