



OHIO CONSTITUTIONAL MODERNIZATION COMMISSION

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November 12, 2015

Ohio Statehouse
Room 017

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COORDINATING COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2015

4:00 P.M.

OHIO STATEHOUSE ROOM 017

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - Meeting of October 8, 2015
[Draft Minutes – attached]
- IV. Reports and Recommendations
 - Article I, Section 20 (Powers Reserved to the People)
 - Presentation
 - Discussion
 - **Action Item: Consideration and Adoption**
- V. Presentations
 - Status report of Education, Public Institutions, and Local Government Committee

Chad Readler, Chair

[Planning Worksheet – attached]

➤ Status report of Legislative Branch and Executive Branch Committee

Fred Mills, Chair

[Planning Worksheet – attached]

VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

VIII. Public Comment

IX. Adjourn



OHIO CONSTITUTIONAL MODERNIZATION COMMISSION

MINUTES OF THE COORDINATING COMMITTEE

FOR THE MEETING HELD
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015

Call to Order:

Chair Kathleen Trafford called the meeting of the Coordinating Committee to order at 12:40 p.m.

Members Present:

A quorum was present with Chair Trafford, Vice-chair Davidson, and committee members Coley, Fischer, and Obhof in attendance.

Approval of Minutes:

The minutes of the July 9, 2015 meeting of the committee were approved.

Reports and Recommendations:

Chad Readler, chair of the Education, Public Institutions, and Local Government Committee, provided a review of two reports and recommendations issued by that committee.

Article VI, Section 1 (Funds for Religious and Educational Purposes)

The first report and recommendation presented was on Article VI, Section 1 (Funds for Religious and Educational Purposes). Mr. Readler pointed out that Article VI, Section 1, dealing with the funds deriving from the sale or other disposition of lands or other property granted or entrusted to the state for educational or religious purposes, dates back to the Northwest Ordinance, and helped establish the importance of education to the state. He said the provision related to tracts of land that were set aside in each township for educational or religious purposes. Mr. Readler pointed out that the section gives the General Assembly discretion to use or dispose of funds deriving from these lands, with some lands still providing revenue to local school districts for educational purposes. In the report and recommendation the Education, Public Institutions, and Local Government Committee concludes that Article VI, Section 1 should be retained in its current form.

Chair Trafford reminded the members of the committee that the purpose of their review of reports and recommendations issued by subject matter committees is limited to form and completeness and not as to substance.

Upon motion by Judge Pat Fischer, with a second by Vice-chair Davidson, the committee voted unanimously to approve the report and recommendation for Article VI, Section 1.

Article VI, Section 2 (School Funds)

The second report and recommendation presented by Mr. Readler was on Article VI, Section 2 (School Funds). Mr. Readler noted that this section requires the General Assembly to act to secure a “thorough and efficient” system of public education across the state, and that it was the first of many similar provisions to be placed in the constitutions of other states. He said there had been many presentations to the Education, Public Institutions, and Local Government Committee on this section, particularly the “thorough and efficient” requirement contained in the body of the section. Mr. Readler noted the report and recommendation sets forth the committee’s conclusion that the provision should be retained in its current form.

Upon motion by Sen. Coley, which was seconded by Senator Larry Obhof, the committee voted unanimously to approve the report and recommendation for Article VI, Section 2.

Adjournment:

With no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Approval:

The minutes of the October 8, 2015 meeting of the Coordinating Committee were approved at the November 12, 2015 meeting of the committee.

Kathleen M. Trafford, Chair

Jo Ann Davidson, Vice-chair



OHIO CONSTITUTIONAL MODERNIZATION COMMISSION

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS AND VOTING COMMITTEE

OHIO CONSTITUTION ARTICLE I, SECTION 20

POWERS RESERVED TO THE PEOPLE

The Bill of Rights and Voting Committee of the Ohio Constitutional Modernization Commission issues this report and recommendation regarding Article I, Section 20 of the Ohio Constitution concerning powers that are reserved to or retained by the people. It is issued pursuant to Rule 8.2 of the Ohio Constitutional Modernization Commission's Rules of Procedure and Conduct.

Recommendation

The committee recommends that no change be made to Article I, Section 20 of the Ohio Constitution and that the provision be retained in its current form.

Background

Article I, Section 20 reads as follows:

This enumeration of rights shall not be construed to impair or deny others retained by the people, and all powers, not herein delegated, remain with the people.

Adopted as part of the 1851 Ohio Constitution, the provision was preceded by Article VIII, Section 28 of the 1802 constitution, which reads:

To guard against the transgressions of the high powers which we have delegated, we declare that all powers not hereby delegated remain with the people.

The Bill of Rights as set forth in Article I is a declaration of rights and liberties similar to those contained in the United States Constitution.

Mirroring language from both the Ninth and Tenth Amendments to the United States Constitution, Section 20 has been viewed as lacking much legal force other than expressing the view that the powers of the government are derived from the people.¹ Despite the textual similarities to the federal amendments, Ohio courts have generally not looked to federal law in

interpreting Section 20. In part, this is because there is little United States Supreme Court guidance on the meaning of the Ninth Amendment and because the Tenth Amendment does not address the relationship between the individual and the state.

The Ninth Amendment states:

The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

The Ninth Amendment has been the subject of much scholarly commentary but little judicial construction. For example, constitutional scholars have variously interpreted the Ninth Amendment as preserving natural rights that were recognized in 1791 or that changed over time, as incorporating rights contained in state constitutions and the common law, and as supporting federalism and the autonomy of local government.² More importantly, the U.S. Supreme Court has been reluctant to offer much guidance as to the meaning of the Amendment. For example, the most noteworthy reliance on the Ninth Amendment by the Court was in a concurring opinion by Justice Goldberg in *Griswold v. Connecticut*, 381 U.S. 479, 486 (1965). In agreeing with the decision striking down the Connecticut limitation on birth control, Justice Goldberg concluded that a right of privacy in a marital relationship is a right retained by the people because the Ninth Amendment was meant to protect individual rights that otherwise were not listed in the Bill of Rights. However, despite Justice Goldberg's concurrence, the Court has not provided an authoritative construction of the amendment.³ Instead, the Court has preferred to rely on the liberty provision of the Fourteenth Amendment when dealing with unenumerated rights.⁴ As a result, Ohio courts are unable to rely on Ninth Amendment jurisprudence to give meaning to Section 20.

The Tenth Amendment provides:

The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

The Tenth Amendment initially addresses the relationship between federal and state power. The Court once famously noted that “[t]he amendment states but a truism that all is retained which has not been surrendered.” *United States v. Darby*, 312 U.S. 100, 124 (1941). In more recent years, however, the Court has utilized the Tenth Amendment to limit federal actions that commandeered state institutions. For example, the Court has held that Congress cannot require a state to choose between expanding Medicaid or losing all Medicaid-related federal funding (*Natl. Fedn. of Indep. Business v. Sebelius*, ___ U.S. ___, 132 S.Ct. 2566 (2012)); cannot require a state to choose between storing toxic waste or passing a regulatory scheme designed by Congress (*New York v. United States*, 505 U.S. 144 (1992)); and cannot require state police officers to perform background checks of prospective handgun purchasers (*Printz v. United States*, 521 U.S. 898 (1997)).

Although the Court has given some meaning to the first portion of the Tenth Amendment, it has not done the same for the final “reserved to the people” language of the amendment. Thus, the Tenth Amendment does not provide guidance as to the proper construction of Section 20.

Despite the absence of guidance from the federal constitution, a source of guidance could come from the constitutions of other states. Some state constitutions adopted prior to the federal constitution contained inherent or natural rights clauses,⁵ and today a majority of states have unenumerated powers clauses. State courts have adopted a variety of approaches when interpreting these provisions, with decisions ranging from those assigning little significance to them to those concluding that they protect a variety of unenumerated rights.

Amendments, Proposed Amendments, and Other Review

Article I, Section 20 has not been amended since its adoption as part of the 1851 Ohio Constitution.⁶ The 1970s Ohio Constitutional Revision Commission did not recommend any changes to this section.⁷

Litigation Involving the Provision

Ohio courts generally have not dealt with Section 20, with the major decision construing it being over 100 years old. In 1876, the Ohio Supreme Court stated that the section “only declares that powers not delegated remain with the people. It does not purport to limit or modify delegated powers.” *State ex rel. Atty. Gen. v. Covington*, 29 Ohio St. 102, 112 (1876). In that case, the General Assembly passed a law calling for the state to select the police commissioners of Cincinnati. Arguing the law was unconstitutional under Section 20, respondents argued that at the time of adoption of the 1851 constitution, the power to appoint a police board was local. Thus, because the power had not been delegated to the General Assembly, it was to remain with the people. The Court rejected this argument, stating:

By such interpretation of the constitution, the body of law in force at the time of its adoption would have become as permanent and unchangeable as the constitution itself. For such argument would apply with equal force to every subject of legislation concerning which no special direction is contained in the constitution. Indeed, the true rule for ascertaining the powers of the legislature is to assume its power under the general grant ample for any enactment within the scope of legislation, unless restrained by the terms or the reason of some express inhibition.

Id. at 113-14.

Other Ohio Supreme Court decisions generally cite Section 20 only in conjunction with other sections of the Bill of Rights. *See, e.g., Mirick v. Gims*, 79 Ohio St. 174, 86 N.E. 880 (1908)(applying Section 20 and Article II, Section 28 to conclude that the police powers of the state are limited by the Declaration of Rights such that they may not be exercised in an

unreasonable or arbitrary manner). As such, Section 20 has not been considered as containing any particular rights not otherwise found in the Ohio Constitution.

Currently, Section 20 generally is only raised in death penalty *habeas corpus* cases in which the defendant argues his or her trial violated multiple state and federal constitutional rights. However, no court has relied on Section 20 to overturn a conviction. *See, e.g., State v. Mack*, 8th Dist. No. 101261, 2015-Ohio-2149, 2015 Ohio App. LEXIS 2075, 2015 WL 3560451; *Lang v. Bobby*, 2015 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 39365, 2015 WL 1423490 (N.D. Ohio).

Presentations and Resources Considered

There were no presentations to the committee on this provision.

Conclusion

The Bill of Rights and Voting Committee concludes that Article I, Section 20 should be retained in its current form.

Date Adopted

After formal consideration by the Bill of Rights and Voting Committee on November 12, 2015 and _____, the committee voted to adopt this report and recommendation on _____.

Endnotes

¹ Steven H. Steinglass and Gino J. Scarselli, *The Ohio State Constitution* 125 (2nd prtg. 2011).

² Ryan C. Williams, *The Ninth Amendment as a Rule of Construction*, 111 Columbia L. Rev. 498, 500 (2011).

³ *See, e.g., Kurt T. Lash, The Lost Jurisprudence of the Ninth Amendment*, 83 Texas L.Rev. 597, 708-709 (2005).

⁴ *Id.* at 714.

⁵ *See, e.g., Pa. Const. of 1776, Art. I, Declaration of Rights* (“That all men are born equally free and independent, and have certain natural, inherent and inalienable rights, amongst which are, the enjoying and defending of life and liberty, acquiring, possessing and protecting property, and pursuing and obtaining happiness and safety.”); *Va. Bill of Rights of 1776, Section 1* (“That all men * * * have certain inherent rights [that] cannot, by any compact, deprive or divest their posterity; namely, the enjoyment of life and liberty, with the means of acquiring and possessing property and pursuing and obtaining happiness and safety.”).

⁶ Steinglass & Scarselli, *supra*.

⁷ Ohio Constitutional Revision Commission (1970-77), *Recommendations for Amendments to the Ohio Constitution, Part 11, The Bill of Rights*, 50-51 (Apr. 15, 1976), <http://www.lsc.ohio.gov/ocrc/recommendations%20pt11%20bill%20of%20rights.pdf>, (last visited Oct. 5, 2015).

See also Ohio Constitutional Revision Commission, Recommendations for Amendments to the Ohio Constitution, Final Report, Index to Proceedings and Research, Appendix K, 478-79 (June 30, 1977), <http://www.lsc.ohio.gov/ocrc/final%20report%20index%20to%20proceedings%20and%20research.pdf> (last visited Oct. 5, 2015).

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Education, Public Institutions, and Local Government Committee

**Planning Worksheet
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Article VI - Education

Sec. 1 – Funds for religious and educational purposes (1851, am. 1968)

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Sec. 2 – School funds (1851)

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Sec. 3 – Public school system, boards of education (1912)

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Sec. 4 – State board of education (1912, am. 1953)

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| Sec. 5 – Loans for higher education (1965) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 6 – Tuition credits program (1994) | | | | | | | |
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Article VII - Public Institutions

| Sec. 1 – Insane, blind, and deaf and dumb (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 2 – Directors of penitentiary, trustees of benevolent and other state institutions; how appointed (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 3 – Vacancies, in directorships of state institutions (1851) | | | | | | | |
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Article X - County and Township Organization

| Sec. 1 – Organization and government of counties; county home rule; submission (1933) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 2 – Township officers; election; power (1933) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 3 – County charters; approval by voters (1933, am. 1957) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 4 – County charter commission; election, etc. (1933, am. 1978) | | | | | | | |
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Article XV - Miscellaneous**Sec. 1 – Seat of government (1851)**

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Sec. 3 – Receipts and expenditures; publication of state financial statements (1851)

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Sec. 4 – Officers to be qualified electors (1851, am. 1913, 1953)

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Sec. 6 – Lotteries, charitable bingo, casino gaming (1851, am. 1973, 1975, 1987, 2009, 2010)

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| Sec. 7 – Oath of officers (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 10 – Civil service (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 11 – Marriage (2004) | | | | | | | |
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Article XVIII - Municipal Corporations

Sec. 1 – Classification of cities and villages (1912)

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Sec. 2 – General laws for incorporation and government of municipalities; additional laws; referendum (1912)

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Sec. 3 – Municipal powers of local self-government (1912)

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Sec. 4 – Acquisition of public utility; contract for service; condemnation (1912)

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| Sec. 5 – Referendum on acquiring or operating municipal utility (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 6 – Sale of surplus product of municipal utility (1912, am. 1959) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 7 – Home rule; municipal charter (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 8 – Submission and adoption of proposed charter; referendum (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 9 – Amendments to charter; referendum (1912, am. 1970) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 10 – Appropriation in excess of public use (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 11 – Assessments for cost of appropriating property (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 12 – Bonds for public utilities (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 13 – Taxation, debts, reports, and accounts (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 14 Municipal elections (1912) | | | | | | | |
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Legislative Branch and Executive Branch Committee

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Article II - Legislative

| Sec. 2 – Election and term of state legislators (1967, am. 1992) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 3 – Residence requirements for state legislators (1851, am. 1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 4 – Dual office and conflict of interest prohibited (1851, am. 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 5 – Who shall not hold office (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 6 – Powers of each house (1851, am. 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 7 – Organization of each house of the General Assembly (1851, am. 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 8 – Sessions of the General Assembly (1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 9 – House and Senate Journals (yeas and nays) (1851, am. 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 10 – Rights of members to protest (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 11 – Filling vacancy in House or Senate (1851, am. 1961, 1968, 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 12 – Privilege of members from arrest, and of speech (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 13 – Legislative sessions to be public; exceptions (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 14 – Power of adjournment (1851, am. 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 15 – How bill shall be passed (1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 16 – Bills to be signed by governor; veto (1851, am. 1903, 1912, 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 20 – Term of office, and compensation of officers in certain cases (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 21 – Contested elections (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 22 – Appropriations (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 23 – Impeachments; how instituted and conducted (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 24 – Officers liable to impeachment; consequences (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 26 – Laws to have a uniform operation (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 27 – Election and appointment of officers; filling vacancies (1851, am. 1953) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 28 – Retroactive laws (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 29 – No extra compensation; exceptions (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 30 – New counties (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 31 – Compensation of members and officers of the General Assembly (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 32 – Divorces and judicial power (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 33 – Mechanics' and contractors' liens (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 34 – Welfare of employees (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 34a – Minimum Wage (2006) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 35 – Workers' compensation (1912, am. 1923) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 36 – Conservation of natural resources (1912, am. 1973) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 37 – Workday and workweek on public projects (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 38 – Removal of officials for misconduct (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 39 – Regulating expert testimony in criminal trials (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 40 – Registering and warranting land titles (1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 41 – Prison labor (1912, am. 1978) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 42 – Continuity of government operations in emergencies caused by enemy attack (1961) | | | | | | | |
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Article III - Executive**Sec. 1 – Executive department; key state officers (1851, am. 1885)**

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Sec. 1a – Joint vote cast for governor and lieutenant (1976)

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Sec. 1b – Lieutenant governor duties assigned by governor (1976)

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Sec. 2 – Term of office of key state officers (1851, am. 1954, 1992)

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| Sec. 3 – Counting votes for key state officers (1851, am. 1976) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 5 – Executive power vested in governor (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 6 – Governor to see that laws executed; may require written information (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 7 – Governor’s annual message to General Assembly; recommendations for legislators (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 8 – Governor may convene special session of legislature with limited purposes (1851, am. 1912) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 9 – When Governor may adjourn the legislature (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 10 – Governor is commander-in-chief of militia (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 11 – Governor may grant reprieves, commutations and pardons (1851, am. 1995) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 12 – Seal of the state, and by whom kept (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 13 – How grants and commissions issued (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 14 – Who is ineligible for governor (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 15 – Succession in case of vacancy in office of governor (1976) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 17 – If a vacancy shall occur while executing the office of governor, who shall act (1976) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 17a – Filling a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor (1989) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 18 – Governor to fill vacancies in key state offices (1851, am. 1969) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 19 – Compensation of key state officers (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 20 – Annual report of executive officers (1851) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 21 – Appointments to office; advice and consent of Senate (1961) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 22 – Supreme Court to determine disability of governor or governor elect; succession (1976) | | | | | | | |
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Article IX - Militia

Sec. 1 – Who shall perform military duty (1851, am. 1953, 1961)

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Sec. 3 – Appointment of militia officers (1851, am. 1961)

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Sec. 4 – Power of governor to call forth militia (1851, am. 1961)

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Sec. 5 – Public arms; arsenals (1851)

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Article XI - Apportionment

Sec. 1 – Persons responsible for apportionment of state for members of General Assembly (1967)

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Sec. 2 – Ratio of representation in house and senate (1967)

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Sec. 3 – Population of each House of Representatives district (1967)

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Sec. 4 – Population of each Senate district (1967)

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| Sec. 5 – Representation for each house and senate district (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 6 – Creation of district boundaries; change at end of decennial period (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 7 – Boundary lines of House and Representatives districts (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 8 – Determination of number of House of Representatives districts within each county | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 9 – When population of county is fraction of ratio of representation (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 10 – Division of state into house districts; standards (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 11 – Senate districts; formation (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 12 – Term of senators on change of district boundaries of Senate (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 13 – Jurisdiction of Supreme Court, effect of determination of unconstitutionality; apportionment (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 14 – Continuation of present district boundaries (1967) | | | | | | | |
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| Sec. 15 – Severability provision (1967) | | | | | | | |
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Article XIV - Ohio Livestock Care Standards Board (2009)

| Sec. 1 – Ohio Livestock Care Standards Board (2009) | | | | | | | |
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