

CITY OF WILLIAMSPORT, PA

FILE OF CITY COUNCIL

BILL No. 1814-23

SESSION OF 2023

Approved on first reading

Members of City Council:

Approved on final reading

This day 5th of Jan 2023

YODER, KATZ, ALLISON, MIELE
MACKEY, PULIZZI, BEITER

This day 5th of Jan 2023

AN ORDINANCE

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Amendment Repealing and Replacing Article 149.09 of the Codified Ordinances

BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLIAMSPORT As Follows:

SECTION I: - Definitions

- A. "Employee" means any person appointed to any position of employment by the City, whether such employment is full time or part time; provided such person receives financial compensation from the City subject to withholding taxes by the State or Federal Government.
- B. "Residence" means the actual domicile where a person normally eats and sleeps and maintains their normal household.

SECTION II: - Residence

It shall be preferred that all **non-union** persons who are employed by the City – or who become employed by the City on or after the effective date of this Ordinance – shall be or shall become residents of the City.

SECTION III: - Exceptions

- A. Preferred residency status as set forth in this Ordinance shall not apply to those employees who are subject to a Collective Bargaining Agreement.
- B. Preferred residency status as set forth in this Ordinance shall not apply to any employee who is required by operation of law to reside within the City of Williamsport.
- C. Preferred residency status shall be but one factor for the City to consider when selecting any candidate. Nothing in this Ordinance requires that a resident candidate be selected over a non-resident candidate.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLIAMSPORT THAT this Ordinance shall take effect as of the day of enactment.

This ordinance approved vetoed this 19th day of January, 2023.

ATTEST:

Conce M. Franke
City Clerk

Adam Yoder
City Council President

Mark Plautner
Mayor