2025 Official Candidate Statement City & Borough of Juneau, Alaska

Nathaniel "Nano" Brooks

Candidate: Assembly District 2





Name as it appears on the ballot: Nathaniel "Nano" Brooks

Office Sought: Assembly District 2

Residence Address: 9282 Duran St. Juneau AK, 99801

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Age: 31 years

Occupation: Laundry/Entrepreneur

Place of Birth: Juneau, Alaska

Length of Residency in Juneau: 31 years

Education: JDHS Class of 2011, Wyotech 2011-2012, AVTEC 2015-2017

Business or Professional Work: Owner and operator of Alaska Laundry INC, Wash Dash or Button

Mash LLC, Renewable Energy Solutions LLC, Material Manufacturing Management LLC, Hi-Fi Senpai LLC, Alaska Property Management LLC, and Squires Laundry and Showers.

Service Organization Membership: Juneau Chamber of Commerce

Special Interests: Mechanical engineering, Renewable Energy Design and

Development, Music, Art, Fixing Things.

Biographical Information: Nathaniel Brooks (Nano) is a born and raised Juneauite. He graduated JDHS at the age of 16, attended Wyotech 2011-2012, and later enrolled in and completed programs for mechanical trades at AVTEC. His diverse work experience in the community has covered many fields. The last 2 years he's

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managed Alaska Laundry INC but has spent over 8 years in the plumbing and HVAC field, with a focus on heat pump installations. With a strong work ethic, vast work experience, and a technical mind, Nano has invented renewable energy generators and has devices patent pending. His passion for economic development and sustainability doesn't end there. He has an entrepreneurial spirit and a passion for planning/creating new industries in Alaska to provide jobs for residents and fund services. His ideas and thoughts revolve around sustainability such as food production, energy production, and renewable utilities.

Position Statement: Juneau has been bound by status quo operations for decades now. Over that time we've seen major decline in resident retention, qualified professionals, competitive compensation, affordable housing, facility maintenance, and diversification of revenue streams. All of this has resulted in a cost of living far beyond national averages even adjusted for location. We can't keep blindly defaulting to status quo because its familiar or fluid. We need to create programs and incentives that retain our residents and attract new ones. We need systems that work to bring down the financial burden put on the residents instead of continuing endless loans against them. We need a municipality that thinks of the community's well-being over the governments. We need to give back to the people in a way that can bring financial and economic prosperity to the people through land ownership. We need another option than what we've allowed to happen for the last decade. The current assembly made it clear that status quo was the direction to maintain when they approved this year's budget. I am running to offer an option beyond that. I'm running to be the voice of those not heard or ignored. I'm running to stand up for practical alternatives when budgeting. I'm running because things will not change if there are 3 uncontested incumbents. With your vote and support you will receive a civil servant who views things through the lenses of: affordability, sustainability, responsibility, transparency, and the health and safety of the community.