HB 593 -- Peace Officer Residency Requirements

Sponsor: Portwood

This bill prohibits the Board of Police Commissioners in the City of St. Louis from requiring peace officers to reside within the city limits after the person has been employed for four consecutive years as a peace officer. The board may require officers to live within the state and may offer incentives to encourage them to live within the city, but may not discriminate against them based on their residency.