
HOUSE BILL No. 1333

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 36-2.

Synopsis: County officials' training. Requires the following to attend training sessions approved by the state board of accounts: (1) County treasurers and county auditors elected or appointed on November 6, 2012 (in addition to individuals elected or appointed after November 6, 2012). (2) County recorders appointed after November 6, 2012 (in addition to individuals elected after November 4, 2008). Provides that the county elected officials training fund (fund) supplements appropriations from the county general fund. Adds circuit court clerks as county officials whose training may be paid for by money in the fund. Provides that a training course that an individual completes after being elected or appointed to the office of county auditor, treasurer, recorder, or surveyor, and before the individual begins serving in office, applies toward the training requirements. Provides that a county auditor, treasurer, or recorder must fulfill the training requirements for each term served in the office. Requires a county surveyor elected or appointed on or after June 30, 2013, to complete at least: (1) 15 hours of training courses within one year; and (2) 40 hours of training courses within three years; after the individual is elected or appointed to that office. Provides that educational courses regarding land surveying taken by a county surveyor who is an actively registered land surveyor count toward the training requirement.

Effective: July 1, 2013.

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January 17, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Local Government.

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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 36-2-7-19, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2012,
2 SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 19. (a) As used in this section, "fund" refers to a
4 county elected officials training fund established under subsection (b).
5 (b) Each county legislative body shall before July 1, 2011, establish
6 a county elected officials training fund **to supplement appropriations**
7 **that may come from the county general fund to provide training of**
8 **elected officials.** The county fiscal body shall appropriate money from
9 the fund.
10 (c) The fund consists of money deposited under IC 36-2-7.5-6(c)(3)
11 and any other sources required or permitted by law. Money in the fund
12 does not revert to the county general fund.
13 (d) Money in the fund shall be used solely to provide training of
14 county elected officials required by **IC 33-32-2-9**, IC 36-2-9-2.5,
15 IC 36-2-9.5-2.5, IC 36-2-10-2.5, IC 36-2-11-2.5, **and** IC 36-2-12-2.5.
16 ~~and other similar laws.~~
17 SECTION 2. IC 36-2-9.5-2.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.120-2012,



1 SECTION 8, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
2 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2.5. (a) As used in this section, "training courses"
3 refers to training courses related to the office of county auditor that are
4 **compiled or** developed by the Association of Indiana Counties and
5 approved by the state board of accounts.

6 (b) An individual elected **or appointed** to the office of county
7 auditor **on or** after November 6, 2012, shall complete at least:

8 (1) fifteen (15) hours of training courses within one (1) year; and

9 (2) forty (40) hours of training courses within three (3) years;

10 after ~~beginning the county auditor's term.~~ **the individual is elected or**
11 **appointed to the office of county auditor.**

12 (c) A training course that an individual completes:

13 (1) after being elected or appointed to the office of county
14 auditor; and

15 (2) before the individual begins serving in the office of county
16 auditor;

17 shall be counted toward the requirements under subsection (b).

18 (d) An individual shall fulfill the training requirements
19 established by subsection (b) for each term the individual serves as
20 county auditor.

21 SECTION 3. IC 36-2-10-2.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.120-2012,
22 SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
23 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2.5. (a) As used in this section, "training courses"
24 refers to training courses related to the office of county treasurer that
25 are **compiled or** developed by the Association of Indiana Counties and
26 approved by the state board of accounts.

27 (b) An individual elected **or appointed** to the office of county
28 treasurer **on or** after November 6, 2012, shall complete at least:

29 (1) fifteen (15) hours of training courses within one (1) year; and

30 (2) forty (40) hours of training courses within three (3) years;

31 after ~~beginning the county treasurer's term.~~ **the individual is elected or**
32 **appointed to the office of county treasurer.**

33 (c) A training course that the individual completes:

34 (1) after being elected or appointed to the office of county
35 treasurer; and

36 (2) before the individual begins serving in the office of county
37 treasurer;

38 shall be counted toward the requirements under subsection (b).

39 (d) An individual shall fulfill the training requirements
40 established by subsection (b) for each term the individual serves as
41 county treasurer.

42 SECTION 4. IC 36-2-11-2.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.171-2009,



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1 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
2 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2.5. (a) As used in this section, "training courses"
3 refers to training courses related to the office of county recorder that
4 are **compiled or** developed by the Association of Indiana Counties and
5 approved by the state board of accounts.

6 (b) An individual elected to the office of county recorder after
7 November 4, 2008, **or appointed to the office of county recorder**
8 **after November 6, 2012**, shall complete at least:

9 (1) fifteen (15) hours of training courses within one (1) year; and
10 (2) forty (40) hours of training courses within three (3) years;
11 after ~~beginning the county recorder's term.~~ **the individual is elected or**
12 **appointed to the office of county recorder.**

13 (c) **A training course that the individual completes:**

14 (1) **after being elected or appointed to the office of county**
15 **recorder; and**
16 (2) **before the individual begins serving in the office of county**
17 **recorder;**

18 **shall be counted toward the requirements under subsection (b).**

19 (d) **An individual shall fulfill the training requirements**
20 **established by subsection (b) for each term the individual serves as**
21 **county recorder.**

22 SECTION 5. IC 36-2-12-2.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.171-2009,
23 SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
24 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2.5. (a) ~~This section does not apply to an~~
25 ~~individual who is:~~

26 (1) ~~an actively registered land surveyor;~~
27 (2) ~~a graduate of an accredited land surveying curriculum; or~~
28 (3) ~~a land-surveyor-in-training (as defined in IC 25-21.5-1-5).~~

29 (a) **As used in this section, "training course" refers to:**

30 (1) **a training course related to the office of county surveyor**
31 **that is compiled or developed by the Association of Indiana**
32 **Counties and approved by the state board of accounts; or**
33 (2) **an educational course regarding land surveying that is**
34 **taken by an individual who is:**

35 (A) **serving in the office of county surveyor; and**
36 (B) **an actively registered land surveyor.**

37 (b) An individual elected to the office of county surveyor after June
38 30, 2009, **but before July 1, 2011**, shall, within two (2) years after
39 beginning the county surveyor's term, complete at least twenty-four
40 (24) hours of training courses. ~~related to land surveying that are~~
41 ~~developed by the Association of Indiana Counties and approved by the~~
42 ~~state board of accounts.~~

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1 (c) An individual elected or appointed to the office of county
2 surveyor on or after June 30, 2013, shall complete at least:
3 (1) fifteen (15) hours of training courses within one (1) year;
4 and
5 (2) forty (40) hours of training courses within three (3) years;
6 after the individual is elected or appointed to the office of county
7 surveyor.
8 (d) A training course that an individual completes:
9 (1) after being elected or appointed to the office of county
10 surveyor; and
11 (2) before that individual begins serving in the office of county
12 surveyor;
13 shall be counted toward the requirements under subsection (c).
14 ~~(c)~~ (e) An individual shall fulfill the training requirement
15 established by subsection ~~(b)~~ (c) for each term the individual serves.

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