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**MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE  
ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM  
No. AM 313-2026**

Meeting Date: April 28, 2026

1 **From: Municipal Clerk’s Office and the MOA Elections Team**  
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3 **Subject: Certification of the April 24, 2026 Assembly District 4 – Seat**  
4 **Recount**  
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6 **I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**  
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8 This Assembly Memorandum is prepared by the Municipal Clerk’s Office and MOA  
9 Elections Team to provide the Assembly with the information it needs for certification of  
10 the Assembly District 4 – Seat G Recount, held on April 24, 2026.  
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- 12 • References to the municipal code regarding recounts and certification are  
13 provided in Section II.
- 14 • The results of the recount, as well as the comparison to the regular election are  
15 provided in Section III and are attached.
- 16 • No adjudication challenges were filed during the recount.
- 17 • As explained throughout this report, neither the Election Commission nor the  
18 Municipal Clerk found any failure to follow recount procedures, any violation of  
19 the law or code, or any illegal election practices. AMC 28.85.040C.  
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21 Based on all of the information provided in, and attached to this report, the Assembly is  
22 respectfully requested to approve this memorandum and certify the recount of Assembly  
23 District 4 – Seat G.  
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25 **II. RECOUNT AND CERTIFICATION**  
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27 AMC chapter 28.90 addresses the rules for recounts, and AMC 28.85.040 addresses  
28 certification. The relevant excerpts from the code are as follows:

- 29 • **Initiation of Recount.** The Municipal Clerk is required to initiate a recount  
30 within seven days of the certification of the election if the results show that a  
31 candidate wins by less than a 0.5% margin. AMC 28.90.025C.  
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- 33 • **Notice of Recount.** Notice of the recount was provided to the candidates in  
34 Assembly District 4 – Seat G race and published on the municipal website  
35 beginning on April 14, 2026. AMC 28.90.030.  
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- 37 • **Procedure for Recount.** The procedure for the recount is detailed in AMC  
38 28.90.040C.: “In conducting the recount, the election officials shall review all  
39 ballots to determine which votes are to be counted in the recount and declare  
40 which ballots will be recounted. When available, the recount shall be limited to  
41 reviewing the electronic version of the ballot images, adjudicating those images,  
42 tabulating them, and comparing to the original count....”

- 1 • **Certification of Recount Results.** “Upon completing the recount, the election  
2 commission and the municipal clerk shall report the results of the recount to the  
3 assembly at a meeting as soon as practicable.” AMC 28.90.050A
- 4 • **Assembly Certification.** “If, after considering the report, the assembly  
5 determines that the recount was validly conducted the assembly shall certify the  
6 results of the election in accordance with the report of the election commission  
7 and municipal clerk.” AMC 28.90.050B

### 8 9 **III. REPORTING THE RESULTS OF THE BALLOT REVIEW**

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11 The Municipal Clerk reports that the Assembly District 4 – Seat G Ballot Review  
12 included the following:

- 13 • All ballots from the Assembly District 4 – Seat G race in the April 7, 2026  
14 regular municipal election were selected.
- 15 • Certain ballots in the Assembly District 4 – Seat G race were designated by  
16 election officials pursuant to the code, for out-sort and human review; these  
17 included blank ballots, ballots with overvotes, stray marks, and write-ins.
- 18 • The results of the Assembly District 4 – Seat G Recount, as compared to the  
19 regular election, resulted in no changes in the outcome of the Assembly District  
20 4 – Seat G race. The Official Results of the Assembly District 4 – Seat G  
21 Recount, as well as an excerpt from the summary results of the Assembly  
22 District 4 – Seat G race in the April 7, 2026 Regular Municipal Election are  
23 attached.
- 24 • After their Special Meeting on April 27, 2026, the Election Commission reports  
25 that that it had no objections to the MOA Elections procedures for the recount of  
26 Assembly District 4 – Seat G, no failure to comply with provisions of law, nor did  
27 the Commission find any illegal election practices.

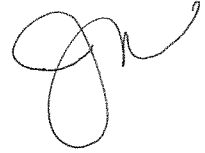
### 28 29 **V. CONCLUSION**

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31 Because neither the Election Commission nor the Municipal Clerk reported any  
32 failure to comply with the procedures for a recount in the municipal code, any failure  
33 to follow other provisions of law or code, nor found any reported illegal election  
34 practices, the Assembly is respectfully requested to approve this memorandum  
35 certifying the Assembly District 4 – Seat G Recount.

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37 Municipal Clerk’s Office  
38 Jamie Heinz, MMC, Municipal Clerk  
39 Liz Edwards, CERA, Election Administrator  
40 MOA Elections Team  
41 Municipal Clerk’s Office

# Election Summary Report

General Election  
 Municipality of Anchorage  
 April 07, 2026



Summary for: ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 4 - SEAT G, All Districts, All Tabulators, All Counting Groups

Assembly District 4 Recount 4/24/26  
 OFFICIAL RESULTS

Voters Cast: 66,848 of 235,398 (28.40%)

Cards Cast: 66,848

## ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 4 - SEAT G (Vote for 1)

		Total	
Times Cast		10,826 / 39,935	27.11%
Candidate	Party	Total	
DONLEY, Dave		5,004	46.22%
WINSTON, Kim		397	3.67%
PARK, Janice		5,030	46.46%
Total Votes		10,431	
		Total	
Unresolved Write-In		72	

**Excerpt of Regular Election Results****ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 4 - SEAT G (Vote for 1)**

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**ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 5 - SEAT I (Vote for 1)**

		Total	
Times Cast		9,491 / 38,151	24.88%
Candidate	Party	Total	
MARTINEZ, George		5,359	56.46%
ANDERSON, Cody		3,799	40.03%
Total Votes		9,158	
		Total	
Unresolved Write-In		59	

**ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 6 - SEAT K (Vote for 1)**

		Total	
Times Cast		16,171 / 42,065	38.44%
Candidate	Party	Total	
SHARP, Janelle Anausuk		1,855	11.47%
VERGASON, Bruce		6,355	39.30%
JOHNSON, Zac		7,479	46.25%
Total Votes		15,689	
		Total	
Unresolved Write-In		49	

**SCHOOL BOARD - SEAT C (Vote for 1)**

		Total	
Times Cast		66,848 / 235,398	28.40%
Candidate	Party	Total	
ROSALES, Alexander		25,468	38.10%
BLAKESLEE, Rachel		35,981	53.83%
Total Votes		61,449	
		Total	
Unresolved Write-In		636	