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Office of the Municipal Clerk

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People who attempted to vote, but were unable to because of a shortage of ballots, are urged to email <u>election2012@muni.org</u>. When doing so, please include your full name and the number, name or location of the precinct(s) involved. If you are willing to be contacted by phone, please also include your phone number.

The Election Commission will hold two meetings to interview people who were unable to vote. The first will be at 10 am on Saturday, April 21 at the Wilda Marston Theatre in the Loussac Library; the second will be on Monday, April 23 at 4:00 pm at City Hall. The Election Commission may also use this time to interview election officials and Clerk's Office staff.

The Election Commission will meet at 4:30 Wednesday April 25 in Room #830 of City Hall to adopt their report.

Assembly Chair Ernie Hall expects by the middle of next week to announce the appointment of an independent investigator to review the April 3 municipal election process. Additionally, Chair Hall intends to have outside counsel review the opinion of Municipal Attorney Dennis Wheeler on the legal standards for certifying an election.

A Special Meeting of the Anchorage Assembly will be held at 5:00 pm Thursday May 3 at the Assembly Chambers in the Loussac Library, 3600 Denali Street, for the Assembly to accept the Election Commission's Report and to take action on certification of the April 3 election.