



NOTICE OF REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION - OCTOBER 5, 2021

Notice is hereby given that the Regular Municipal Election will be held in the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska on **Tuesday, October 5, 2021 by-mail**. Precinct polling places will not be available for regular in-person voting on Election Day, but there will be two Vote Centers (City Hall and Mendenhall Library) available for in-person voting for two weeks beginning on September 20 and ending at 8:00p.m. on Election Day.

Registered voters of the State of Alaska who reside within the City and Borough of Juneau are eligible to vote in this election and will be mailed a ballot at the permanent mailing address listed in the State of Alaska Voter Registration List. Voters should be prepared to provide identification along with their voted ballot if no identification was filed with the State of Alaska when registering.

The purpose of the election is:

1. To elect from candidates residing in the entire City and Borough of Juneau, Mayor for a term of three years;
2. To elect from candidates residing in Election District No. 1, one Assemblymember for a term of three years;
3. To elect from candidates residing in Election District No. 2, one Assemblymember for a term of three years;
4. To elect from candidates residing in the entire City and Borough of Juneau, three members of the Board of Education (School Board) for terms of three years each.
5. To vote on the following Areawide proposition:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

TEMPORARY SALES TAX QUESTION Explanation

Juneau currently has a permanent 1% sales tax, a temporary 1% sales tax, and a temporary 3% sales tax. The temporary 1% sales tax is automatically repealed on September 30, 2023. The temporary 3% sales tax is automatically repealed on July 1, 2022. The total of all CBJ sales taxes is currently 5%.

This ballot proposition would continue the current 3% temporary sales tax rate for an additional five years, until June 30, 2027. Accordingly, if this proposition is approved, the total sales tax rate would remain at 5%. This proposition would also continue the Assembly's intended allocation of the temporary 3% sales tax revenues as follows:

	Current Temporary Sales Tax (Repealed July 1, 2022)		New Proposed Temporary Sales Tax (July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2027)
1%	police, fire, street maintenance, snow removal, EMT/ambulance service, parks and recreation, libraries, and other general purposes;	1%	police, fire, street maintenance, snow removal, EMT/ambulance service, parks and recreation, libraries, and other general purposes;
1%	roads, drainage, retaining walls, sidewalks, stairs, and other capital improvements; and	1%	roads, drainage, retaining walls, sidewalks, stairs, and other capital improvements; and
1%	allocated annually by the assembly for capital improvements, general government services (including the Better Capital City account and youth activities) and Budget Reserve.	1%	allocated annually by the assembly among capital improvements, an emergency budget reserve, and other general public services.
Total 3%	Temporary sales tax until June 30, 2022	Total 3%	Proposed temporary sales tax starting July 1, 2022, and ending June 30, 2027

PROPOSITION NO. 1

Authorization to Renew a Temporary 3% Areawide Sales Tax Effective July 1, 2022, Intended to Be Used for Certain Purposes as Set Forth Below.

Shall the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, levy and collect a temporary 3% areawide sales tax on the price of all taxable sales of goods and delivered in the City and Borough, effective July 1, 2022, for a period of five years only, in addition to the 1% permanent areawide sales tax and the 1% temporary areawide sales tax?

It is the intent of the Assembly to use the temporary 3% areawide sales tax as follows:

1% police, fire, street maintenance, snow removal, EMT/ambulance service, parks and recreation, libraries, and other general purposes;

1% roads, drainage, retaining walls, sidewalks, stairs, and other capital improvement projects; and

1% allocated annually by the assembly among capital improvements, an emergency budget reserve, and other general public services.

Total 3% Temporary Sales Tax

- YES Extend 3% sales tax five years?
- NO Extend 3% sales tax five years?

VOTER QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible to vote in City and Borough of Juneau elections, you must be:

1. Qualified to vote in state elections;
2. A resident of the municipality for at least 30 days immediately preceding the election;
3. Registered to vote in state elections at a residence address within the municipality at least 30 days before the municipal election at which you seek to vote; and
4. Not disqualified under Article V of the State of Alaska Constitution.

THE OCTOBER 5, 2021 ELECTION WILL BE HELD “BY-MAIL”

All registered voters of the State of Alaska who reside within the City and Borough of Juneau will be mailed a ballot on September 14, 2021 at the permanent mailing address listed in the State of Alaska Voter Registration List. When voting a by-mail ballot, the voter marks their ballot, inserts it into the provided security envelope, insert that into the provided return envelope, signs the voter certification and provides one of four personal identification numbers (Voter ID#, Alaska State ID or Driver’s License #, Date of Birth, or last four digits of the voter’s Social Security Number) and returns it to the CBJ Clerk’s Office. By-mail ballots returned in a manner other than the official voter issued return ballot envelope may not be counted.

Methods by which ballots may be returned to the CBJ Clerk/Election Office:

- U.S. Postal Mail Service – postmarked no later than October 5, 2021 (no stamp needed – the postage is paid for by CBJ)
- CBJ Drop Box (locations below) – by 8:00p.m. on October 5, 2021
- CBJ Vote Center (locations below) – by 8:00p.m. on October 5, 2021
- By Electronic Transmission – by 8:00p.m. on October 5, 2021

CBJ Election Officials encourage voters to verify their permanent mailing address:

- Online: <https://myvoterinformation.alaska.gov/>
- Phone:
 - Alaska Region 1 Elections Office: (907) 465-3021
 - Toll-Free: (866) 948-8683 (Within the U.S.)
 - CBJ Elections Office (907) 586-5278; select option “4”.
- Email:
 - Alaska Region 1 Elections Office electionsr1@alaska.gov
 - CBJ Elections Office cbj.elections@juneau.org

Voters who wish to register to vote or update their mailing address for the October 5, 2021 Regular Municipal Election must do so no later than Sunday, September 5, 2021. Voter registration is available at the following locations:

- State of Alaska Voter Registration System (OLVR) online: <https://voterregistration.alaska.gov/>
- Alaska Region I Elections Office at 9109 Mendenhall Mall Road, Suite 3, (please call 907-465-3021 before visiting)
- City and Borough of Juneau Libraries
- CBJ Election Office at 155 S. Seward St. (call 907-586-5278 and select option “4” before visiting)

VOTING FROM A TEMPORARY ADDRESS

Mailed ballots will **not** be forwarded. If a voter needs to have the ballot mailed to an address other than the permanent mailing address on file with the State of Alaska Division of Elections, the voter may submit an “Application to Vote at a Temporary Address” or an application for a “Fax/e-Ballot.” A qualified voter may vote from a temporary address for any reason. Application forms are available by any of the following methods:

- Online at <https://juneau.org/clerk/elections>
- By e-mail: cbj.elections@juneau.org
- By Phone: (907) 586-5278; select option “4” – CBJ Elections
- By Fax: (907) 586-4552
- In Person at the CBJ Election Office: 155 S. Seward St., Juneau, AK, or

- In Person at one of the CBJ Vote Centers listed below:

Juneau Vote Center Hours and Locations:

(You may view a map of vote center locations at www.juneau.org/clerk/elections)

Services available at the Juneau Vote Centers include:

- Drop off voted ballots
- Request a New or Replacement Ballot
- Request voter assistance
- Register to vote or update voter registration-for future elections.


<p>City Hall Assembly Chambers 155 S. Seward St. Weekdays, September 20 – October 4: 8 am – 4:30 pm Election Day, October 5: 7 am – 8 pm</p>	<p>Mendenhall Valley Public Library 3025 Dimond Park Loop Weekdays, September 20 – October 4: 10 am – 6 pm Saturdays, Sept. 25 & Oct. 2: 12 pm – 4 pm Election Day, October 5: 7 am – 8 pm</p>
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Secure Ballot Drop Boxes

Will be open from September 16, 2021
until 8:00p.m. on October 5, 2021 at the following locations:

(You may view a map of drop box locations at <https://juneau.org/clerk/elections>)

Auke Bay-Statter Harbor BOAT LAUNCH Parking Lot
(*NOT* the Harbor Office parking lot.)
11801 Glacier Hwy, Auke Bay



OR

Douglas Library/Fire Hall Community Building
1016 3rd Street, Douglas

By Electronic Transmission [Fax/e-Ballot]:

Applications for a Fax/e-Ballots (electronic transmission) may be obtained at the CBJ Election Office or online at <https://juneau.org/clerk/elections>. Applications for Fax/e-Ballots must be received in the Municipal Clerk's office no later than Monday, **October 4, 2021, at 5:00 p.m.**

By Personal Representative:

A qualified voter who requires assistance due to age, illness or disability, may appoint a personal representative over the age of 18 to obtain assistance to facilitate the following services:

- Read the ballot out loud,
- Mark the ballot with the voter’s permission,
- Insert the ballot into the appropriate envelopes,
- Witness the voter’s signature,
- Mail the ballot or deliver the ballot to a drop box or vote center

A personal representative **may not sign the voter oath** on behalf of the voter under penalty of law.

If a voter requires assistance and is unable to locate a personal representative, the voter may contact the Municipal Clerk’s Office on or after September 20, 2021 to make such arrangements.

More information is available at:

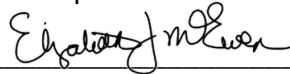
CBJ Election Office

155 S. Seward Street, Juneau, AK. 99801

Phone: (907) 586-5278 option 4 Fax: (907) 586-4550 e-mail: cbjelections@juneau.org

website: <https://juneau.org/clerk/elections>

I certify that this notice meets the requirements of CBJ Code 29.07.010 Election times; notice.



September 1, 2021

Elizabeth J. McEwen, Municipal Clerk / Election Official DATE

ADA Accommodations Available Upon Request.