



HOUSE BILL 1034: Town of Stanley Charter Amend./Manager.

2025-2026 General Assembly

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OVERVIEW: *House Bill 1034 would amend the Charter of the Town of Stanley to provide the Town Manager with the authority to hire, suspend, and remove all municipal employees other than the Town Attorney.*

CURRENT LAW: The Town of Stanley was re-chartered by the General Assembly in 1911. Since then, the Charter of the Town of Stanley has been amended several times by acts of the General Assembly and local modifications. Section 9 of the Charter of the Town of Stanley provides that the Town Manager has the authority to hire, suspend, and remove all Town employees other than the Town Attorney, the Town Tax Collector, and the Town Clerk.

BILL ANALYSIS: House Bill 1034 would amend the Charter of the Town of Stanley to provide the Town Manager with the authority to hire, suspend, and remove all municipal employees other than the Town Attorney and make various technical and conforming changes to Section 9 of the Charter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This act would be effective when it becomes law.

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