

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.  
Act 642 of the Regular Session

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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 548

By: Senator B. Johnson  
By: Representative Nicks

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW FOR CONSISTENCY IN  
OPERATIONS OF A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT IN AN  
INCORPORATED TOWN OR A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS; AND  
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

### Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW FOR CONSISTENCY  
IN OPERATIONS OF A VOLUNTEER FIRE  
DEPARTMENT IN AN INCORPORATED TOWN OR A  
CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-20-108(e), concerning dues for volunteer fire departments, is amended to *add an additional subdivision* to read as follows:

(3) If an attested petition is filed with the city or town recorder and signed by a majority of registered voters in the volunteer fire department district voting in the immediately preceding general election, then the governing body of the incorporated town or city of the second class by ordinance shall dispense with a special election on the levy of volunteer fire department dues.

/s/B. Johnson

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