

SAMPLE BALLOT FRONT

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Petersburg Borough, Alaska MUNICIPAL ELECTION OCTOBER 3, 2017

Completely fill in the oval next to the name of each candidate for which you wish to vote as shown: 

MAYOR One 2 Year Term (Vote for no more than 1)

- ☐ Mark L. Jensen
☐ Cindi Lagoudakis

ASSEMBLY Two 3 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 2)

- ☐ Richard Burke
☐ Ken Hamilton
☐ Bob Lynn
☐ Brandi Marohl
☐ Jeff Meucci
☐ William Ware

SCHOOL BOARD One 3 Year Term (Vote for no more than 1)

- No Candidate Filed
☐ Write-in _____

SCHOOL BOARD One 2 Year Term (Vote for no more than 1)

- ☐ Sarah Pawuk Holmgrain
☐ Write-in _____

HOSPITAL BOARD Two 3 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 2)

- No Candidate Filed
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____

HOSPITAL BOARD Three 2 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 3)

- ☐ George S. Doyle
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____

PLANNING COMMISSION Three 3 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 3)

- ☐ Chris Fry
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____

PLANNING COMMISSION One 1 Year Term (Vote for no more than 1)

- No Candidate Filed
☐ Write-in _____

HARBORS AND PORTS ADVISORY BOARD Three 3 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 3)

- ☐ Michael Bangs
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____

LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD Three 3 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 3)

- ☐ Cynthia McDonell
☐ Marilyn Menish-Meucci
☐ Lizzie Thompson
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____

PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD Two 3 Year Terms (Vote for no more than 2)

- ☐ Stan Hjort
☐ Write-in _____
☐ Write-in _____

PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD One 1 Year Term (Vote for no more than 1)

- No Candidate Filed
☐ Write-in _____

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PETERSBURG BOROUGH - BALLOT PROPOSITIONS

Completely fill in one oval next to the answer of your choice for each proposition as shown: ☐

Proposition #1

Allowing the City of Kupreanof to Own and Operate a Harbor Facility Within the Petersburg Borough

Shall the Petersburg Borough Charter be amended to allow the City of Kupreanof to own and operate a harbor facility within the Petersburg Borough?

☐ YES

☐ NO

Proposition #2

Increasing the Single Sale Exemption Cap

Shall the Petersburg Borough Code Chapter 4.28, entitled Sales Tax, be amended to increase the sales tax exemption cap for a single sale of goods or services within the Petersburg Borough from \$1,200 to \$1,500?

☐ YES

☐ NO

A Yes vote means that a buyer will pay Petersburg Borough sales tax on the first \$1,500 of any single purchase.

A No vote means that a buyer will continue to pay Petersburg Borough sales tax on the first \$1,200 of any single purchase.

A single purchase includes all goods purchased from a single retailer at the same time or within a 24-hour period, or all services purchased within a 30-day period for a specific job or task.

Proposition #3

Limiting the Sales Tax Exemption for Sales of Goods for Use Outside the Borough

Shall the Petersburg Borough Code Chapter 4.28, entitled Sales Tax, be amended to limit the exemption for sales of goods to be used outside the borough to those ordered either online or by telephone or mail from outside the borough, to a buyer who resides or has its principal place of business outside the borough, and the goods are delivered to the buyer at a location outside the borough via common carrier or the U.S. Postal Service?

☐ YES

☐ NO

A Yes vote will limit the exemption only to sales made to nonresident buyers not physically present in the borough at the time of the sale, placing the order from outside the borough either online or by telephone or mail, where the goods purchased will be delivered for use outside of the borough.

A No vote means that all sales made within the borough by a nonresident buyer who is physically present in the borough at the time of the sale, where the goods purchased will be delivered for use outside of the borough, will continue to be exempt from Petersburg Borough sales tax.

Proposition #4

Use of up to \$500,000 of the Economic Fund Towards Cost Sharing the Development of a Small Vessel Haul Out and Work Yard at Scow Bay

Shall the Petersburg Borough be authorized to spend up to a total of \$500,000 from the Borough Economic Fund for local cost sharing necessary to develop a small vessel haul out and work yard at the Scow Bay Turnaround? Additional funding needed for the project would be sought from federal and state granting agencies.

☐ YES

☐ NO

Proposition #5

To Provide a Qualified Exemption from Municipal Real Property Taxation for Structures Containing Approved Fire Protection Systems

Shall two percent (2%) of the assessed value of structures containing approved fire protections systems be exempt from municipal real property taxation?

☐ YES

☐ NO

An exemption under this provision would be limited to an amount that does not exceed two percent of the value of the structure based on the assessment (1) for 1981, if the fire protection system was a fixture of the structure on January 1, 1981, or (2) as of January 1 of the year immediately following the installation of the fire protection system, if the fire protection system became a fixture of the structure after January 1, 1981.

Proposition #6

Permitting the Operation of Off-Highway Vehicles on Certain Streets Within the Borough - Proposed by Initiative Petition #2017-01

This ordinance would amend the Borough Code to specifically permit operation of off-highway vehicles (not including snowmobiles) on Borough-owned and maintained streets subject to specific operating rules and other requirements, and to establish fines for noncompliance. This ordinance would require Borough registration of off-highway vehicles to be operated on Mitkof Island. This ordinance would not permit operation of off-highway vehicles on Mitkof Highway, South Nordic Drive or Haugen Drive.

Should this ordinance be enacted into law?

☐ YES

☐ NO

Proposition #7

Prohibiting the Addition of Fluoride to the Borough Public Water System - Proposed by Initiative Petition #2017-02

The Petersburg Borough currently adds fluoride to its public water supply. This ordinance would prohibit the Borough from continuing to fluoridate the public water supply.

Should this ordinance be enacted into law?

☐ YES

☐ NO