

Chapter 10

CITY COURT*

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*State law reference—City courts, MCA 3-11-101 et seq.

Sec. 10-1. Appointment of city judge.

The mayor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall appoint a city judge. A justice of the peace may be designated to act as city judge and shall serve in this capacity for the same period of time as his term as justice of the peace.

(Prior Code, § 2.21.010; Ord. of 2-10-1992)

State law reference—Term of city judge, MCA 3-11-201.

Sec. 10-2. Qualifications of city judge.

The city judge shall at the time of appointment be a resident and registered voter of the county and shall be either:

- (1) An attorney-at-law authorized to practice law in the state; or
- (2) A person who shall be on a probationary status until he has successfully completed the orientation course of study and meets state qualifications for city judge, or for a period of six months in which time candidate must at least have begun the necessary educational process.

(Prior Code, § 2.21.020; Ord. of 2-10-1992)

State law reference—City judge qualifications, MCA 3-11-202.

Sec. 10-3. Duties of the city judge.

The city judge shall establish regular sessions of court subject to its jurisdiction, collect all fines, costs, or forfeitures that accrue to the town from cases tried or disposed of in the city court, and deposit all monies with the town clerk-treasurer.

(Prior Code, § 2.21.030; Ord. of 2-10-1992)

Sec. 10-4. Expenses of training sessions.

All costs for the instruction necessary to the qualification for city judge shall be paid by the town.

(Prior Code, § 2.21.040; Ord. of 2-10-1992)

State law reference—Training session for judge, MCA 3-11-204.

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