

ORDINANCE NO. 2771

WASHINGTON CITIES

An ordinance relating to the method of election of city councilmen in the City of Ellensburg, repealing all of Chapter 1.2 of the Ellensburg City Code (Ordinance No. 2452), and providing for election of all city councilmen hereafter by all of the qualified voters of the city on an "at large" basis.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELLENSBURG DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: All of Chapter 1.2 (Ordinance No. 2452) of the Ellensburg City Code is hereby repealed, and the division of the City of Ellensburg into wards as provided therein is hereby terminated.

Section 2: Each city councilman presently serving in such capacity by virtue of the provisions of said Chapter 1.2 of the Ellensburg City Code, or other applicable laws or ordinances, shall continue to hold office until the expiration of the regular term of each such councilman.

Section 3: Hereafter, at the expiration of the present term of any council position, a replacement for said council position, or the incumbent councilman, shall be elected or re-elected without regard to previous ward divisions, by all of the qualified voters voting at city council elections on an "at large" basis, in the manner provided by then applicable laws of the State of Washington.

Section 4: This ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after its passage, approval and publication as required by law.

PASSED by the City Council and approved by the Mayor this _____ day of _____, 1969.

Sherman P. Bailey, Mayor

Attest: _____
Gertrude Erickson, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

G. Thomas Dohn, City Attorney