



**MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
CONCURRENT WITH THE REGULAR ELECTION
APRIL 4, 2023**

A special election of the Municipality of Anchorage will be held on Tuesday, April 4, 2023, concurrently with the regular election, to vote on a general obligation bond package for Anchorage Parks and Recreation Service Area Capital Improvements. The election is a vote at home/vote by-mail election. Traditional polling places will not be open and are not an option for voting on Election Day. Voters may vote in person at the Anchorage Vote Center or call the Voter Hotline at 907-243-VOTE (8683) for other options to vote.

Ballot packages will be mailed to qualified, registered voters at least twenty-one (21) days before Election Day. Registered voters of the State of Alaska who reside within the Municipality of Anchorage are eligible to vote in this election. The last day to register to vote or update your voter registration record is 30 days preceding the election or Sunday, March 5, 2023. Voters should follow the instructions included in the ballot package and follow these three steps: 1. Vote your ballot. Place your voted ballot into the secrecy sleeve and place the secrecy sleeve into your ballot return envelope. 2. Read and sign the voter declaration on the back of the ballot return envelope. 3. Return your ballot envelope in one of three ways: voters may (1) place the ballot return envelope in a Secure Drop Box located within the Municipality; (2) mail the ballot return envelope by using first class postage through the United States Postal Service; or (3) bring the ballot return envelope to one of three Anchorage Vote Centers.

Voters may vote in person or obtain the following services at the Anchorage Vote Center: turn in a mailed ballot return envelope containing a voted ballot, receive and vote a ballot package, vote a questioned ballot, receive voting assistance, and get help with other voter questions.

Anchorage Vote Center Hours and Locations

<p>ZJ Loussac Library 3600 Denali Street, First Floor <i>All Municipal ballots will be available at this location.</i> Weekdays, March 27 – April 3, 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday, April 1, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sunday, April 2, Noon – 5:00 p.m. Election Day, April 4, 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. <i>Use Bus Routes 25, 85</i></p>	<p>City Hall 632 West 6th Avenue, Room #105 <i>All Municipal ballots will be available at this location.</i> Weekdays, March 27 – April 3, 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday, April 1, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sunday, April 2, Noon – 5:00 p.m. Election Day, April 4, 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. <i>Use Bus Routes 10, 11, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 41, 85, 92</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Eagle River Town Center Same building as the Library 12001 Business Boulevard, Community Room #170 <i>Only Chugiak-Eagle River ballots will be available at this location.</i> Weekdays, March 27 – April 3, 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday, April 1, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Sunday, April 2, Noon – 5:00 p.m. Election Day, April 4, 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. <i>Use Bus Route 92</i></p>	

Secure Drop Boxes will be in place on March 14 for voters to return their ballot at any time before 8:00 p.m. on Election Day. For information and maps of the eighteen Secure Drop Boxes and the three Anchorage Vote Centers, visit muni.org/elections/dropbox.

Secure Ballot Drop Box Locations
Boxes are open 24/7 beginning March 14, 2023 through 8:00 p.m. on April 4, 2023

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anchorage School District Education Center, 5530 E. Northern Lights Boulevard - <i>Use Bus Route 10</i> • Bartlett High School, 1101 Golden Bear Drive - <i>Use Bus Route 25</i> • Begich Middle School, 7440 Creekside Center Drive - <i>Use Bus Routes 10, 25, 30, 31</i> • City Hall Parking Lot, 632 W. 6th Avenue - <i>Use Bus Routes 10, 11, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 41, 85, 92</i> • Clark Middle School, 150 Bragaw Street - <i>Use Bus Routes 20, 21</i> • Dimond High School, 2909 W. 88th Avenue - <i>Use Bus Route 65</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Girdwood Community Center, 250 Eglhoff Drive • Loussac Library, 3600 Denali Street - <i>Use Bus Routes 25, 85</i> • O'Malley's on the Green, 3651 O'Malley Road • Planning and Development Center (MOA Permit Center), 4700 Elmore Road - <i>Use Bus Route 25</i> • Service High School, 5577 Abbott Road • South Anchorage High School, 13400 Elmore Road • Spenard Community Recreation Center, 2020 W. 48th Avenue
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eagle River Town Center, 12001 Business Boulevard - <i>Use Bus Route 92</i> • Election Center, 619 E. Ship Creek Avenue • Fairview Community Recreation Center, 1121 E. 10th Avenue - <i>Use Bus Route 11</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UAA Alaska Airlines Center, 3550 Providence Drive - <i>Use Bus Routes 10, 20, 55</i> • West High School, 1700 Hillcrest Drive - <i>Use Bus Routes 10, 40, 85</i>
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THE PROPOSITION TO BE VOTED ON IN THIS SPECIAL ELECTION RUNNING CONCURRENTLY WITH THE REGULAR ELECTION ON APRIL 4, 2023 IS:

**PROPOSITION NO. A
ANCHORAGE PARKS AND RECREATION
SERVICE AREA CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS**

For the purpose of renovating and rehabilitating trails and parks, and making improvements at various parks and recreational facilities in the Anchorage Parks and Recreation Service Area, as provided in AO 2023-2(S), As Amended, shall Anchorage borrow money and issue up to \$3,950,000 in principal amount of general obligation bonds and increase the municipal tax cap by an annual amount not to exceed \$195,000 to pay for associated annual operations and maintenance costs?

Voter approval of this bond proposition authorizes for each \$100,000 of assessed taxable property value (based on the estimated 2023 assessed valuation in the Anchorage Parks and Recreation Service Area): (i) an annual increase in taxes of approximately \$0.96 to retire the proposed bonds, and (ii) an annual increase in the municipal tax cap (Charter 14.03(b)(2)) of approximately \$0.62 to pay for annual operation and maintenance costs related to the proposed capital improvements.

The debt shall be paid from real and personal property taxes levied and collected within the Anchorage Parks and Recreation Service Area, without cost to properties in Chugiak, Eagle River, Girdwood, and other areas outside the Service Area. The Municipality will also pledge its full faith and credit for payment of the bonds. (AO 2023-2(S), As Amended)

Other information about the April 4, 2023 Special Municipal Election

Instructions for registration: An individual may register to vote at any library within the Municipality, the State of Alaska Region II Election Office, the Municipal Clerk’s Office, the MOA Election Center, or the State Division of Motor Vehicles. To be a qualified voter, the individual must reside in Anchorage and be registered to vote 30 days before the election. **The last day to register** is Sunday, March 5, 2023, for the April 4, 2023, Regular Municipal Election.

Ballots mailed to temporary mailing address, in person voting, and other options for voting: Ballots going to an address other than the mailing address of record, formerly called absentee ballots, will be mailed to voters at a temporary mailing address on March 13, 2023, for all voters who submit temporary address applications by March 3, 2023. Otherwise, applications for ballots to be mailed to a temporary address should be submitted to MOA Elections or the Municipal Clerk’s Office as soon as possible but no later than March 28, 2023. Temporary Address applications are available by visiting MOA Elections’ website at muni.org/tempaddress or by contacting MOA Elections at 907-243-VOTE (8683). **In person voting** is available at Anchorage Vote Centers beginning on Monday, March 27 through April 4, 2023. Weekday hours are 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Weekend hours are 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and noon to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Anchorage Vote Centers will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, April 4, 2023. If you will be unable to receive a mailed ballot package between March 14 and April 4, please call the Voter Hotline at 907-243-VOTE (8683) to learn about other voting options.

Description of precinct boundaries: Because the litigation regarding the State of Alaska 2021 Redistricting Plan was not concluded prior to preparations for this election, descriptions of the election district precinct boundaries’ have not been finalized in the Alaska Administrative Code. In the meantime, election district voting precincts are depicted on maps approved and adopted by the Division of Elections in the Division’s document titled Voting Precinct Maps, dated June 20, 2022. The maps can be found online at www.elections.alaska.gov/Core/districtmaps.php and at the State of Alaska Region II Election Office, 2525 Gambell St., Anchorage, Alaska 99503.

Inquiries regarding this election should be directed to the MOA Election Center, 619 East Ship Creek Avenue, Door D, Anchorage, Alaska 99501, or the Municipal Clerk’s Office, City Hall, 632 W. 6th Avenue, Suite 250, phone 907-243-VOTE (8683), email elections@anchorageak.gov. Detailed information is also available at muni.org/elections.

/s/ Jamie Heinz, Election Administrator
/s/ Barbara A. Jones, Municipal Clerk

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