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In 2010, Richfield was allowed to impose a time response residency requirement on firefighters hired after April 2, 2010 (the effective date of the 2010 law), subject to other conditions. The law expires in April 2017. This bill extends the effective period of the law to December 31, 2026.

Under general law, residency requirements for public employees are prohibited. Outside the metropolitan area, time response residency requirements are allowed.