



KLC RESEARCH REPORT:

CLASSIFICATION OF CITIES

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Cities in Kentucky are classified by population for legislative purposes. This report presents the historical background for classification of cities, the current classification system, a breakdown of the number of cities and population within each class, and the procedure for reclassification of Kentucky cities. The report additionally includes general laws relating to cities by class, current issues related to classification and a review of classification of cities in other states.

At a Glance

- The 1891 Constitution abolished special legislation, but it created a classification system for cities.
- Six classes were created based solely on population.
- About one-quarter (28 percent) of all Kentucky cities are not in the appropriate classification based on population standards.
- Population requirements were repealed in 1994, but the General Assembly has not yet created a new classification system.
- Over 400 classification-related laws affect public safety, alcohol beverage control, revenue options and others, many of which are interconnected.
- Most classification structures in other states are based on population, but some relate to service provision, charters, home rule authority, tax effort and other factors.

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Constitutional and Statutory Basis for Classification of Kentucky Cities by Population

History of Classification of Cities in Kentucky

Prior to adoption of the current Kentucky Constitution in 1891, cities were granted individual charters, thus making it necessary for each city to come before the legislature to request grants of individual authority to perform specific duties and functions within their own communities. The system led to a backlash against “special legislation.” In 1891 a new Constitution was adopted by Kentucky voters that abolished “special legislation.”

Section 59 of the Constitution prohibits the General Assembly from passing local or separate acts concerning a list of subjects enumerated in the section. Section 60, likewise, prohibits special and local legislation. These sections were included in the Constitution for the purpose of prohibiting the legislature from enacting laws that affected one or more persons or entities differently than other persons or entities identically or similarly situated. Most state Constitutions have provisions similar to Sections 59 and 60.

At the same time Sections 59 and 60 were added to the Kentucky Constitution, the framers recognized that an avenue must be available to give specific authority to city governments to address dissimilar issues that could not be accomplished by enactment of a general law. Thus, the population-based classification system was adopted as Section 156 in the 1891 Kentucky Constitution to provide a partial exception to the ban on local and special legislation. Section 156 established six classes of cities based solely on population as follows:

Classification	Population Requirements
First	100,000 or more
Second	20,000 to 99,999
Third	8,000 to 19,999
Fourth	3,000 to 7,999
Fifth	1,000 to 2,999
Sixth	Less than 1,000

Enabling legislation was subsequently enacted to classify each Kentucky city by population, though it was repealed in 1980.

Repeal of Kentucky Constitution Section 156

Over the years the population-based classification system has proven inadequate due to variations within classes relating to such factors as tax base, form of government and geography. In order to provide more flexibility to lawmakers, Section 156 of the Constitution was repealed in 1994 and was replaced by Section 156a to authorize the General Assembly to create classifications of cities as it deems necessary based on population, tax base, form of

government, geography or any other reasonable basis. The General Assembly has not yet acted to change the population-based classification system that has been in place since 1891. Until it does, Kentucky cities remain classified based solely on population.

Applicable constitutional provisions are included with this report as Appendix 1.

How Classification by Population is Used

Kentucky courts have recognized that the city classification system constitutes an exception to the ban on special and local legislation contained in Sections 59 and 60 of the Kentucky Constitution. Consequently, the General Assembly is free to treat the different classes of cities differently in terms of legislation it enacts.

Purposes

1. To provide powers as appropriate to cities of a certain size.

The laws applicable to cities of a certain class can be viewed as general laws, but are applicable to a few cities rather than to all cities.

2. To bring cities under a law as they reach the threshold population.

Statutes enacted to apply to cities of a certain class can require cities of the class to do certain things or provide certain services related to needs of the class.

3. To describe the area in which something may or may not be done.

Classification may be used to permit certain activities such as the sale of alcoholic beverages or to restrict certain activities such as the type of taxes that can be imposed.

Procedure for Reclassification of Kentucky Cities

The requirements for reclassifying a city are contained in KRS 81.025 to KRS 81.036. These statutes have not been changed since the adoption of the new constitutional language in Section 156a regarding city classification. Consequently, they continue to refer to the classification and reclassification of cities based solely on population. If future changes are made in the classification system by the General Assembly, the statutes will have to be amended.

Pursuant to KRS 81.025, the general laws relating to a city according to the class to which it is assigned by the General Assembly based on population apply until the city is assigned to another class by the General Assembly.

Requirements for Reclassification

KRS 81.032 establishes the following requirements that must be met before a city can be reclassified by the General Assembly:

1. The legislative body of the city must provide the required population data to the General Assembly by certified resolution.
2. The city must have attained the population required for the new class by the former Section 156 of the Kentucky Constitution.
3. The population data must be based on the most recent estimate provided by the U.S. Bureau of the Census (i.e. the decennial Census or an official update). However, if recent growth in a city makes the most recent Census data invalid, the city must submit an affidavit to certify new growth. The affidavit must be supported by documentation that may include data from the county property valuation administrator, door-to-door population counts and annexation records.

KRS 81.034 states that the data supplied by the city must be recorded, along with the summary of the legislation, in the official record of the General Assembly (i.e. the *Legislative Record*).

Effect of Reclassification

According to KRS 81.026, when a city is reclassified all laws relating to the new class become effective in the city. All ordinances enacted prior to reclassification remain effective unless they conflict with state laws relating to the new class, in which case they are repealed by operation of law. Any person holding elected office in the city remains in office until the expiration of the term.

Recording of Reclassification

When a city is reclassified KRS 81.036 requires the General Assembly to send the Secretary of State notice of the reclassification and a copy of the data supporting the reclassification.

KRS 81.025 to KRS 81.036 are included with this report as Appendix 2.

Issues Related to Classification of Cities by Population

As previously stated, the population-based classification system has long been determined to be inadequate because of variations within classes relating to such factors as tax base, form of government and geography. Problems with the current classification system have resulted in reclassification of some cities to a class higher than permitted based on population alone. Other cities fail to seek reclassification as their population grows or shrinks. Therefore, about one-quarter of all Kentucky cities are currently not in the appropriate class according to the population-based classification system created by Section 156 of the Constitution.

Cities in Each Classification

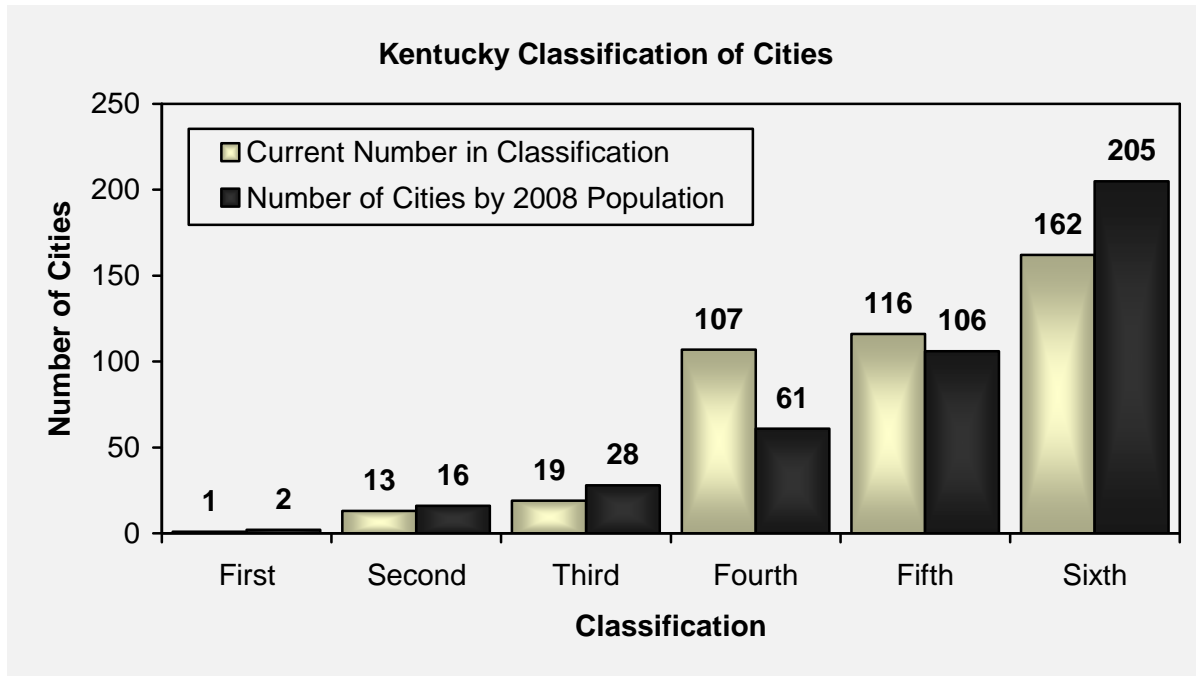
Kentucky currently has one first class city, 13 second class cities, 19 third class cities, 107 fourth class cities, 116 fifth class cities and 162 sixth class cities, as designated by the General Assembly in KRS 81.010.

Louisville is still classified as a first class city even though Louisville and Jefferson County became a consolidated local government in 2003.

Lexington is still classified as a second class city even though Lexington and Fayette County became an urban county government in 1974.

Classification	Population Requirements	Current Number in Classification	Number of Cities by 2008 Population
First	100,000 or more	1	2
Second	20,000 to 99,999	13	16
Third	8,000 to 19,999	19	28
Fourth	3,000 to 7,999	107	61
Fifth	1,000 to 2,999	116	106
Sixth	Less than 1,000	162	205
Totals:		418	418

The table above and the chart below show the current number of cities in each classification as well as the total number that should be in each class based solely on their 2008 Census population estimate.



A list of all Kentucky cities by classification is included with this report as Appendix 3.

General Laws Relating to Kentucky Cities by Class

In 1994 the Kentucky General Assembly directed the Legislative Research Commission, pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 47, to study the statutory differences that exist among the classifications of Kentucky cities in anticipation of the adoption of the constitutional amendment repealing Section 156 of the Constitution and creating Section 156a. The constitutional amendment was ratified in November 1994. The Legislative Research Commission report was published in May 1996 as Memorandum No. 472.

The report included a compilation of Kentucky Revised Statutes that affect cities by class. The published report listed 357 statutes applicable to cities of the first class, 85 statutes applicable to cities of the second class, 43 statutes applicable to cities of the third class, 29 statutes applicable to cities of the fourth class, seven statutes applicable to cities of the fifth class and 15 statutes applicable to cities of the sixth class.

The large number and variety of statutes serve as a continuing source of confusion for Kentucky city officials. The statutes contribute to manipulation of the classification system by cities that desire a particular power for which they are not qualified by population or want to avoid providing a certain service if reclassified to a higher class.

Statutes listed in Legislative Research Commission Memorandum No. 472 are included with this report as Appendix 5 to illustrate the large number of statutes relating to cities by class and the potential complexity of any effort to alter the current classification system. Because the LRC report is several years old, some of the statutes listed in the report may no longer be current.

Below is a breakdown of most of the current major laws that vary by classification.

Selected laws affecting cities by class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
Occupational license fee as a percent (earnings/profit)	x	x	x	x	x	
Restaurant tax				x	x	
Mandatory police and fire departments		x	x			
Mandatory public safety collective bargaining	x	¹				
Firefighter work schedule	x	x				
Police work schedule		x	x			
Police department countywide jurisdiction	x	x	x	x	x	
Police force merit system	x					
Police and firefighter disciplinary procedure		x	x			
Civil service	x	²	²	²	²	
Local option elections for alcohol sales	x	x	x	x		
Liquor-by-the-drink ordinance				x		
Planning and zoning preemption					³	³
Nuisance code enforcement in KRS 82.700-82.725	x	x	x	x		
Community improvement district	x	x	x	x		
Local development authority	x	x				

Notes:

¹ *Lexington has mandatory collective bargaining with the public safety officers as an urban county government.*

² *It is not mandatory.*

³ *Only fifth and sixth class cities located in a consolidated local government are preempted.*

Occupational license fee as a percent (earnings/profit)

All cities are allowed to levy an occupational license fee/tax for the privilege of working in or conducting a business within the city. This general revenue measure may be imposed as a percentage of gross earnings (payroll), gross receipts or net profits in cities of the first through fifth classes. Sixth class cities are prohibited from imposing an occupational or business license fee measured as a percentage of gross earnings (payroll) or net profits, so any fee imposed by a sixth class must be based on a flat annual rate.

Restaurant tax

Cities of the fourth and fifth classes that have established a tourist and convention commission may levy a restaurant tax not to exceed three percent (3%) of gross retail sales of restaurants within the city to fund the commission. A consolidated local government is authorized to impose a gross receipts restaurant tax for one-fourth of one percent (0.25%) to fund operating costs of a multipurpose arena.

Mandatory police and fire departments

Police and fire departments are mandatory in second and third class cities as well as urban county governments. All other cities may choose to create a police and/or fire department.

Mandatory public safety collective bargaining

Cities of the first class and urban county governments are required to collectively bargain with their public safety officers. All other cities may voluntarily recognize unions for any class of employees because of their home rule authority. Bills have been filed in recent legislative sessions to mandate collective bargaining with public safety officers in cities of the second and third classes, though none has moved.

Firefighter work schedule

Firefighters in urban county governments, consolidated local governments and cities of the second class are required to work 24 hours on duty followed by 48 hours off duty, except in the cases of dire emergency.

Police work schedule

In urban county governments and second class cities, members of the police department shall not be required to work more than (1) eight hours per day for five days each week or (2) 10 hours per day for four days each week, except in the event of an emergency. Each member of the police department shall have an annual leave of 15 working days with full pay. In third class cities, members of the police department shall not be required to work more than eight hours per day for five days each week. Each member of the police department shall also have an annual leave of 15 working days with full pay.

Police department countywide jurisdiction

Certified police officers in cities of the first through fifth classes have full police powers throughout the county in which the city is located. Certified police officers in sixth class cities only have police powers within their city limits.

Police force merit system

Consolidated local governments must create a police merit system and police merit system board to govern the classification, qualification, examination, appointment, probation, promotion, demotion, suspension and other disciplinary action within the consolidated local government police force of all officers affected and covered by the merit system. The board shall hold hearings and impose, if necessary, penalties upon the personnel involved.

Police and firefighter disciplinary procedure

Under KRS 95, no member of the police and fire department in cities of the second and third classes and urban county governments shall be reprimanded, dismissed, suspended or reduced in grade or pay for any reason except inefficiency, misconduct, insubordination or violation of law or of the rules adopted by the city's legislative body. Charges must be preferred and a hearing held before the legislative body. A member may be suspended from duty and pay pending a hearing if there is probable cause to believe he has been guilty of misconduct justifying dismissal or punishment. Similar requirements apply to fourth and fifth class cities only if they have adopted civil service (see below). Any city that receives funding through the Kentucky Law Enforcement Foundation Program Fund (KLEFPF) is subject to the discipline provisions found under KRS 15.520.

Civil service

Civil service is mandatory for first class city employees. It is not mandatory for cities of the second through fifth classes, but these cities do have the option to adopt the system. Sixth class cities may not adopt civil service. This system addresses the dismissal and reprimands of city employees.

Local option elections for alcohol sales

Cities of the first through fourth classes can have local option elections to approve alcohol sales within their community, even if they are located in a dry county. Cities of the fifth and sixth class are prohibited from holding a local option election for alcohol sales.

Liquor-by-the-drink ordinance

Cities of the fourth class in which prohibition is not in effect may pass an ordinance declaring an "economic hardship" and authorizing hotels, motels and restaurants with 50 percent of gross receipts from the sale of food and dining facilities for at least 100 persons at tables to sell distilled spirits and wine by the drink for consumption on the premises.

Planning and zoning preemption

In counties containing a city of the first class or a consolidated local government, all legislation implementing or amending the comprehensive plan or amended plan which affects cities of the first through fourth classes shall be enacted by such cities. All other legislation implementing the plan or amended plan shall be enacted by the fiscal court or, in the case of a consolidated local government, by the consolidated local government.

Nuisance code enforcement

First through fourth class cities may abate nuisances through the scheme outlined in KRS 82.700-82.725 using violations and penalties set out in the city's code of ordinances. Enforcement is done through the city's nuisance code enforcement board. All cities, including

fifth and sixth classes, can use the procedures available under KRS 381.770 in regards to abatement of nuisances.

Community improvement district

In counties containing a city of the first, second, third or fourth class, a community improvement district may be created as provided in KRS 65.182 for the purpose of erecting buildings and related facilities for any governmental unit, or combination of governmental units, in the county.

Local development authority

Local development authorities may be created to assist in the preservation and revitalization of historically or economically significant local areas, including open spaces, in cities of the first and second classes and urban county governments. These entities plan and finance the preservation and revitalization of areas that are of economic or historical significance, while at the same time accommodating necessary and desirable central city and suburban growth, to the extent funds are available for the accomplishment of such purposes.

Current and Possible Classification Models

A preliminary review of statutes pertaining to classification of cities in other states indicates three primary approaches to classification. Almost one-third of states have no classification system. In those states the legislature enumerates the powers of municipalities uniformly among all cities. In some of those states the state Constitution grants the legislature the power to create classes of cities, but the legislatures created only one class.

Most of the states that have classification systems base class on population. Many of those states provide for automatic advancement of cities to another class if warranted by population count after each decennial Census. Some of the states also provide that laws applicable to a city in one class remain applicable if the city subsequently achieves a lesser or greater population, regardless of the fact that the city no longer has a population within the classification prescribed by law.

Several states divide cities into two classes referred to as “home rule cities” and “non-home rule” cities or “charter cities” and “general law cities” based on the manner of incorporation. The “home rule” cities generally have charters granted by the legislature. The “non-home rule” cities are governed by general law.

Possible classification models

1. Numbered classes

This system would be very similar to the current classification system. It would involve at least two classes of cities termed first, second, third, etc., based on the criteria determined to define each class.

2. Cities/towns/villages

This system would also be very similar to the current classification system, except it would likely include only two or three divisions of cities. These classes would be based on terms that are descriptive, such as cities, towns, villages, etc. Each type of city would be determined based on the criteria established.

3. Home rule/non-home rule cities

Some states use a home rule/non-home rule classification system for their cities. Typically, the larger cities are home rule cities, which enable them to set most of their own laws, tax rates, fees, procedures, etc. Non-home rule cities are governed more by state law specifically enumerating their powers. This determination is usually made by the state legislature and may be based on any criteria.

4. Form of government

To some degree, Kentucky already has another classification system based on form of government. Many laws relate to only consolidated local governments (Louisville Metro) or urban county governments (Lexington/Fayette). Moving entirely to this system would base classification on what form – mayor-council, city manager, commission – each city operates under. Changes in class would be up to the city and a public vote.

5. Descriptive classes

This type of classification system would be used to classify cities using certain descriptive language. For instance, classes could be made for cities such as “river city,” “county seat,” “regional economic center,” “rural town,” “urban core,” etc. These classes likely would be based on a number of criteria.

6. Charter cities

Some cities, including only Lexington/Fayette Urban County Government in Kentucky, have their own charter that governs their operations in addition to certain state laws. Allowing some or most cities to pass their own charters would provide the greatest amount of local autonomy, but it would make comparisons among cities and statewide municipal law much more difficult.

Possible classification criteria

1. Population

A very common criterion for classification is city population. Like the current Kentucky system, a number of population ranges would be created and cities would be put into their appropriate class. This structure could use decennial Census information, annual Census population estimates or other population verification procedures.

2. Tax base

One way to determine which cities are similar to each other in function is to compare their tax base. Levels of service provision are consistent with levels of taxation, such as per capita tax effort. This criterion could be used to divide cities into certain tax effort ranges that could change based on annual financial reporting.

3. Service provision

The flip side to using tax base would be using service provision as a criterion for city classification. Although the revenues and expenditures are related, whether a city provides certain services such as police, fire, water, sewer, housing authorities, etc., could be used to help define similar cities.

4. Form of government

Although form of government is a possible classification model, it also could be a criterion of classification. Typically, though not always, smaller cities operate under a commission form while larger cities operate under the city manager or mayor-council form. The city's form of government may be changed only by a public vote.

5. Geography

Given Kentucky's unique and diverse landscape, geographical criteria could be used to help define what cities are similar to each other. For instance, city classification could be based on factors such as density, square miles, mountains, navigable rivers, etc. Some factors might change, though many would likely stay the same in the future.

6. Administrative

Another criterion could be used to classify cities based on their administrative functions or roles. Specifically, many rural cities are county seats in one of Kentucky's 120 counties. These cities, possibly more than others of similar size that are not county seats, serve as the center of the county population for administrative functions. A county seat may change only by a public vote.

Possible factors to be considered

1. Automatic reclassification vs. legislative approval

Kentucky's current system of classification does not automatically change the classification of a city based on changes to its population. Instead, cities may only reclassify if approved by the General Assembly. The current system has afforded cities some local control, but it has also led to many of the cities being in the wrong class.

2. Grandfathering laws when classification changes

When cities change classes, all ordinances remain in effect unless any are specifically superseded by the state laws governing the new class. Keeping current laws is very important to the administration of city government, but the repealing of some laws can serve as a disincentive to change classification.

3. Political battles over changing mandates, restrictions

With over 400 laws related to city classification comes what seems like just as many interest groups and conflicting arguments. All of these laws exist because someone wanted them and the General Assembly approved them. Efforts to increase local control are likely to be met with opposition from groups that promote statewide mandates.

4. Balancing local control with legislative oversight

Cities always want more local control and authority. But, that must be balanced with the General Assembly's constitutionally required legislative oversight of local governments.

Conclusion

Kentucky cities have been operating under the same classification system for over a century. Although the specific population requirements outlined in the Kentucky Constitution were repealed in 1994, the General Assembly has not yet created a new classification system. However, they have managed to pass over 400 classification-related laws that affect public safety, alcoholic beverage control, revenue options and others. These laws can have the effect of creating both incentives and disincentives to change designation when a city's population qualifies it for a different class. This likely explains why 28 percent of Kentucky cities – based on 2008 Census population estimates – are in the wrong classification.

The sheer number of laws associated with classification also will significantly challenge any efforts to develop a new classification system. Although, as the General Assembly proceeds to reclassify Kentucky cities, all statutes and powers must be on the table. Simplification and fairness within the confusing and intricate statutes that govern the various classes must be the top priorities for the legislature in this process.

APPENDIX 1

Constitutional Provisions Relating to Classification of Kentucky Cities

Kentucky Constitution Section 59

Local and special legislation.

The General Assembly shall not pass local or special acts concerning any of the following subjects, or for any of the following purposes, namely:

First: To regulate the jurisdiction, or the practice, or the circuits of the courts of justice, or the rights, powers, duties or compensation of the officers thereof; but the practice in circuit courts in continuous session may, by a general law, be made different from the practice of circuit courts held in terms.

Second: To regulate the summoning, impaneling or compensation of grand or petit jurors.

Third: To provide for changes of venue in civil or criminal causes.

Fourth: To regulate the punishment of crimes and misdemeanors, or to remit fines, penalties or forfeitures.

Fifth: To regulate the limitation of civil or criminal causes.

Sixth: To affect the estate of cestuis que trust, decedents, infants or other persons under disabilities, or to authorize any such persons to sell, lease, encumber or dispose of their property.

Seventh: To declare any person of age, or to relieve an infant or feme covert of disability, or to enable him to do acts allowed only to adults not under disabilities.

Eighth: To change the law of descent, distribution or succession.

Ninth: To authorize the adoption or legitimation of children.

Tenth: To grant divorces.

Eleventh: To change the names of persons.

Twelfth: To give effect to invalid deeds, wills or other instruments.

Thirteenth: To legalize, except as against the Commonwealth, the unauthorized or invalid act of any officer or public agent of the Commonwealth, or of any city, county or municipality thereof.

Fourteenth: To refund money legally paid into the State Treasury.

Fifteenth: To authorize or to regulate the levy, the assessment or the collection of taxes, or to give any indulgence or discharge to any assessor or collector of taxes, or to his sureties.

Sixteenth: To authorize the opening, altering, maintaining or vacating of roads, highways, streets, alleys, town plats, cemeteries, graveyards, or public grounds not owned by the Commonwealth.

Seventeenth: To grant a charter to any corporation, or to amend the charter of any existing corporation; to license companies or persons to own or operate ferries, bridges, roads or turnpikes; to declare streams navigable, or to authorize the construction of booms or dams therein, or to remove obstructions therefrom; to affect toll gates or to regulate tolls; to regulate fencing or the running at large of stock.

Eighteenth: To create, increase or decrease fees, percentages or allowances to public officers, or to extend the time for the collection thereof, or to authorize officers to appoint deputies.

Nineteenth: To give any person or corporation the right to lay a railroad track or tramway, or to amend existing charters for such purposes.

Twentieth: To provide for conducting elections, or for designating the places of voting, or changing the boundaries of wards, precincts or districts, except when new counties may be created.

Twenty-first: To regulate the rate of interest.

Twenty-second: To authorize the creation, extension, enforcement, impairment or release of liens.

Twenty-third: To provide for the protection of game and fish.

Twenty-fourth: To regulate labor, trade, mining or manufacturing.

Twenty-fifth: To provide for the management of common schools.

Twenty-sixth: To locate or change a county seat.

Twenty-seventh: To provide a means of taking the sense of the people of any city, town, district, precinct or county, whether they wish to authorize, regulate or prohibit therein the sale of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, or alter the liquor laws.

Twenty-eighth: Restoring to citizenship persons convicted of infamous crimes.

Twenty-ninth: In all other cases where a general law can be made applicable, no special law shall be enacted

Text as Ratified on: August 3, 1891, and revised September 28, 1891.

History: Not yet amended.

Kentucky Constitution
Section 60

General law not to be made special or local by amendment - No special powers or privileges - Law not to take effect on approval of other authority than General Assembly - Exceptions.

The General Assembly shall not indirectly enact any special or local act by the repeal in part of a general act, or by exempting from the operation of a general act any city, town, district or county; but laws repealing local or special acts may be enacted. No law shall be enacted granting powers or privileges in any case where the granting of such powers or privileges shall have been provided for by a general law, nor where the courts have jurisdiction to grant the same or to give the relief asked for. No law, except such as relates to the sale, loan or gift of vinous, spirituous or malt liquors, bridges, turnpikes or other public roads, public buildings or improvements, fencing, running at large of stock, matters pertaining to common schools, paupers, and the regulation by counties, cities, towns or other municipalities of their local affairs, shall be enacted to take effect upon the approval of any other authority than the General Assembly, unless otherwise expressly provided in this Constitution.

Text as Ratified on: August 3, 1891, and revised September 28, 1891.
History: Not yet amended.

Kentucky Constitution
Section 156

(Repealed 1994)

Catchline at time of repeal: "Cities divided into six classes - General laws to be made for each class - Population limits for classes - Assignment to classes - Organization of cities."

Repeal Ratified on: November 8, 1994.
History: Repeal was proposed by 1994 Ky. Acts ch. 168, secs. 1 and 6; original version ratified August 3, 1891, and revised September 28, 1891.

Kentucky Constitution
Section 156a

General Assembly authorized to provide for creation, governmental structure, and classification of cities.

The General Assembly may provide for the creation, alteration of boundaries, consolidation, merger, dissolution, government, functions, and officers of cities. The General Assembly shall create such classifications of cities as it deems necessary based on population, tax base, form of government, geography, or any other reasonable basis and enact legislation relating to the

classifications. All legislation relating to cities of a certain classification shall apply equally to all cities within the same classification. The classification of all cities and the law pertaining to the classifications in effect at the time of adoption of this section shall remain in effect until otherwise provided by law.

Text as Ratified on: November 8, 1994.

History: Creation proposed by 1994 Ky. Acts ch. 168, sec. 1.

APPENDIX 2

Statutory Provisions for Reclassification of Kentucky Cities

Kentucky Revised Statutes 81.025

Laws applicable to city established by order applicable until reassignment by General Assembly.

After an order establishing a city has been entered, the general laws relating the class which includes the population of the newly incorporated city shall apply to the city until the city is assigned to another class by the General Assembly.

Effective: July 15, 1980

History: Created 1980 Ky. Acts ch. 115, sec. 1, effective July 15, 1980.

Kentucky Revised Statutes 81.026

Effect of reclassification of city on existing ordinances and officers.

- (1) When a city has been assigned by the General Assembly to another class, it shall thereafter be governed by the laws relating to the class to which it has been assigned, but the transfer from one class to another shall not affect any ordinance theretofore enacted by the city, except that any ordinance in conflict with the laws relating to cities of the class to which the city has been assigned shall be repealed to the extent it so conflicts.
- (2) Any officer holding office in any city changed to a classification other than that held at the time the officer was elected shall hold his office until the term for which he was elected has expired.

Effective: July 15, 1980

History: Created 1980 Ky. Acts ch. 115, sec. 2, effective July 15, 1980.

Kentucky Revised Statutes
81.032

Requirements for reclassification of an incorporated area.

- (1) Prior to the reclassification of any incorporated area by the General Assembly, the legislative body of such area shall provide to the General Assembly by certified resolution the population data as required by subsections (2) and (3) of this section.
- (2) Prior to the reclassification of any incorporated area by the General Assembly, such area shall have attained the population requirements as established by Section 156 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.
- (3) The population of any city proposed for reclassification shall be based on consideration of the most recent municipal population estimates as provided by the United States Bureau of Census, except that if recent growth in a city makes such estimates invalid, a city may submit for consideration an affidavit to certify such new growth. Such an affidavit shall be supported by documentation which may include more recent property valuation information, door to door population counts or other municipal data, such as annexation records, which may not be included in the recent population estimates.

Effective: July 15, 1986

History: Created 1986 Ky. Acts ch. 151, sec. 1, effective July 15, 1986.

Legislative Research Commission Note (9/18/95): Section 156 of the Constitution of Kentucky, referenced in subsection (2) of this statute was repealed by an amendment ratified on November 8, 1994, which created Sections 156a and 156b. See 1994 Ky. Acts ch. 168. Section 156a provides in part: "The classification of all cities and the law pertaining to the classifications in effect at the time of adoption of this section shall remain in effect until otherwise provided by law."

Kentucky Revised Statutes
81.034

Recording of data by General Assembly.

Prior to the reclassification of any incorporated area by the General Assembly, the estimated population data and the constitutional reclassification information as required by KRS 81.032 shall be recorded with the summary of any such legislative proposal in the official record of the General Assembly.

Effective: July 15, 1986

History: Created 1986 Ky. Acts ch. 151, sec. 2, effective July 15, 1986.

Recording of reclassification with Secretary of State.

Upon reclassification of an incorporated area, the General Assembly shall provide the Secretary of State notice of the reclassification and a copy of the certified information which was presented to the General Assembly. Such information shall be maintained by the Secretary of State along with other information relating to such area as required by KRS 81.045.

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APPENDIX 3

Cities by Current Classification and Population

* Excludes the populations of the smaller incorporated cities within Jefferson County.

Shaded rows indicate cities that do not meet the population ranges for their current classification based on the 2008 Census population estimates.

City	County	Class	Type	County Seat	2008 Population Estimate
Louisville*	Jefferson	1	Consolidated	x	557,224
Ashland	Boyd	2	City Manager		21,346
Bowling Green	Warren	2	City Manager	x	55,097
Covington	Kenton	2	City Manager	x	43,235
Frankfort	Franklin	2	City Manager	x	27,322
Henderson	Henderson	2	City Manager	x	27,933
Hopkinsville	Christian	2	Mayor-Council	x	32,076
Jeffersontown	Jefferson	2	Mayor-Council		26,226
Lexington	Fayette	2	Urban County	x	282,114
Newport	Campbell	2	City Manager	x	15,766
Owensboro	Daviess	2	City Manager	x	55,516
Paducah	McCracken	2	City Manager	x	25,521
Radcliff	Hardin	2	Mayor-Council		22,013
Richmond	Madison	2	City Manager	x	32,895
Campbellsville	Taylor	3	Mayor-Council	x	11,010
Danville	Boyle	3	City Manager	x	15,524
Erlanger	Kenton	3	Mayor-Council		17,188
Flatwoods	Greenup	3	Mayor-Council		7,655
Florence	Boone	3	Mayor-Council		27,745
Glasgow	Barren	3	Mayor-Council	x	14,302
Hazard	Perry	3	City Manager	x	4,796
Independence	Kenton	3	Mayor-Council	x	21,694
Mayfield	Graves	3	Mayor-Council	x	10,186
Maysville	Mason	3	City Manager	x	9,246
Middlesboro	Bell	3	Mayor-Council		9,929
Murray	Calloway	3	Mayor-Council	x	16,557
Nicholasville	Jessamine	3	Commission	x	26,444
Paris	Bourbon	3	City Manager	x	9,286
Pikeville	Pike	3	City Manager	x	6,413
Prospect	Jefferson/Oldham	3	Mayor-Council		5,802
Shively	Jefferson	3	Mayor-Council		16,641
Somerset	Pulaski	3	Mayor-Council	x	12,449
Winchester	Clark	3	City Manager	x	16,598

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Albany	Clinton	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,311
Alexandria	Campbell	4	Mayor-Council	x	8,620
Anchorage	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		3,288
Augusta	Bracken	4	Mayor-Council		1,253
Barbourville	Knox	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,611
Bardstown	Nelson	4	Mayor-Council	x	11,242
Beaver Dam	Ohio	4	Commission		3,133
Bellevue	Campbell	4	Mayor-Council		5,852
Benton	Marshall	4	Mayor-Council	x	4,367
Berea	Madison	4	Mayor-Council		14,431
Calvert City	Marshall	4	Mayor-Council		2,763
Carlisle	Nicholas	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,074
Carrollton	Carroll	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,924
Catlettsburg	Boyd	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,938
Cave City	Barren	4	Mayor-Council		2,002
Central City	Muhlenberg	4	Mayor-Council		5,698
Columbia	Adair	4	Mayor-Council	x	4,288
Corbin	Knox/Whitley	4	City Manager		8,324
Crescent Springs	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		4,043
Crestview Hills	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		3,709
Cumberland	Harlan	4	Mayor-Council		2,352
Cynthiana	Harrison	4	Commission	x	6,283
Dawson Springs	Caldwell/Hopkins	4	Mayor-Council		2,903
Dayton	Campbell	4	Mayor-Council		5,453
Douglas Hills	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		6,002
Earlington	Hopkins	4	Mayor-Council		1,571
Edgewood	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		8,910
Elizabethtown	Hardin	4	Mayor-Council	x	24,144
Elkhorn City	Pike	4	Mayor-Council		1,002
Elkton	Todd	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,981
Elsmere	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		7,932
Eminence	Henry	4	Mayor-Council		2,216
Falmouth	Pendleton	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,059
Flemingsburg	Fleming	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,673
Fort Mitchell	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		7,562
Fort Thomas	Campbell	4	Mayor-Council		15,222
Fort Wright	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		5,450
Franklin	Simpson	4	City Manager	x	7,997
Fulton	Fulton	4	City Manager		2,438
Georgetown	Scott	4	Mayor-Council	x	21,589
Graymoor/Devondale	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		3,185
Grayson	Carter	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,985
Greenville	Muhlenberg	4	Mayor-Council	x	4,235
Harlan	Harlan	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,864

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Harrodsburg	Mercer	4	Commission	x	8,192
Hickman	Fulton	4	City Manager	x	2,239
Highland Heights	Campbell	4	Mayor-Council		5,720
Hillview	Bullitt	4	Mayor-Council		7,572
Hodgenville	Larue	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,775
Horse Cave	Hart	4	Mayor-Council		2,326
Hurstbourne	Jefferson	4	Commission		4,423
Indian Hills	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		3,480
Irvine	Estill	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,666
Jackson	Breathitt	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,400
Jenkins	Letcher	4	Mayor-Council		2,244
LaGrange	Oldham	4	Mayor-Council	x	6,286
Lancaster	Garrard	4	Mayor-Council	x	4,403
Lawrenceburg	Anderson	4	Mayor-Council	x	9,978
Lebanon	Marion	4	Mayor-Council	x	5,973
Leitchfield	Grayson	4	Mayor-Council	x	6,537
London	Laurel	4	Mayor-Council	x	7,962
Ludlow	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		4,808
Lyndon	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		11,242
Madisonville	Hopkins	4	Mayor-Council	x	19,106
Manchester	Clay	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,951
Marion	Crittenden	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,102
Martin	Floyd	4	Mayor-Council		633
Middletown	Jefferson	4	Commission		7,147
Monticello	Wayne	4	Mayor-Council	x	6,162
Morehead	Rowan	4	Mayor-Council	x	7,707
Morganfield	Union	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,294
Mount Sterling	Montgomery	4	Mayor-Council	x	6,921
Mount Washington	Bullitt	4	Mayor-Council		11,980
Oak Grove	Christian	4	Mayor-Council		9,205
Olive Hill	Carter	4	Mayor-Council		1,819
Owingsville	Bath	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,672
Paintsville	Johnson	4	Mayor-Council	x	4,216
Park Hills	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		2,782
Pineville	Bell	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,990
Pioneer Village	Bullitt	4	Mayor-Council		2,712
Prestonsburg	Floyd	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,862
Princeton	Caldwell	4	Mayor-Council	x	6,398
Providence	Webster	4	Mayor-Council		3,419
Russell	Greenup	4	Mayor-Council		3,589
Russellville	Logan	4	Mayor-Council	x	7,268
Saint Matthews	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		18,709
Saint Regis Park	Jefferson	4	Mayor-Council		1,665
Salyersville	Magoffin	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,569

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Scottsville	Allen	4	Mayor-Council	x	4,581
Shelbyville	Shelby	4	Mayor-Council	x	11,294
Shepherdsville	Bullitt	4	Mayor-Council	x	9,203
Southgate	Campbell	4	Mayor-Council		3,285
Springfield	Washington	4	Mayor-Council	x	2,877
Stanford	Lincoln	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,399
Stanton	Powell	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,149
Sturgis	Union	4	Mayor-Council		1,925
Taylor Mill	Kenton	4	Commission		6,746
Union	Boone	4	Commission		3,612
Vanceburg	Lewis	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,698
Versailles	Woodford	4	Mayor-Council	x	7,828
Villa Hills	Kenton	4	Mayor-Council		7,727
Vine Grove	Hardin	4	Mayor-Council		4,362
Warsaw	Gallatin	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,794
West Liberty	Morgan	4	Mayor-Council	x	3,285
Whitesburg	Letcher	4	Mayor-Council	x	1,478
Williamsburg	Whitley	4	Mayor-Council	x	5,204
Wilmore	Jessamine	4	Mayor-Council		6,004
Adairville	Logan	5	Mayor-Council	x	921
Auburn	Logan	5	Mayor-Council		1,500
Audubon Park	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,662
Barbourmeade	Jefferson	5	Commission		1,408
Bardwell	Carlisle	5	Mayor-Council	x	775
Beattyville	Lee	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,122
Beechwood Village	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,267
Benham	Harlan	5	Mayor-Council		531
Bloomfield	Nelson	5	Mayor-Council		891
Brandenburg	Meade	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,183
Brodhead	Rockcastle	5	Commission		1,199
Bromley	Kenton	5	Mayor-Council		769
Brooksville	Bracken	5	Mayor-Council	x	571
Brownsville	Edmonson	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,046
Burgin	Mercer	5	Mayor-Council		884
Burkesville	Cumberland	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,680
Burnside	Pulaski	5	Mayor-Council		691
Butler	Pendleton	5	Mayor-Council		627
Cadiz	Trigg	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,563
Calhoun	McLean	5	Mayor-Council	x	788
Camargo	Montgomery	5	Commission		1,034
Campbellsburg	Henry	5	Mayor-Council		697
Clay	Webster	5	Mayor-Council		1,142
Clay City	Powell	5	Mayor-Council		1,358
Clinton	Hickman	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,330

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Cloverport	Breckinridge	5	Mayor-Council		1,234
Cold Spring	Campbell	5	Mayor-Council		5,809
Columbus	Hickman	5	Mayor-Council		214
Corydon	Henderson	5	Mayor-Council		777
Crestwood	Oldham	5	Commission		2,951
Crittenden	Grant	5	Mayor-Council		2,636
Crofton	Christian	5	Mayor-Council		962
Drakesboro	Muhlenberg	5	Mayor-Council		615
Dry Ridge	Grant	5	Mayor-Council		2,228
Eddyville	Lyon	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,416
Edmonton	Metcalf	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,646
Evarts	Harlan	5	Mayor-Council		1,027
Ferguson	Pulaski	5	Mayor-Council		937
Fleming-Neon	Letcher	5	Mayor-Council		789
Fredonia	Caldwell	5	Mayor-Council		414
Goshen	Oldham	5	Commission		992
Grand Rivers	Livingston	5	Mayor-Council		333
Greensburg	Green	5	Mayor-Council	x	868
Greenup	Greenup	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,185
Guthrie	Todd	5	Mayor-Council		1,454
Hardin	Marshall	5	Mayor-Council		572
Hardinsburg	Breckinridge	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,433
Hartford	Ohio	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,666
Hawesville	Hancock	5	Mayor-Council	x	982
Hebron Estates	Bullitt	5	Commission		1,181
Heritage Creek	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,787
Hindman	Knott	5	Mayor-Council	x	767
Hollow Creek	Jefferson	5	Commission		906
Hurstbourne Acres	Jefferson	5	Commission		1,615
Hustonville	Lincoln	5	Mayor-Council		350
Irvington	Breckinridge	5	Mayor-Council		1,400
Jamestown	Russell	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,738
Jeffersonville	Montgomery	5	Commission		1,638
Junction City	Boyle	5	Mayor-Council		2,211
Kuttawa	Lyon	5	Mayor-Council		647
LaCenter	Ballard	5	Mayor-Council		1,039
Lakeside Park	Kenton	5	Mayor-Council		2,681
Lebanon Junction	Bullitt	5	Mayor-Council		2,012
Lewisburg	Logan	5	Mayor-Council		912
Lewisport	Hancock	5	Mayor-Council		1,658
Liberty	Casey	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,893
Livermore	McLean	5	Mayor-Council		1,430
Louisa	Lawrence	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,088
Loyall	Harlan	5	Mayor-Council		703

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Lynch	Harlan	5	Mayor-Council		820
Lynnview	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,036
McKee	Jackson	5	Mayor-Council	x	858
Meadow Vale	Jefferson	5	Commission		849
Midway	Woodford	5	Mayor-Council		1,604
Millersburg	Bourbon/Nicholas	5	Mayor-Council		865
Morgantown	Butler	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,564
Mortons Gap	Hopkins	5	Mayor-Council		937
Mount Olivet	Robertson	5	Mayor-Council	x	278
Mount Vernon	Rockcastle	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,611
Muldraugh	Meade	5	Mayor-Council		1,223
Munfordville	Hart	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,611
New Castle	Henry	5	Commission	x	909
North Middletown	Bourbon	5	Commission		1,092
Northfield	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		556
Nortonville	Hopkins	5	Mayor-Council		1,234
Orchard Grass Hills	Oldham	5	Mayor-Council		1,444
Owenton	Owen	5	Mayor-Council	x	1,476
Park City	Barren	5	Commission		545
Perryville	Boyle	5	Mayor-Council		759
Pewee Valley	Oldham	5	Mayor-Council		1,606
Plantation	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		971
Powderly	Muhlenberg	5	Mayor-Council		879
Raceland	Greenup	5	Mayor-Council		2,601
Ravenna	Estill	5	Mayor-Council		670
Rolling Hills	Jefferson	5	Commission		984
Russell Springs	Russell	5	Mayor-Council		2,327
Sandy Hook	Elliott	5	Mayor-Council	x	723
Sebree	Webster	5	Mayor-Council		1,507
Silver Grove	Campbell	5	Mayor-Council		1,153
Simpsonville	Shelby	5	Commission		1,436
Smiths Grove	Warren	5	Commission		781
South Shore	Greenup	5	Commission		1,252
Taylorsville	Spencer	5	Commission	x	1,232
Tompkinsville	Monroe	5	Mayor-Council	x	2,609
Uniontown	Union	5	Mayor-Council		1,020
Walton	Boone/Kenton	5	Mayor-Council		3,038
Watterson Park	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,243
West Buechel	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,509
West Point	Hardin	5	Mayor-Council		974
White Plains	Hopkins	5	Commission		790
Wickliffe	Ballard	5	Mayor-Council	x	794
Wilder	Campbell	5	Mayor-Council		2,922
Williamstown	Grant/Pendleton	5	Mayor-Council	x	3,533

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Windy Hills	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		2,778
Woodlawn Park	Jefferson	5	Mayor-Council		1,128
Worthington	Greenup	5	Mayor-Council		1,676
Allen	Floyd	6	Commission		148
Arlington	Carlisle	6	Commission		379
Bancroft	Jefferson	6	Commission		603
Barlow	Ballard	6	Commission		715
Bedford	Trimble	6	Commission	x	744
Bellefonte	Greenup	6	Commission		843
Bellemeade	Jefferson	6	Commission		955
Bellewood	Jefferson	6	Commission		331
Berry	Harrison	6	Commission		307
Blackey	Letcher	6	Mayor-Council		141
Blaine	Lawrence	6	Commission		257
Blue Ridge Manor	Jefferson	6	Commission		682
Bonnieville	Hart	6	Commission		367
Booneville	Owsley	6	Commission	x	148
Bradfordsville	Marion	6	Commission		322
Bremen	Muhlenberg	6	Commission		359
Briarwood	Jefferson	6	Commission		594
Broeck Pointe	Jefferson	6	Mayor-Council		327
Brownsboro Farm	Jefferson	6	Commission		745
Brownsboro Village	Jefferson	6	Commission		340
Buckhorn	Perry	6	Commission		148
California	Campbell	6	Commission		82
Cambridge	Jefferson	6	Commission		207
Campton	Wolfe	6	Commission	x	412
Caneyville	Grayson	6	Commission		660
Carrsville	Livingston	6	Commission		71
Centertown	Ohio	6	Commission		428
Clarkson	Grayson	6	Commission		838
Coal Run Village	Pike	6	Commission		630
Coldstream	Jefferson	6	Commission		1,061
Concord	Lewis	6	Mayor-Council		27
Corinth	Grant	6	Commission		194
Crab Orchard	Lincoln	6	Commission		853
Creekside	Jefferson	6	Commission		387
Crestview	Campbell	6	Commission		454
Crossgate	Jefferson	6	Commission		274
Dixon	Webster	6	Commission	x	611
Dover	Mason	6	Commission		328
Druid Hills	Jefferson	6	Commission		346
Ekron	Meade	6	Commission		161
Eubank	Lincoln/Pulaski	6	Commission		376

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Ewing	Fleming	6	Commission		292
Fairfield	Nelson	6	Commission		77
Fairview	Kenton	6	Commission		142
Fincastle	Jefferson	6	Commission		919
Fordsville	Ohio	6	Commission		548
Forest Hills	Jefferson	6	Commission		586
Fountain Run	Monroe	6	Commission		239
Fox Chase	Bullitt	6	Mayor-Council		515
Frenchburg	Menifee	6	Commission	x	547
Gamaliel	Monroe	6	Commission		427
Germantown	Bracken/Mason	6	Commission		141
Ghent	Carroll	6	Commission		389
Glencoe	Gallatin	6	Mayor-Council		379
Glenview	Jefferson	6	Commission		894
Glenview Hills	Jefferson	6	Commission		377
Glenview Manor	Jefferson	6	Commission		220
Goose Creek	Jefferson	6	Commission		298
Gratz	Owen	6	Commission		95
Green Spring	Jefferson	6	Commission		2,415
Hanson	Hopkins	6	Commission		583
Hazel	Calloway	6	Commission		454
Hickory Hill	Jefferson	6	Commission		158
Hills and Dales	Jefferson	6	Commission		183
Hollyvilla	Jefferson	6	Commission		576
Houston Acres	Jefferson	6	Commission		542
Hunters Hollow	Bullitt	6	Commission		395
Hyden	Leslie	6	Commission	x	190
Inez	Martin	6	Commission	x	435
Island	McLean	6	Commission		425
Kenton Vale	Kenton	6	Commission		144
Kevil	Ballard	6	Mayor-Council		576
Kingsley	Jefferson	6	Commission		426
Lafayette	Christian	6	Commission		215
Lakeview Heights	Rowan	6	Commission		201
Langdon Place	Jefferson	6	Commission		1,076
Lincolnshire	Jefferson	6	Commission		169
Livingston	Rockcastle	6	Commission		228
Loretto	Marion	6	Commission		654
Mackville	Washington	6	Commission		218
Manor Creek	Jefferson	6	Commission		247
Maryhill Estates	Jefferson	6	Commission		194
McHenry	Ohio	6	Mayor-Council		435
Meadowbrook Farm	Jefferson	6	Commission		155
Meadowview Estates	Jefferson	6	Commission		451

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Melbourne	Campbell	6	Commission		448
Mentor	Campbell	6	Commission		166
Milton	Trimble	6	Commission		594
Mockingbird Valley	Jefferson	6	Commission		243
Monterey	Owen	6	Mayor-Council		177
Moorland	Jefferson	6	Commission		501
Murray Hill	Jefferson	6	Commission		667
Nebo	Hopkins	6	Commission		216
New Haven	Nelson	6	Commission		882
Norbourne Estates	Jefferson	6	Commission		492
Norwood	Jefferson	6	Commission		435
Oakland	Warren	6	Commission		262
Old Brownsboro Place	Jefferson	6	Commission		431
Parkway Village	Jefferson	6	Commission		752
Pembroke	Christian	6	Commission		952
Pippa Passes	Knott	6	Mayor-Council		447
Pleasureville	Henry/Shelby	6	Commission		874
Plum Springs	Warren	6	Commission		479
Poplar Hills	Jefferson	6	Commission		417
Prestonville	Carroll	6	Commission		176
Raywick	Marion	6	Commission		151
Richlawn	Jefferson	6	Commission		490
River Bluff	Oldham	6	Commission		442
Riverwood	Jefferson	6	Commission		531
Robards	Henderson	6	Commission		555
Rochester	Butler	6	Mayor-Council		187
Rockport	Ohio	6	Commission		346
Rolling Fields	Jefferson	6	Commission		724
Ryland Heights	Kenton	6	Commission		827
Sacramento	McLean	6	Commission		502
Sadieville	Scott	6	Commission		319
Saint Charles	Hopkins	6	Commission		307
Salem	Livingston	6	Commission		753
Salt Lick	Bath	6	Mayor-Council		360
Sanders	Carroll	6	Commission		258
Sardis	Mason/Robertson	6	Commission		185
Science Hill	Pulaski	6	Mayor-Council		670
Seneca Gardens	Jefferson	6	Commission		753
Sharpsburg	Bath	6	Commission		345
Slaughters	Webster	6	Commission		232
Smithfield	Henry	6	Commission		101
Smithland	Livingston	6	Commission	x	388
Sonora	Hardin	6	Commission		331
South Carrollton	Muhlenberg	6	Mayor-Council		181

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South Park View	Jefferson	6	Commission		233
Sparta	Gallatin/Owen	6	Commission		207
Spring Mill	Jefferson	6	Commission		419
Spring Valley	Jefferson	6	Commission		754
Stamping Ground	Scott	6	Mayor-Council		678
Strathmoor Manor	Jefferson	6	Commission		354
Strathmoor Village	Jefferson	6	Commission		693
Sycamore	Jefferson	6	Commission		284
Ten Broeck	Jefferson	6	Commission		195
Thornhill	Jefferson	6	Commission		192
Trenton	Todd	6	Commission		427
Upton	Hardin/Larue	6	Commission		616
Vicco	Knott/Perry	6	Commission		314
Wallins	Harlan	6	Commission		233
Warfield	Martin	6	Commission		260
Water Valley	Graves	6	Commission		321
Waverly	Union	6	Commission		280
Wayland	Floyd	6	Commission		291
Wellington	Jefferson	6	Commission		596
Westwood	Jefferson	6	Commission		668
Wheatcroft	Webster	6	Commission		168
Wheelwright	Floyd	6	Commission		1,029
Whitesville	Daviess	6	Commission		595
Wildwood	Jefferson	6	Commission		272
Willisburg	Washington	6	Mayor-Council		368
Wingo	Graves	6	Commission		594
Woodburn	Warren	6	Mayor-Council		349
Woodbury	Butler	6	Commission		87
Woodland Hills	Jefferson	6	Commission		735
Woodlawn	Campbell	6	Commission		249
Worthington Hills	Jefferson	6	Commission		1,740
Worthville	Carroll	6	Commission		227
Wurtland	Greenup	6	Commission		1,047

Shaded rows indicate cities that do not meet the population ranges for their current classification based on the 2008 Census population estimates.

APPENDIX 4

Legislative Reclassification Attempts Since 2000

Bold indicates the Census population estimate did not meet the proposed classification range. However, cities may submit additional information to prove that their population qualifies for a classification change.

Shaded rows indicate that the attempt to reclassify the city did not pass.

2000	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Albany	5	4	2,225	Passed
Cave City	5	4	2,090	Passed
Hebron Estates	6	5	1,124	Passed
Henderson	3	2	26,649	Passed
Hollow Creek	6	5	859	Passed
Horse Cave	5	4	2,520	Passed
Independence	5	3	13,633	Passed
Indian Hills	5	4	2,168	Passed
Jeffersontown	3	2	25,253	Passed
Pioneer Village	5	4	1,363	Passed
Sparta	6	5	156	Failed
Union	6	5	1,518	Passed
White Plains	6	5	727	Passed

2001	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Brodhead	6	5	1,194	Passed
Guthrie	5	4	1,496	Failed
New Castle	6	5	1,046	Passed
Oak Grove	5	4	5,918	Passed

2002	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Crestwood	6	5	2,639	Passed
Stanford	5	4	3,428	Passed

2003	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Goshen	6	5	911	Passed

2004	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Warsaw	5	4	1,815	Failed

2005	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Corbin	3	4	7,958	Passed
Prospect	4	3	4,762	Passed
Union	5	4	3,128	Passed
Warsaw	5	4	1,846	Passed

2006	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Glencoe	6	5	387	Failed
Junction City	5	4	2,188	Failed
Sadieville	6	5	287	Failed
Taylorsville	6	5	1,112	Passed

2007	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Crestview Hills	5	4	3,356	Passed
Junction City	5	4	2,186	Failed
Sadieville	6	5	293	Failed

2008	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Junction City	5	4	2,189	Failed
Lancaster	5	4	4,312	Passed
Sadieville	6	5	302	Failed
Whitesburg	5	4	1,489	Passed

2009	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Junction City	5	4	2,198	Failed
Sadieville	6	5	309	Failed

2010	Previous Class	Proposed Class	Pop. Est. at the Time	Action
Cadiz	5	4	2,563	Passed
Junction City	5	4	2,211	Failed
Midway	5	4	1,604	Failed
Sadieville	6	5	319	Failed
Taylorsville	5	4	1,232	Failed
Wurtland	6	5	1,047	Failed

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Shaded rows indicate that the attempt to reclassify the city did not pass.

APPENDIX 5

Statutes Relating to Each Classification as Outlined in Legislative Research Commission Memorandum No. 472

NOTE: Some of these laws may have been modified or repealed since the LRC memo was published in 1996

Statutes Relating to Cities of the First Class

- 61.080..... Incompatible offices.
- 61.380..... Certain counties may pay attendance expenses of officers at conferences, meetings or hearings - Statement of expenses to be filed.
- 61.385..... Certain counties may reimburse officers and employees for use of personal motor vehicles on official business.
- 62.055..... Bonds of county clerks.
- 64.210..... Allowance to constables and deputies in counties containing first-class city.
- 64.345..... Clerks and sheriffs and jailers in counties having population of 70,000 or more - Compensation - Expenses - Deputies and assistants.
- 64.530..... Compensation of county officers, employees, deputies and assistants, and members of fiscal court.
- 65.003..... Codes of ethics for city and county officials and employees.
- 65.182..... Procedures for creating taxing district.
- 65.192..... Alternate method of creating a taxing district in counties containing a city of the first class.
- 65.540..... Members of authority - Appointment, terms - Removal - Effect of compact.
- 65.570..... Compensation of members - Employees - Duties of secretary-treasurer - Effect of compact.
- 66.540..... Appointment of board and sinking fund commissioners of city for common use of employees.
- 67.042..... Fiscal court districts in counties containing city of first class.
- 67.060..... County commissioners - Election, term, qualifications.
- 67.120..... Clerk, deputy clerk and stenographer of fiscal court.
- 67.710..... Powers and duties.
- 67.825..... Authorization for charter county government or consolidation of services or functions.
- 67.830..... Procedure for adoption of charter county form of government or for consolidation of services or functions.
- 67A.010 ... Urban-county form of government authorized.
- 67B.010 ... Authority to create metropolitan correctional services departments.
- 67B.020 ... Definitions.
- 67B.030 ... Establishment and nature of department - Duties of jailer vested in department.
- 68.080..... Publication of annual financial statement of counties containing city of first class.
- 68.127..... Emergency floodwall operation fund, fiscal court of county containing city of the first class may establish - Additions to fund - Investment of funds - Gifts.
- 68.130..... Auditor and assistant auditor for counties having city of first class - Salary - Bond.
- 68.150..... Additional audit by independent firm.
- 68.160..... Purchasing agent for county having city of first class.

68.190..... Credit for payment of similar city tax.
 68.245..... Estimate of assessment - Levy in excess of compensatory tax rate subject to recall vote or reconsideration.
 69.130..... Counties containing a city of the first class to provide automobile for Commonwealth's attorney.
 69.320..... Power of stenographer for county attorney in county containing a city of the first class in administering oaths.
 70.320..... Deputy constables in counties containing first or second class cities.
 70.542..... Auxiliary county police force.
 71.110..... Office of jailer consolidated with office of sheriff in county containing city of the first class or an urban-county government.
 74.400..... District may acquire, develop, maintain and operate gas system - Procedure.
 74.416..... Approval of sanitary sewer system project in Jefferson County.
 75.031..... Trustees, elections, terms - Vacancies - Elections for part of trustees - Officers.
 76.005..... Definitions.
 76.030..... Board of district - Membership, appointment, qualifications, term, vacancies, removal, compensation - Effect of compact.
 76.060..... Officers and employees - Legal services - Effect of compact.
 76.090..... Rates, rentals and charges - Use of funds of district - Cutting off sewer and water service to delinquents.
 76.170..... Area included in district - Construction subdistrict excluded - Extension of boundaries.
 76.171..... Construction of branch or lateral sewer lines in territory annexed to first-class city.
 76.172..... Apportionment of construction costs - Liens - Apportionment warrants - Notice.
 76.231..... Joint sewer agency established - Powers - Administration - Dissolution.
 76.268..... Annexation to subdistricts, procedure - Effect.
 76.271..... Winding up of construction subdistrict affairs, when, effect.
 76.274..... Sanitation tax district - Creation, powers - Area included.
 76.410..... Exception to limitation of KRS 220.535.
 76.620..... Approval required.
 77.065..... Ex officio officers and other personnel of district not containing city of first or second class - Effect of compact.
 77.070..... Air pollution control board, membership - Qualifications - Vacancies - Removal - Effect of compact.
 79.310..... Cooperative compact between city of the first class and county containing such city - Term - Amendment - Termination.
 79.315..... Matters to be agreed upon.
 79.320..... Definitions for KRS 79.325.
 79.325..... Sinking fund apportionment.
 79.330..... Transfer, alteration and appointment to joint city-county entities.
 80.1 10..... Projects subject to building, zoning and sanitary laws.
 80.450..... Quorum - Officers and employees - Legal services - Effect of compact.
 80.480..... Removal of members - Effect of compact.
 81.300..... Plan for the improvement of local government in county containing city of first class may be submitted to fiscal court - Action by fiscal court - Election - Time within which fiscal court must act.
 81.320..... Tabulation of votes.
 81.330..... When plan to take effect - Exclusion of city from boundaries of new city - Result - Liability of city of first class.
 81.360..... KRS 81.300 to 81.360 to be considered as alternate method of extending city boundaries and consolidating governmental services.

81A.005 ... Annexation by city of first class which has in effect a cooperative compact with its county.

81A.010 ... Annexation of unincorporated territory or reduction of territory by first-class city - Effect of compact.

81A.020 ... Protest against annexation of unincorporated territory or reduction of territory by city of the first class - Trial - Judgment.

81A.050 ... Proceedings to incorporate.

81A.060 ... Public hearings - Authority of board of aldermen.

81A.070 ... Property tax in annexed area.

81A.400 ... Powers of cities to annex or reduce boundaries.

82.095..... Supplemental taxes levied by city of third or fourth class in county containing city of first class.

82.400..... Procedure for dedicating public way or easement - Waiver in certain instances - Presumption of dedication - Automatic acceptance - Penalty.

83.165..... Public wharves and landings - Control - Charges.

83.410..... Legislative finding and expression of legislative intent.

83.420..... Incorporation and general powers.

83.430..... Departments of city of the first class - Limitations.

83.440..... Legislative branch - Board of aldermen.

83.520..... Board of aldermen - Powers - Tax levy - Other statutory provisions permissive.

83A.010 ... Definitions for chapter.

83A.030 ... Legislative body of city with mayor-council, commission or city manager plan.

83A.040 ... Election of mayors and legislative bodies - Vacancies - Removal of elected officers.

83A.060 ... Enactment of ordinances.

83A.075 ... Equating of compensation rate of mayors and members of city legislative bodies with purchasing power of dollar - Limitation.

83A.080 ... Nonelective city offices and officers.

83A.085 ... Office of city clerk required, except in city of first class - Duties - Combination with other nonelected city office - Information on city and officials to Department of Local Government.

90.1 10..... Definitions for KRS 90.1 10 to 90.230.

90.120..... Civil service board - Membership - Appointment - Term - Vacancies - Ineligibility for other office - Removals.

90.230..... Ordinances and appropriations.

91.200..... City License taxes - Imposition - Rate - Collection - Transfer of surplus to general fund - Use - Restriction on ad valorem tax for sinking fund purposes - Issuance and enforcement of licenses.

91.260..... Ad valorem taxes - Taxes based on income, licenses and franchises - Exemption of manufacturing establishments.

91.265..... Power to levy all taxes authorized by Const., 181 - Exceptions.

91.285..... Taxation of abandoned urban property by city of the first class.

91.375..... Omitted property.

91.481..... Definitions for KRS 91.484 to 91.527 and 92.810.

91.560..... Tax lien.

91.570..... Collection of taxes by action.

91.620..... Capital stock of incorporated banks, trust companies, and guaranty or security companies, how assessed.

91.750..... Definitions for KRS 91.750 to 91.762.

91.752..... Authority for establishment of district.

91A.010 ... Definitions for KRS 91A.010 to 91A.060.

91A.350 ... Local tourist and convention commissions - Continued funding.

91A.392 ... Levy of additional transient room tax by county containing city of the first class - Required repeal of tax upon retirement of bonds.

92.281..... Levy of all taxes authorized by Constitution Section 181 - Exceptions - Occupational tax.

95.290..... Pension system for police and fire divisions - Governing bodies - Distribution of funds - Administration expenses - Participation by policemen and firefighters in County Employees Retirement System - Contributions.

96.010..... Sale of public utility franchises by cities.

96.020..... Deposit to accompany bid - Bidder to give bond.

96.030..... Exclusive franchise not to be granted by first-class city.

96.040..... First class city may purchase public utility plant.

96.090..... Sale of gas company stock owned by first-class city.

96.100..... Amendment to charter of gas company in which first-class city owns stock.

96.230..... First-class city to control waterworks.

96.240..... Board of waterworks. - Appointment - Qualifications - Term - Oath.

96.265..... Extension of service to persons not currently served - Costs - Assessments - Apportionment warrants - Liens.

96.351..... Waterworks or waterworks and sewerage commissions in cities of third class in counties of more than 50,000 other than counties with a city of first class or urban-county government.

96A.040 ... Managing board - Membership - Effect of compact.

96A.070 ... Board officers, executive committee, director, employees - Effect of compact.

97.035..... Establishment of joint system of recreational facilities - Joint board - Effect of compact.

97.250..... Powers of department of public parks and recreation in first-class cities - Employees - Director of parks and recreation.

97.253..... Employees are subject to civil service.

97.255..... Power of police to arrest for offenses committed on park property.

97.257..... Power of condemnation for park purposes.

97.630..... War memorial commissions in cities.

97.640..... Officers and employees of commissions.

97.700..... Appropriation or tax levy to maintain memorial.

98.010..... Department of public welfare - Powers - Duties.

98.012..... Claim against estate of recipient of general assistance - Priority - Filing.

98.013..... City to have lien upon real property of general assistance recipient - Notice - Filing, recording and indexing - Filing fee - Enforceability of lien - Waiver - Precipitation.

98.030..... Location of institutions.

98.040..... Construction and improvement of hospitals and institutions.

98.050..... Building commission to be appointed - Ordinance - Appropriation.

98:180..... Authority of city of first class and county containing such city to establish combined welfare organization.

98.300..... Fiscal court of county containing a city of first class may establish department of welfare.

98.380..... City to be reimbursed by fiscal court for cost incurred by civil service board by reason of requirement of KRS 98.370.

99.595..... Property assessment and reassessment moratoriums.

99.700..... Legislative findings and policy.

99.705..... Definitions.

99.710..... Ordinance adopting provisions of state statutes on blighted or deteriorated areas - Vacant property review commission.

99.7 15..... Acquisition and disposal of blighted property by city.

99.720..... Certification of blight deterioration - Notice to owner demanding abatement.
 99.725..... Eminent domain proceedings by city.
 99.730..... Acquisition by certain employees prohibited - Disclosure of previous interest required
 - Payment under eminent domain proceedings.
 100.121.... Joint planning units.
 100.137.... Planning commission in counties of 300,000 - Qualifications - Appointment.
 100.157.... Removal - Effect of compact.
 100.209.... Amendment of comprehensive plan prior to annexation permitted - Land use
 management regulation in newly annexed or reclassified territory.
 100.211.... Procedure for amending zoning map and text of regulation - Notice - Hearing - Time
 limit for final action.
 100.212.... Notice of hearing on proposed map amendment.
 100.214.... Hearing on proposed map amendment in county containing city of the first class.
 100.217.... Board of adjustment - Membership - Appointment - Terms - Vacancies - Oath -
 Compensation - Removal - Officials - Effect of compact.
 100.237.... Conditional use permits.
 100.253.... Existing nonconforming use, continuance - Change - Effect of nonconforming use of
 ten years' duration - Application.
 100.277.... Commission approval required for subdivisions.
 107.050.... Procedure following public hearing - Second ordinance.
 108.060.... Civil service for employees.
 108.140.... Powers and duties of directors.
 132.012.... "Abandoned urban property" defined - Classification as real property for tax
 purposes.
 132.150.... Valuation of distilled spirits certified to county clerks - Local tax rate.
 132.275.... Public utilities in county containing city of first class to give property valuation
 administrator information concerning customers.
 132.400.... Bond of property valuation administrator.
 136.190.... Boundary report of cities and taxing districts.
 137.410.... Municipal tax on coin machines - Definition of coin machines - Maximum tax limit.
 153.440.... Levy of additional transient room tax by county containing city of the first class.
 153.460.... Levy of surcharge on tickets and on restaurant gross receipts by county containing
 city of first class.
 160.042.... Election of members - Resent terms to continue, exception.
 160.160.... Boards of education - Powers and procedures - Approval of Department of Education
 required for mortgages, leases - Rental payments under lease.
 160.200.... Time of election of board members.
 160.210.... Election of board members - Change in boundary lines of divisions - Boards in
 counties containing city of first class.
 160.280.... Per diem and expenses allowed board members.
 160.570.... Depository of board - Bond - Duties.
 160.597.... Levy recall procedure.
 161.710.... Local system merged with state system.
 163.032.... Salary schedule for teachers in schools for deaf and blind.
 164.810.... Definitions for KRS 164.810 to 164.870.
 164.840.... Appropriations by city.
 164.850.... Appropriations by county.
 165.030.... Appropriation for university.
 165.040.... Payment of appropriation to university.
 165.050.... Appropriation of funds other than taxes.
 165.060.... Appropriation of land for university.

165.070.... Condemnation, purchase or gift of land.
 165.080.... Bond issue question may be submitted to voters.
 165.140.... Financial and other reports concerning university.
 165.150.... Law school buildings for municipal university - Erection of.
 172.180.... Alternate method of financing library.
 172.200.... Appointment of trustees - Powers - Duties - Limits on indebtedness - County not to be liable - Treasurer, duties.
 173.010.... Public library in cities of first class - Arrangement with existing libraries - Provisions of contract.
 173.030.... Establishment of free public library in cities of first class - Use of - Ordinances regarding conduct.
 173.045.... Retirement plan for employees.
 173.065.... Fiscal year of library.
 173.070.... Appropriation for public library - Disposition of revenue - Report to legislative body.
 173.105.... Contract with county - Support by county - Effect of compact.
 173.106.... Opportunity for voluntary contribution for free public library when registering vehicle in county with compact in effect.
 173.107.... Library tax or appropriation not to be decreased when city becomes city of first class.
 173.300.... Definitions for KRS 173.310 to 173.410.
 173.360.... Annual appropriations, amounts - Powers and duties of board as to funds.
 173.400.... Status of existing libraries and contracts.
 178.020.... Roads, bridges and landings continued, removal from through road system.
 178.030.... Transfers from state to county.
 178.040.... Width of county roads, how fixed - Acquisition of right-of-way.
 178.117.... Private improvement of public road in counties containing first-class city - When permitted - Procedure.
 178.330.... County through road system, establishment - Effect (counties containing first-class city).
 178.333.... Addition of roads to through road system - New roads, relocation.
 178.337.... Removal of road from system - When city streets in system.
 178.350.... Application of KRS 178.350 to 178.385 limited to counties containing first-class city.
 178.405.... Conditions requisite.
 179.070.... General powers and duties of engineer - Requirement of site development plan in certain counties.
 179.330.... Names of county roads - How changed and established - Erection of signs.
 179.470.... Maintenance of subdivision roads in counties.
 181.850.... Bridge commissions in first-class cities.
 181.851.... Definitions for KRS 181.850 to 181.869.
 181.853.... Acquisition of property.
 183.132.... Local air boards.
 183.880.... Establishment of safety and security department by airport board - Oath by appointees.
 201.010.... Definitions.
 201.020.... Board for home - Members - Appointment - Term - Vacancies.
 201.060.... Title to property.
 201.070.... Condemnation of property.
 201.160.... Appropriations for purchase of property - Right to alienate property.
 201.170.... Appropriations for maintenance.
 201.210.... Annual reports of board.
 205.782.... Service of process by constable in county containing city of the first class.
 210.040.... Powers and duties of cabinet.

211.370.... Issuance of plumbing installation permits for on-site sewage disposal systems - Local board of health as agent for cabinet - Regulations.

212.350.... Creation of city-county board of health for cities of first class and counties containing such cities - Corporate powers - Abolishment of former health agencies - Effect of compact.

212.380.... Membership of board - Qualifications - Terms - Effect of compact.

212.432.... Inclusion of employees in state retirement system.

212.434.... Prior service credit.

212.436.... Payment of contributions.

212.600.... Board to control health in all cities in county.

212.750.... Public health taxing district created in counties not electing to create same - Officers.

212.855.... Members of district board of health - Appointment - Terms.

212.990.... Penalties.

220.080.... Boundary of proposed district - Investigation - Change - Inclusion of city property restricted.

220.285.... Power to provide sewer service outside district.

220.535.... Petition for annexation of territory to district.

226.060.... Special provisions for city, and county containing city of first class.

230.379.... Award of simulcasting and intertrack wagering dates.

241.065.... Limitation on number of retail package liquor and drink licenses in counties containing cities of first class.

241.075.... Location of retail package liquor and drink licenses in cities of the first class.

241.170.... Appointment of city administrator and employees in cities of first class - Police powers - Right to inspect premises - Appointment in other cities - Qualifications of city administrators and employees.

243.030.... Distilled spirits and wine licenses - Kinds - Fees.

247.140.... Functions of fair board.

277.050.... Corporation constructing or operating union station may condemn land.

278.010.... Definitions for KRS 278.010 to 278.450 and KRS 278.990.

304.8-090. Depositories.

345.010.... Definitions.

345.030.... Employees' right to organize for the purpose of collective bargaining.

381.440.... Excavations in cities of the first class - Protection of adjacent property.

416.560.... Initiation of condemnation proceedings - Costs - Right of entry - Damages.

424.130.... Times and periods of publication.

424.220.... Financial statements.

439.315.... Payment of fee by released person - Amount - Waiver of payment - Applicable to persons released by county containing a city of the first class or urban county government.

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61.080..... Incompatible offices.

62.055..... Bonds of county clerks.

64.530..... Compensation of county officers, employees, deputies and assistants, and members of fiscal court.

65.156..... Actuarial evaluation requirement for local government pension systems - Exemptions - Copy to Legislative Research Commission - Contributions by cities or municipal

agencies - Payment of lawful expenses - Prohibition against creation or maintenance of defined benefit retirement system susceptible of unfunded liability - Exceptions.

67.323..... Fire department merit system - Creation - Scope - Board - Definitions - Applicability.

67A.500 ... Withdrawal from service prior to retirement - Refunds - Forfeitures.

67A.600 ... Fund to supersede prior pension funds - Increase in retirement annuity.

68.202..... License fee on cable television systems in counties containing a city of the second class - Use of proceeds.

69.105..... Power of stenographer for Commonwealth's attorney in county containing a city of the second class to administer oath.

76.231..... Joint sewer agency established - Powers - Administration - Dissolution.

76.233..... Agency revenue bonds.

82.025..... Kentucky Urban Affairs Council.

83A.050 ... General election laws to govern election of city officers unless changed by ordinance.

83A.170 ... Nonpartisan elections.

90.300..... Definitions for KRS 90.310 to 90.410 - Application.

90.310..... Adoption of civil service ordinance - Civil service commission.

90.320..... Examinations - Certifications - Preference points - Eligible list.

90.350..... Appointments - Promotions.

90.390..... Prohibition of political activity.

90.400..... Pension fund in cities of second class - Coverage provided in County Employees Retirement System after August 1, 1988.

90.420..... Rights under former acts preserved.

92.240..... Board of equalization in cities of second class.

92.420..... Assessment date for city taxation.

92.430..... Assessment lists and assessment procedure in cities of second class.

92.440..... Equalization of assessments in cities of second class.

92.450..... Omitted property, action to assess in cities of second class.

92.540..... Manner of assessment, levy and collection, how regulated by ordinance in cities of second, fifth and sixth classes.

92.550..... City tax records in cities of second class constitute notice - Irregular tax proceedings.

92.560..... Tax bills, how made out and delivered in cities of second class.

92.590..... Time and manner of paying taxes in cities of second, third and fourth classes - Discounts, interest and penalties.

95.010..... Definitions for KRS 95.160 to 95.290 and KRS 95.787 to 95.850.

95.435..... Custody and disposition of property taken by the police department.

95.440..... Police and fire department members - Qualifications - Examination - Tenure - Reinstatement.

95.480..... Duties and liabilities of chief of police and policemen - Fees - Cities of second class or urban-county government.

95.490..... Oath and bond of members of police force - Cities of second class or urban-county governments.

95.495..... Hours of work and annual leave for members of police department - Cities of second class or urban-county governments.

95.500..... Powers and duties of chief of fire department - Hours of work and annual leave of firefighters - Cities of second class or urban county governments.

95.851..... Definitions for KRS 95.852 to 95.991.

95.852..... Retirement and benefit fund established - Name - Coverage provided in County Employees Retirement System after August 1, 1988.

95.883..... Appeal to circuit court.

96.050..... Second-class city may regulate construction and operation of utilities.

96.160..... Power of second-class city to furnish water and light.
 96.165..... City classified from third class to second class to continue operation of combined electric and water system under provisions of KRS 96.171 to 96.188 - When.
 96.320..... Operation of waterworks in second-class cities - Commissioners of waterworks - Employees - Reports.
 96.330..... Disposition of revenue from waterworks in second-class city.
 96.530..... Operation of electric light, heat, and power plants - Utility commission.
 97.405..... Powers and duties of boards of park commissioners vested in cities of second class.
 97.441..... Powers and duties of second class cities over parks and boulevards.
 97.455..... Board of park commissioners - Membership - Appointment - Term - Removal.
 100.253.... Existing nonconforming use, continuance - Change - Effect of nonconforming use of ten years' duration - Application.
 132.400.... Bond of property valuation administrator.
 147.640.... Area council - Membership - Relation to commission.
 162.440.... Insurance fund for boards of education in cities of the second class or counties containing cities of the second class.
 162.450.... Payments into fund - Replacement of expenditures - Use of interest.
 165.160.... Municipal colleges in cities of second class - Establishment - Board of trustees - Advisory board prohibited.
 165.165.... Bond issue for municipal college.
 165.170.... Tax levy for municipal college - Amount - Disposition.
 165.175.... Municipal college support district.
 165.180.... Appropriation of funds other than taxes.
 165.190.... Appropriation of land for college.
 165.195.... Acquisition of property by board of trustees.
 165.210.... Municipal junior colleges in cities of second class - Establishment and control of.
 165.220.... Tax levy for junior college.
 165.230.... Tuition charged by junior college.
 165.240.... Appropriation of land for junior college.
 172.170.... County law library in certain counties containing city of second class.
 173.340.... Library board of trustees.
 179.070.... General powers and duties of engineer - Requirement of site development plan in certain counties.
 179.470.... Maintenance of subdivision roads in counties.
 181.020.... Construction and purchase of interstate bridges and tunnels.
 181.030.... Counties may issue bonds to pay for bridges or tunnels.
 181.510.... Contracts to do away with tolls.
 181.560.... Bonds may be issued for construction or purchase of interstate bridges.
 181.570.... Bridge commission.
 183.880.... Establishment of safety and security department by airport board - Oath by appointees.
 199.410.... Exceptions from KRS 199.380 to 199.400 - Application only to counties containing city of second class.
 212.640.... City-county health department in county containing city of second class - Establishment - Membership of board.
 212.650.... Expense of maintaining city-county department.
 212.690.... Transfer of property and institutions.
 212.786.... Membership of board - Terms - Vacancies.
 212.855.... Members of district board of health - Appointment - Terms.
 242.1292.. Limited sale precincts in cities of second class.
 243.030.... Distilled spirits and wine licenses - Kinds - Fees.

- 382.220.... General index of real property records in counties containing second-class city -
Contracts for indexing work.
- 424.220.... Financial statements.

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- 15.705..... Prosecutors Advisory Council.
- 15.755..... Compensation of Commonwealth's attorney and staff - Monthly expense allowance -
Compensation adjusted - Private law practice regulated.
- 62.055..... Bonds of county clerks.
- 82.095..... Supplemental taxes levied by city of third or fourth class in county containing city of
first class.
- 90.3 10..... Adoption of civil service ordinance - Civil service commission.
- 90.350..... Appointments - Promotions.
- 90.360..... Dismissal, suspension or reduction.
- 90.410..... Pension fund in cities of the third class - Increase in benefits - Coverage provided in
County Employees Retirement System after August 1, 1988.
- 92.250..... Board of supervisors in cities of third class.
- 92.300..... Exemptions from city taxation.
- 92.420..... Assessment date for city taxation.
- 92.460..... Assessment list and assessment procedure in cities of third class.
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