

Chapter 57 INSURANCE

ARTICLE I Workers' Compensation

[The town voted at the 9-1-1939 STM, Art. 2, to accept the provisions of M.G.L.A. C. 152, and that the terms "laborers," "workermen" and "mechanics," as used in §§ 69 to 75, inclusive, shall include such other employees, except members of the Police or Fire Departments, regardless of the nature of the work, as may be employed on highway work to be done.

At the 7-25-1981 STM, Art. 4, the town voted to accept the provisions of the Massachusetts General Laws to provide payment of Workmen's Compensation benefits in the manner and to the extent provided in M.G.L.A. C. 152, § 69, as amended by Ch. 401 of the Acts of 1966, to those employees of the town who receive injuries arising out of and in the course of their employment or to those persons entitled thereto in case of death resulting from such injuries. The term "employees of the town" shall include all employees of the town, regardless of the nature of their work, except members of the Police and Fire Force. The term "employees of the town" shall also include such elected or appointed officers of the town, except Selectmen or members of the Police and Fire Force.

The town voted at the 12-5-1988 STM, Art. 7, to accept M.G.L.A. C. 152, §§ 69 through 75, inclusive.]

ARTICLE II Life, Accidental Death and Dismemberment, Hospital and Medical

[The town voted at the 2-5-1956 ATM, Art. 16, to accept M.G.L.A. C. 32B, authorizing the town to provide a plan of group life insurance, group accidental death and dismemberment insurance and general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance for certain members in the service of the town and their dependents.

The town voted at the 2-1-1960 ATM, Art. 15, to vote by ballot on M.G.L.A. C. 32B, § 9A, to see if the town shall pay one-half (1/2) the premium costs payable by a retired employee for group life insurance and for group general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance. This was passed on the ballot.

At the 7-25-1981 STM, Art. 2, the town voted to increase benefits of group life, permanent disability and accidental death insurance pay from two thousand dollars (\$2,000.) to five thousand dollars (\$5,000.) for active employees.]

GENERAL REFERENCES

Indemnification of officers and employees — See Ch. 54.

Pensions — See Ch. 65.