

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT No. 1.
House Joint Resolution No. 10.
 (Substitute for House Joint Resolution No. 5)
 By Killpack.
JOINT RESOLUTION.

To amend section six of article eighteen of the Constitution of the State of Idaho; a Joint Resolution to submit to the electors of the State of Idaho for their rejection or approval an amendment to section six of article eighteen of the Constitution of the State of Idaho to permit county assessors and tax collectors to employ such deputies and clerical help as the business of their office may require.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO:

Section 1. That section six of article eighteen of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 6. The Legislature, by general and uniform laws, shall provide for the election biennially in each of the several counties of the State, of county commissioners, a sheriff, a county treasurer who is ex-officio public administrator, a probate judge, a county superintendent of public instruction, a county assessor who is ex-officio tax collector, a coroner and surveyor. The clerk of the district court shall be ex-officio auditor and recorder. No other county offices shall be established, but the Legislature by general and uniform laws shall provide for such township, precinct and municipal officers as public convenience may require, and shall prescribe their duties, and fix their terms of office. The Legislature shall provide for the strict accountability of county, township, precinct and municipal officers for all fees which may be collected by them, and for all public and municipal moneys which may be paid to them, or officially come into their possession. The county commissioners may employ counsel when necessary. The sheriff, assessor and tax collector, auditor and recorder, and clerk of the district court shall be empowered by the county commissioners to appoint such deputies and clerical assistance as the business of their office may require, said deputies and clerical assistants to receive such compensation as may be fixed by the county commissioners. No sheriff or county assessor shall be qualified to hold the term of office immediately succeeding the term for which he was elected. The salary and qualifications of the county superintendent shall be fixed by law.

Section 2. The question to be submitted to the electors of the State of Idaho at the next general election shall be as follows: to-wit:

"Shall section six of article eighteen of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended so as to permit county assessors and tax collectors to employ such deputies and clerical help as the business of their office may require?"

Section 3. The Secretary of state is hereby authorized to make publication of this constitutional amendment in each county for at least six consecutive weeks prior to the next general election in not less than one newspaper of general circulation published in each county.

AMENDMENT NO. 11.

House Joint Resolution No. 3.

By SEAWELL and FREEHAFER.

A joint resolution to be submitted to the electors of the State of Idaho for rejection or approval: Proposing the repeal of sections 11 and 21 of article V of the Constitution of Idaho, and proposing amendments to sections 2, 17, 20, and 24 of article V, and section 6 of article XVIII of the Constitution of the State of Idaho: Providing a District Court for each county and extending its jurisdiction to all matters of Probate, and providing for the election and appointment of judges therefor, and their salaries, and the terms of said courts.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO:

Section 1. That Sections 11 and 21 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be and the same are hereby repealed and annulled.

Section 2. That Section 2 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. The judicial powers of the state shall be vested in a court for the trial of impeachments, a supreme court, district courts, courts of justices

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of the peace, and such other courts inferior to the supreme courts as may be established by law for any incorporated city, town or village.

Section 3. That Section 17 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 17. The salary of the justices of the Supreme Court, until otherwise provided by the legislature, shall be four thousand dollars each per annum, and the salary of the judges of the district court shall be as otherwise provided by law, and no justice of the Supreme Court, or judge of the district court, shall be paid his salary, or any part thereof, unless he shall first have taken and subscribed an oath that there is not in his hands any matter in controversy not decided by him which had been finally submitted for his consideration and determination thirty days prior to the taking and subscribing such oath.

Section 4. That section 20 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 20. The district court shall have original jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and in equity, and in all matters of probate, settlement of estates of deceased persons and appointment of guardians, and such appellate jurisdiction as is now and may hereafter be confirmed by law.

Section 5. That Section 24 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 24. Each county in the State of Idaho shall be and constitute a judicial district, and there shall be in each of said counties a district court, for each of which at least one judge shall be elected by the qualified electors of said district at the general state election; Provided, however, That any county, in which the total vote for governor at the last general election was not at least two thousand votes, shall be united with an adjoining county in the election of a judge and there shall be only one judge elected for said united counties until said counties shall each have cast at a general state election at least two thousand votes for

governor, and until said time only one judge shall be elected for the following counties, to-wit: Boise and Ada, one judge; Cassia and Lincoln, one judge; Custer and Lemhi, one judge; Elmore and Blaine, one judge; and Owyhee and Canyon, one judge; Provided further, That when any judicial district shall cast over eight thousand votes for governor at any general state election, an additional judge shall be elected therein for each additional eight thousand votes, or major part thereof, thereafter in said district, any one or more of whom may hold court, and there may be as many sessions of said court, at the same time, as there are judges thereof.

The said judges shall choose from their own number a presiding judge, who may be removed at their pleasure. He shall distribute the business of the court among the judges thereof, and prescribe the order of business. In districts composed of but one county there shall be no terms of court, but the court shall be open continuously for the transaction of business. In districts composed of two counties the judge shall hold the district courts of both of said counties in accordance with such rules for the dispatch of business as he may adopt. The courts shall always be open for the filing of papers, and for the transaction of business. The term of offices of the district judges shall be four years from and after the first Monday of January next after their election. The present incumbent in each judicial district heretofore existing shall be and shall remain till the expiration of his term of office the judge of the new district wherein he resided when elected or appointed. All vacancies created by the adoption of these amendments shall be filled at a special election called by the governor of Idaho, within ten days after the canvass of the returns of the general election at which these amendments are adopted, and held in the said new districts, upon giving notice thereof as provided for a general election, and said judges shall hold said offices until their successors are elected and qualified. The salary of a district judge shall be classified and based upon the vote for governor at the

last general election in his district immediately prior to the beginning of his term of office and shall be classified as follows: In districts having under four thousand votes, two thousand dollars per annum; over four thousand and not more than six thousand votes, two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; over six thousand votes, three thousand dollars per annum; one-half of which salary shall be paid out of the state treasury and the other half of which salary shall be paid out by the county or counties for which he is elected or appointed, and in case where one judge is provided for more than one county, that portion of his salary which is to be paid by the counties shall be apportioned between said counties according to the assessed valuation of their taxable property to be determined by the assessment of the preceding year, and in addition to said salaries there shall be paid in the same way to all district judges the actual and necessary hotel and traveling expenses incurred by them in holding court in counties other than those in which they reside.

Section 6. That Section 6 of Article XVIII of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 6. The legislature by general and uniform laws, shall provide for the election biennially in each of the several counties of the state, of county commissioners; a sheriff; a county treasurer, who is ex-officio public administrator; a county school superintendent of public instruction; a county assessor, who is ex-officio tax collector; a coroner and a surveyor. The clerk of the district court shall be ex-officio auditor and recorder. No other county offices shall be established, but the legislature by general and uniform laws, shall provide for the election of such township, precinct and municipal officers as public convenience may require, and shall prescribe their duties and fix their terms of office. The legislature shall provide for the strict accountability of county, township, precinct and municipal officers for all fees which may be collected by them, and for all public and municipal

moneys, which may be paid to them or officially come into their possession. The county commissioners may employ counsel when necessary. The sheriff, auditor and recorder and clerk of the district court shall be empowered by the county commissioners to appoint such deputies and clerical assistance as the business of their offices may require; said deputies and clerical assistants to receive such compensation as may be fixed by the county commissioners. No sheriff or county assessor shall be qualified to hold the term of office immediately succeeding the term for which he was elected. The salary and qualifications of the county school superintendents shall be fixed by law.

Section 7. These amendments shall become operative on the second Monday of January, 1911, and all cases then pending in the probate courts of said counties and all matters of probate unsettled in said probate courts, together with all the records of said courts shall be transferred at said time to the said district courts of their respective counties.

Section 8. The question to be submitted to electors of the State, at the next general election, shall be in form as follows, to-wit:

Shall sections 11 and 21 of article V of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be repealed and annulled, and sections 2, 17, 20, and 24 of article V, and section 6 of article XVIII of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be so amended as to abolish the probate court and extend the jurisdiction of the district court to all matters of probate and to provide for the election and appointment of judges therefor and their salaries, and to provide for the terms of said courts and establish a system of districts.

Section 9. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized to make publication of these Constitutional amendments in each county for at least six consecutive weeks prior to the next general election in not less than one newspaper of general circulation published in each county.

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