

Ordinance No. 40608

An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to appoint one hundred special policemen to serve in conjunction with the regular police department of the City of Portland, and declaring an emergency.

The City of Portland Does Ordain as Follows:

Section 1. That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to appoint one hundred persons of suitable character special policemen to act in conjunction with the police department of the City of Portland. Said special policemen shall not be paid by the city for their services as patrolmen and shall serve during the year 1922 and be subject to removal or discharge by the Mayor for cause at any time. The Mayor is farther authorized and empowered in the case of resignations, deaths or removals to appoint other persons of suitable character to fill such vacancies.

Section 2. Inasmuch as this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace and safety of the City of Portland it is hereby declared that in the annual budget for 1922 of the regular police department the number of regular policemen had been reduced and in the opinion of the Mayor and Council there is inadequate police protection being afforded the city and it is necessary to appoint and organize without cost to the taxpayers, an auxiliary police force to work in conjunction with and under the direction of the regular police department in order that adequate police protection may be afforded the citizens of Portland, therefore an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council, JAN 18 1922

GEO. L. BAKER

Mayor of the City of Portland

Attest:

Geo. R. Fink

Auditor of the City of Portland.

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Mayor Baker