# LOCAL OFFICER AMENDMENTS

2017 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

## Chief Sponsor:  R. Curt Webb

Senate Sponsor:  Daniel W. Thatcher

**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill modifies provisions related to the appointment of the recorder and treasurer in certain municipalities.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

‣ modifies provisions related to the date by which the mayor of certain municipalities shall appoint, with the advice and consent of the city council, a city recorder or treasurer.

**Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**

None

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

AMENDS:

10-3-916, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapter 292

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

Section 1.  Section **10-3-916** is amended to read:

**10-3-916.  Appointment of recorder and treasurer in a city of third, fourth, or fifth class or a town -- Vacancies in office.**

(1) (a)  In each city of the third, fourth, or fifth class and in each town, [on or before the first Monday in February following a municipal election,] the mayor, with the advice and

30    consent of the city council, shall appoint a qualified person to [each of the offices] the office of

31    city recorder and a qualified person to the office of city treasurer.

32            (b)  The mayor and city council shall use best efforts to ensure the office of city recorder

33    or office of city treasurer is not vacant.

34            (2)  The city recorder is ex officio the city auditor and shall perform the duties of that

35    office.

36            (3)  The mayor, with the advice and consent of the council, may also appoint and fill

37    vacancies in all offices provided for by law or ordinance.

38            (4)  All appointed officers shall continue in office until their successors are appointed

39    and qualified.