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Submitted by:

Chairman of the Assembly at the

Request of the Mayor

Prepared by:

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For Reading:

January 28, 2003

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE

ALASKA

ORDINANCE NO. AO 2003-13

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, THE QUESTION OF THE ISSUANCE OF TWO MILLION NINE HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$2,930,000) OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE TO PAY A PORTION OF THE COSTS OF EMERGENCY/911 SYSTEM REPLACEMENT. AMBULANCES, EMERGENCY/AREAWIDE COMMUNICA-TIONS, AND RELATED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE AND THE QUESTION OF AN INCREASE IN THE MUNICIPAL TAX CAP LIMITATION TO PAY ASSOCIATED OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE COSTS AT AN ELECTION IN AND FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE ON APRIL 1, 2003.

THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. It is hereby determined to be for a public purpose and in the public interest of the Municipality of Anchorage, Alaska (the "Municipality") to incur general obligation bonded indebtedness in an amount not to exceed TWO MILLION NINE HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$2,930,000) for the purpose of paying a portion of the costs of replacing the existing 911 system, acquiring and rehabilitating ambulances and upgrading emergency communications systems and areawide communications systems, and related capital improvements within the Municipality.

Section 2. The sum of not to exceed Two Million Nine Hundred Thirty Thousand and no/00 Dollars (\$2,930,000) shall be borrowed by, for and on behalf of the Municipality for the aforesaid 911 system, areawide communications systems, medic units (e.g. ambulances), and related capital improvements, and shall be evidenced by the issuance of general obligation bonds of the Municipality. The bond proceeds shall be used only for

payment of capital improvements and costs of issuance of the bonds. The full faith and credit of the Municipality is pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds, and ad valorem taxes upon all taxable property in the Municipality shall be levied without limitation as to rate or amount to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds when due.

Section 3. An election is to be held on April 1, 2003, in and for the Municipality, for the purpose of submitting a general obligation bond proposition to the qualified voters of the Municipality for approval or rejection. The proposition must receive an "areawide" majority vote of those in the Municipality voting on the question to be approved. The proposition shall be substantially in the following form:

PROPOSITION NO.

EMERGENCY/AREAWIDE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS, AMBULANCES, AND RELATED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Shall Anchorage borrow up to \$2,930,000 through the issuance of general obligation bonds and increase the municipal tax cap by an annual amount not to exceed \$659,000? The bond proceeds would pay a portion of the costs of replacing the existing 911 system, acquiring property for, equipping, rehabilitating, improving, constructing and upgrading emergency areawide communications systems, purchasing and/or refurbishing medic units (e.g. ambulances), and related capital improvements within Anchorage and the increase in the municipal tax cap would pay the 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 total 2003 areawide assessed valuation in Anchorage) an annual increase in taxes of approximately \$1.85 to retire the proposed debt and (ii) an annual increase in the municipal tax cap (Charter 14.03(b)(2)) of approximately \$3.51 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 areawide within Anchorage. Anchorage will also pledge its full faith and credit for payment of the bonds.

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Section 4. The proposition, both for paper ballots and machine ballots, shall be printed on a ballot which may set forth other general obligation bond propositions, and the following words shall be added as appropriate and next to a square provided for marking the ballot or voting by a machine:

PROPOSITION NO.

Yes No.

Section 5. Section 2 of this Ordinance shall become effective only if the proposition described in Section 3 is approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting on the proposition at the regular election on April 1, 2003 The remaining sections of this Ordinance shall become effective upon passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Assembly of Anchorage, Alaska, this ///th day of February 2003

Chairman

ATTEST:

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE Summary of Economic Effects - General Government

AO Number: 2003-13

Title: \$2,930,000- Areawide (Public Safety)

Sponsor:

Preparing Agency: Office of Management & Budget

Others Impacted:

CHANGES IN EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES:			(Thousands of Dollars)		
	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07
Operating Expenditures	****************	*********	i 		***
1000 Personal Services					
2000 Supplies					
3000 Other Services	320	659	659	659	659
4000 Debt Service	0	347	347	347	347
5000 Capital Outlay					
TOTAL DIRECT COSTS:	347	1,006	1,006	1,006	1,006
ADD: 6000 Charge from Others LESS: 7000 Charge to Others	***************************************			***************************************	
FUNCTION COST:					
REVENUES:			Market State		
CAPITAL:					
POSITIONS: FT/PT and Temp.					
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PUBLIC SECTOR ECONOMIC EFFECTS:

Estimated annual debt service of \$346,800 assumes bonds are sold as a package @ 5.25% interest, with bond repayments corresponding to the expected life of the assets financed; 7, 10, 20 years.

When projects are completed and fully functioning, <u>increased</u> annual operations and maintenance costs are estimated at \$659,000.

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PRIVATE SECTOR ECONOMIC EFFECTS:

Estimated annual debt service payments of approximately \$346,800 equate to an estimated property tax increase of .0185 mills or \$1.85 per year on \$100,000 of assessed valuation. Areawide (Public Safety).

When fully operational, <u>increased</u> annual operations and maintenance costs are estimated at \$659,000 and equate to an estimated property tax increase of .0351 mills or \$3.51 per year on \$100,000 of assessed valuation Areawide (Public Safety).

The total private sector economic effect would therefore be the increase in the Municipal tax cap limitation related to the payment of debt service and operations and maintenance costs as shown above for a total of \$5.36 per \$100,000 of assessed valuation Areawide (Public Safety).

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MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY MEMORANDUM

No. AM 63-2003

Meeting Date: January 28, 2003

From: Mayor

Subject: \$2,930,000 Areawide Bond Proposition – Public Safety

April 1, 2003 Election

The attached ordinance, on approval, will place a \$2,930,000 Areawide general obligation bond proposition on the ballot for the regular Municipal election to be held on April 2, 2003. The ordinance represents general obligation bond funding reflected in the Approved 2003 General Government Capital Improvement Budget. The Administration recommends scheduling a public hearing for this bond ordinance on February 11, 2003.

The bond, as proposed, is comprised of capital projects needed for the following Areawide services:

- Emergency Medical Services
- Areawide/Emergency Communications
- Replacement E-911 System

Types of projects proposed include replacement or refurbishing of mobile intensive care units (ambulances), upgrade of areawide communication tower, and replacement and enhancement of the areawide 911 System.

THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS THAT THE MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY APPROVE THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE PLACING AN AREAWIDE BOND PROPOSITION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY ON THE APRIL 1, 2003 BALLOT.

Concurrence

Harry J. Kieling, Jr. Municipal Manager

Respectfully submitted,

George Wuerch

Mayor

Prepared by:

Denis LeBlanc, Director

Office of Management & Budget

Concurrence:

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Chief Fiscal Officer

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