

**CHAPTER 2.80
POLICE CIVIL SERVICE**

Sections:

- 2.80.010 Moses Lake Civil Service System
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- 2.80.010 Moses Lake Civil Service System: Pursuant to the authority conferred upon the City of Moses Lake by RCW Chapter 41.12, there is recreated and there shall exist a Civil Service system, which will have rules and/or regulations which substantially accomplish the purposes of RCW Chapter 41.12 concerning among other things but not limited to the selection, appointment, and employment of individuals in the Police Department of the city, except for the position of Police Chief, which is excluded by the authority contained in RCW 41.12.050 and further, specifically excepting non-commissioned positions in the Police Department including but not limited to secretaries, clerks, dispatchers, and utility officers. (Ord. 1413, 1990; Ord. 1408, 1989; Ord. 1228, 1986)
- 2.80.020 Composition: Such Commission shall be composed of three (3) members, who shall be appointed by the City Manager and who shall serve without compensation. Such Commissioners shall have the qualifications as prescribed by RCW 41.12.030. The term of a member who ceases to reside within the corporate limits of the city shall terminate.
- 2.80.030 Duties: This Civil Services Commission, upon appointment, qualification, and organization, shall hold meetings, perform duties and adopt rules and/or regulations which substantially accomplish the purposes of RCW Chapter 41.12 for covered commissioned police officers and specifically excepting the position of Police Chief and all other non-commissioned positions including but not limited to secretaries, clerks, dispatchers, and utility officers. This Commission is specifically granted the authority and power in the place and stead of the City Council to adopt and enforce its rules and/or regulations which substantially accomplish the purpose of RCW Chapter 41.12 which is in the best interests of the city. (Ord. 2518, 8/25/09; Ord. 1413, 1990; Ord. 1408, 1989; Ord. 1228, 1986)