

26 17-52a-505, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapter 68

27 REPEALS:

28 17-35b-301, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2000, Chapter 133

29 17-35b-302, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 329

30 17-35b-303, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2011, Chapter 297

31 17-35b-304, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2011, Chapter 297



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

34 Section 1. Section 17-52a-405 is amended to read:

35 **17-52a-405. Plan may propose changing forms of county government -- Partisan**
36 **elections.**

37 (1) (a) The optional plan proponent described in Subsection 17-52a-404(1) shall ensure
38 that each optional plan proposes changing the form of county government to:

39 (i) for a county of any class ~~H→ [z]~~, ←H

40 [(†)] ~~H→ [(A)] ←H~~ the county commission form under Section 17-52a-201; or

41 [(††)] ~~H→ [(B)] the expanded county commission form under Section 17-52a-202; or~~ ←H

42 (ii) for a county of the first, second, third, or fourth class, or for ~~H→ an optional plan~~

42a in ←H a county of the fifth or

43 sixth class that initiated ~~H→ [a] the ←H~~ change in the county's form of government ~~H→ that the~~

43a optional plan describes ←H before May 14, 2019:

43b ~~H→ (A) the expanded county commission form under Section 17-52a-202; ←H~~

44 [(†††)] ~~H→ [(A)] (B) ←H~~ the county executive and council form under Section 17-52a-203;

44a or

45 [(††††)] ~~H→ [(B)] (C) ←H~~ the council-manager form under Section 17-52a-204.

46 (b) The optional plan proponent described in Subsection 17-52a-404(1) may not
47 recommend an optional plan that:

48 (i) proposes changing the form of government to a form not included in Subsection
49 (1)(a);

50 (ii) provides for the nonpartisan election of elected officers;

51 (iii) imposes a limit on the number of terms or years that an elected officer may serve;

52 (iv) provides for elected officers to be subject to a recall election; or

53 (v) provides, in a county with a population of 225,000 or more, for a full-time county
54 commission in an expanded county commission form of government under Section

55 17-52a-202.

56 ~~[(2) In addition to proposing the adoption of any one of the optional forms of county~~

150 it had before the optional plan was adopted; and

151 (c) the county officers under the form of government to which the county reverts, who
152 are different than the county officers under the repealed optional plan, shall be elected at the
153 next regular general election following the election under Subsection (7).

154 (9) If, as a result of a reversion described in Subsection (8)(b), a county of the fifth or
155 sixth class would revert to ~~H→ [the county executive and council] any ←H~~ form of county
155a government ~~H→ [under~~

156 Section 17-52a-203 or the council-manager form of county government under Section
157 17-52a-202] other than the county commission form of county government under Section

157a 17-52a-201 ←H , the county shall instead operate under the county commission form of county
158 government ~~H→ [under Section 17-52a-201] ←H~~ as a result of the repeal vote.

159 Section 4. **Repealer.**

160 This bill repeals:

161 Section 17-35b-301, "**General county (modified)**" structural form of county
162 **government.**

163 Section 17-35b-302, **Urban county structural form of county government.**

164 Section 17-35b-303, **Community council form of county government.**

165 Section 17-35b-304, **Consolidated city and county -- Structural form.**