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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

AO NO. 2001- 29

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION OF A BALLOT PROPOSITION TO QUALIFIED VOTERS AT THE REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION ON APRIL 3, 2001, PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER SECTION 5.08, COMMISSION ON SALARIES AND EMOLUMENTS, REGARDING ADJUSTMENTS TO THE COMPENSATION OF ELECTED OFFICIALS.

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY ORDAINS

**Section 1:** That a ballot proposition in substantially the same form as appears in Section 2 below shall be placed on the ballot at the next regular municipal election. The vote on the proposition shall be limited to the qualified voters residing within the Municipality of Anchorage. An affirmative vote by a majority (50%) of those voting on the proposition shall be required for approval.

**Section 2:** That the proposition shall be presented in substantially the following form:

PROPOSITION NO.

CHARTER AMENDMENT  
COMPENSATION OF ELECTED OFFICIALS

Shall Section 5.08(c) of the Home Rule Charter for the Municipality of Anchorage be amended to read as follows:

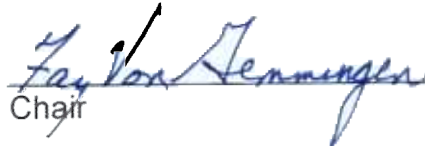
**Section 5.08 Commission on Salaries and Emoluments**

- (c) The commission shall establish the compensation, including salaries, benefits, and allowances, if any, of elected officials. [A DECISION OF THE COMMISSION TO ADJUST THE COMPENSATION OF ELECTED OFFICIALS SHALL NOT AFFECT SEATED OFFICIALS, BUT SHALL AFFECT THOSE ELECTED OFFICIALS SEATED AFTER THE ELECTION FOLLOWING APPROVAL OF THE DECISION.] A decision of the commission [NOT AFFECTING THE COMPENSATION OF ELECTED OFFICIALS] takes effect at the beginning of the next fiscal year of the municipality. A decision by the commission is subject to initiative and referendum in the same manner as an ordinance.

YES [ ] NO [ ]

**Section 3:** That this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2001.

  
Chair

ATTEST:

  
Municipal Clerk