

~~A municipality may appoint a budget director under the provisions of Section 3-10-10. Municipalities with a population of less than 500,000 may, under the provisions of Section 8-2-8.1, appoint a budget officer, and by following that portion of the statutes, can eliminate appropriation ordinances. Such a community is also empowered to appoint a municipal purchasing agent (Section 3-6-4). Some of the offices mentioned above have their duties spelled out with some detail. For example, the duties of the comptroller are specifically set forth in Section 3-11-24. The corporate authorities may create the office of collector and provide that it be either an appointive or elective position (Section 3-4-19 and Section 3-7-1). The collector receives revenue from sources other than taxes and pays it over to the treasurer (Section 3-11-25). The collector also publishes the notices required under the Local Improvement Act and keeps the Special Assessment Warrant books and has other duties in the special assessment area (Section 9-2-79 through Section 9-2-85). Section 3-11-28 provides that in any city having a population of less than one million, where the city council has provided for the appointment of a city collector, the council may provide by ordinance that the clerk shall hold the office of city collector. (To same effect, Village, Section 3-8-3).~~

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#### ~~C. [4.15] Qualifications for Office~~

~~Section 3-1-1 provides that all officers elected or appointed under Article III, Article IV, and Article V, unless otherwise provided for, are subject to the provisions of Article III. One of the provisions of Article III is Section 3-14-1 which provides that no person shall be eligible to any municipal office unless he is a qualified elector of the municipality, has resided therein at least one year next preceding his election or appointment, and is not a defaulter to the municipality. This section specifically provides that it does not apply to the municipal engineer, health officers, or other officers who require technical training or knowledge. Nor does it apply to the city attorney.~~

#### ~~D. [4.16] Commission, Manager, and Strong Mayor Forms of Government~~

~~The peculiarities of appointed officials in the commission, manager and strong mayor forms of government is treated later in this~~