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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA  
AO NO. 2000-44

AN ORDINANCE OF THE ANCHORAGE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, THE QUESTION OF AMENDING THE ANCHORAGE HOME RULE CHARTER SECTION 5.02(C) RELATING TO EXERCISE OF VETO POWER BY THE MAYOR AT AN ELECTION IN AND FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE ON APRIL 4, 2000

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY ORDAINS

**Section 1:** That a ballot proposition in substantially the following form and containing the following language shall be submitted to the qualified voters of Anchorage at the next regular Municipal election on April 4, 2000:

PROPOSITION NO.

AMENDING ANCHORAGE HOME RULE CHARTER SECTION 5.02  
POWERS OF THE MAYOR

Shall Anchorage Home Rule Charter Section 5.02(C) be amended to read as follows:

The mayor has the veto power. [THE MAYOR ALSO HAS LINE ITEM VETO POWER]. The mayor may also by line item veto, strike or reduce items in a budget or appropriation measure. The veto must be exercised and submitted to the assembly with a written explanation within seven days of passage of the [ORDINANCE] measure affected. The assembly, by two-thirds majority vote of the total membership, may override a veto any time within 21 days after its exercise. The veto may not be used to reinstate a measure, or to make an appropriation.

(Text in all Capital Letters represents deleted language Text underlined represents new language.)

**Section 2:** That Section 1 of this ordinance shall become effective immediately if, but only if, the proposition is approved by 60% of the qualified voters of the Municipality voting on the proposition at the regular Municipal election on April 4, 2000.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2000.

Chair

ATTEST

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Municipal Clerk