NOTICE OF REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION - OCTOBER 6, 2026

Notice is hereby given that the City and Borough of Juneau will hold a Regular Municipal Election on **Tuesday, October 6, 2026.** The election will be conducted by mail. No polling places will be in operation on Election Day. In-person voting will be available at the two Vote Centers (City Hall and Mendenhall Valley Library) beginning Monday, September 21 and ending at 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, October 6, 2026.

Eligible registered voters will be mailed a ballot at the permanent mailing address listed in the State of Alaska Voter Registration List.

The purpose of the election is:

1. To elect one Assemblymember residing in the entire City and Borough of Juneau, to a three-year term;
2. To elect one Assemblymember residing in Assembly Election District No. 1, to a three-year term;
3. To elect one Assemblymember residing in Assembly Election District No. 2, to a three-year term;
4. To elect two members of the Board of Education (School Board) residing in the entire City and Borough of Juneau, to three-year terms; and
5. To vote on the Areawide propositions and petitions listed below.

PROPOSITION A
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 The temporary 1% sales tax is automatically repealed on September 30, 2028. The temporary 3% sales tax is automatically repealed on July 1, 2027. 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, 2032. 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:

Temporary Sales Tax (July 1, 2027 to June 30, 2032)

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

1% to roads, drainage, retaining walls, sidewalks, stairs, and other capital improvements; and

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

Total 3% Proposed temporary sales tax starting July 1, 2027, and ending June 30, 2032.

PROPOSITION A

Authorization to Renew a Temporary 3% Areawide Sales Tax Effective July 1, 2027, 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, 2027, 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% to police, fire, street maintenance, snow removal, EMT/ambulance service, parks and recreation, libraries, and other general purposes;

1% to 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

[ ] Extend 3% sales tax five years. Yes

[ ] Extend 3% sales tax five years. No

PROPOSITION B
Charter Amendment Short Title:
MILL RATE CAP CHANGE

SHALL THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU CHARTER SEC. 9.7 BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. ... (c)Except as provided in this section, the assembly shall not levy on real or personal property any tax exceeding the total of ~~9 mills~~ **12 mills** plus that additional millage required to service general obligation indebtedness. The assembly may levy a tax exceeding this total only after seeking and securing voter approval by a majority of those voting on the question at a general or special election.

Section 2. Effective Date. This measure shall be effective 30 days after enactment.

[ ] Mill Rate Cap Change. Yes

[ ] Mill Rate Cap Change. No

PROPOSITION C
Citizen Initiative Petition Short Title:
1% SEASONAL SALES TAX
Explanation

This initiative petition proposes to amend the City and Borough of Juneau (CBJ) Code 69.05.020 to implement a new permanent seasonal sales tax, effective April 1 through September 30 each year. The revenue from this tax is intended to help fund both indoor and outdoor recreation within the City and Borough of Juneau.

SHALL THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU CODE BE AMENDED TO INCLUDE A NEW CODE SECTION AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Amendment of Section. CBJC 69.05.020, Imposition of rate, of the Code of the City and Borough of Juneau is amended to read as follows:

(a) There shall be levied and collected a tax equal to the percentage of the selling price on retail sales and rentals made and services performed within the City and Borough as follows:

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(5) Within the entire City and Borough an additional one percent from April 1 to September 30.

Section 2. Effective Date. This initiative shall be effective 30 days after enactment.

[ ] 1% Seasonal Sales Tax. Yes

[ ] 1% Seasonal Sales Tax. No

VOTER QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible to vote in the 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.

VOTING BY MAIL AND UPDATING YOUR ADDRESS:

All eligible registered voters will be mailed a ballot on September 18, 2026, at the permanent mailing address listed in the State of Alaska Voter Registration List. Mailed ballots will not be forwarded. If you do not receive your ballot by mail, you may vote in person at either Vote Center beginning Monday, September 21, 2026, or see instructions below for Temporary Address or Electronic Transmission options.

Verify or Update Your Mailing Address

CBJ Election Officials encourage voters to verify their mailing address before ballots are mailed:

- Online: https://myvoterportal.alaska.gov/
- Phone: Alaska Region 1 Elections Office: (907) 465-3021 or CBJ Elections Office (907) 586-5278.
- Email:
  - Alaska Region 1 Elections Office electionsr1@alaska.gov
  - CBJ Elections Office cbj.elections@juneau.gov

Voters must register or update their mailing address by Sunday, September 6, 2026 for the October 6 election. 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
- City and Borough of Juneau Libraries
- CBJ Clerk/Election Office at 155 Heritage Way, Rm 215

RETURNING YOUR BALLOT ENVELOPE:

By Mail: Ballot envelopes must be postmarked on or before Election Day, October 6, 2026, and received before election certification to count. Voters are strongly encouraged to make sure their postmark is readable.

Ballot Drop Box: Ballot drop boxes are available 24/7 starting September 18, 2026, to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, October 6, 2026. They are located at:

- **Alaska Electric Light and Power Company (AEL&P)**
  5601 Tonsgard Ct, Lemon Creek
- **City Hall – Corner near Marine Way and Shattuck Way**
  155 Heritage Way, Downtown
- **Douglas Public Library**
  1016 3rd Street, Douglas
- **Mendenhall Valley Public Library**
  3025 Dimond Park Loop, Valley
- **Statter Harbor Boat Launch Parking (not the Harbor Office parking lot)**
  11801 Glacier Highway, Auke Bay

Vote Center: Vote Centers are available to voters who need assistance, require an ADA-accessible ballot, did not receive a ballot in the mail, or prefer to vote in person.

- **City Hall Assembly Chambers,** 155 Heritage Way, Downtown
  Starting Monday, September 21:
  Open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
  Open Election Day, Tuesday, October 6, 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

- **Mendenhall Valley Public Library,** 3025 Dimond Park Loop, Mendenhall Valley
  Starting Monday, September 21:
  Open Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
  Open Friday and Saturday, 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
  Open Election Day, Tuesday, October 6, 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Voters who need help may appoint a 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 ballot drop box

A personal representative or power of attorney ***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 21 to make such arrangements.

VOTING FROM A TEMPORARY ADDRESS OR BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION

Mailed ballots will not be forwarded. If a voter needs to have the ballot mailed to an address other than the mailing address on file with the State of Alaska Division of Elections, the voter must submit an **"Application to Vote at a Temporary Address".** If a voter needs a ballot by electronic transmission, they must fill out an **"eBallot"** application. A qualified voter may vote from a temporary address or by electronic transmission for any reason.

Application forms and more information available at:
CBJ Clerk/Election Office
155 Heritage Way, Juneau, AK. 99801
Phone: (907) 586-5278 option 4
Fax: (907) 586-4550
email: cbj.elections@juneau.gov
website: https://juneau.org/clerk/elections

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

Breckan L. Hendricks

Breckan L Hendricks, Municipal Clerk / Election Official 8/24/2026

ADA Accommodations Available Upon Request.