

MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE NOTICE OF MAYORAL RUNOFF ELECTION, NOTICE OF ANCHORAGE VOTE CENTERS May 14, 2024

A Mayoral Runoff Election for the Municipality of Anchorage will be held on Tuesday, May 14, 2024, as required by the results of the April 2, 2024, Regular Municipal Election and requirements of Municipal Charter. The Charter specifies that if no candidate for mayor receives more than 45% of the votes cast, that a runoff election is required to be held within three weeks of certification of the election between the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes. The runoff election is a vote at home/vote by mail election. Traditional polling places will not be open and are not an option for voting on Election Day.

Ballot packages will be mailed to qualified, registered voters at least fourteen (14) days before Election Day on Tuesday, April 30, 2024. (Municipal code requires ballot packages to be mailed seven days before a runoff election. AMC 28.40.020(C)). Registered voters of the State of Alaska who reside within the Municipality of Anchorage are eligible to vote in this election. The last day to register to vote or update your voter registration was 30 days preceding the election or Sunday, April 14, 2024. Voters should follow the instructions included in the ballot package and these three steps: (1) Vote your ballot. Place your voted ballot into the secrecy sleeve and place the secrecy sleeve into your ballot return envelope; (2) Read and sign the voter declaration on the back of the ballot return envelope; (3) Return your ballot envelope in one of three ways: voters may (1) place the ballot return envelope in a secure drop box located within the Municipality; (2) mail the ballot return envelope by using first-class postage through the United States Postal Service; or (3) bring the ballot return envelope to one of three Anchorage Vote Centers.

Ballot Status: Voters can find out the status of their ballot by using BallotTrax at <u>anchoragevotes.com</u>, where voters can sign up for text, email, or voicemail alerts. As always, voters may call the MOA Election Voter Hotline at 907-243-VOTE (8683) to confirm ballot return envelope status. Voters will be required to provide information over the telephone to confirm identity.

Voters may vote in person or obtain the following services at an Anchorage Vote Center: turn in a mailed ballot return envelope containing a voted ballot, receive and vote a ballot package, vote a questioned ballot, receive voting assistance, and get help with other voter questions.

Anchorage Vote Center Hours and Locations

(Municipal Code AMC 28.50.030B.2. requires the Anchorage Vote Centers to be open five days prior to a runoff election and to close at 8:00 p.m. on Election Night.)

ZJ Loussac Library 3600 Denali Street, First Floor

All Municipal ballots will be available at this location. Weekdays, May 7 – May 13, 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday, May 11, 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Election Day, May 14, 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Use Bus Routes 25, 85

City Hall

632 West 6th Avenue, First Floor

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Election Day, May 14, 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Use Bus Routes 10, 11, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 41, 85, 92

Eagle River Town Center

12001 Business Boulevard, Community Room #170 (Same building as the library)

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Use Bus Route 92

Secure Drop Boxes will be in place on April 30 for voters to return their ballot at any time before 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, May 14, 2024. For information and maps of the eighteen Secure Drop Boxes and the three Anchorage Vote Centers, visit www.muni.org/elections/dropbox.

Secure Ballot Drop Box Locations Boxes are open 24/7 beginning April 30, 2024, through 8:00 p.m. on May 14, 2024

- Anchorage School District Education Center, 5530 E. Northern Lights Boulevard - Use Bus Route 10
- Bartlett High School, 1101 Golden Bear Drive Use Bus Route 25, 92
- Begich Middle School, 7440 Creekside Center Drive Use Bus Routes 10, 25, 30, 31, 51
- City Hall Parking Lot, 632 W. 6th Avenue Use Bus Routes 10, 11, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 41, 85, 92
- Girdwood Community Center, 250 Egloff Drive
- Loussac Library, 3600 Denali Street Use Bus Routes 25, 85
 - O'Malley's on the Green, 3651 O'Malley Road
- Planning and Development Center (MOA Permit Center), 4700 Elmore Road - Use Bus Route 25
- Service High School, 5577 Abbott Road

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- Clark Middle School, 150 Bragaw Street Use Bus Routes 20, 21, 31
- **Dimond High School**, 2909 W. 88th Avenue Use Bus Route 65
- **Eagle River Town Center**, 12001 Business Boulevard *Use Bus Route* 92
- Election Center, 619 E. Ship Creek Ave.
- Fairview Community Recreation Center, 1121
 E. 10th Avenue Use Bus Route 11
- South Anchorage High School, 13400 Elmore Road
- Spenard Community Recreation Center, 2020 W. 48th Avenue
- UAA Alaska Airlines Center, 3550 Providence Drive - Use Bus Routes 10, 20, 55
- West High School, 1700 Hillcrest Drive Use Bus Route 40

Candidates' names will appear in a random, non-sequential order on the ballot. Voters may vote for candidates listed by marking the ballot within the oval opposite the written name.

OFFICE TO BE FILLED AT THE MAYORAL RUNOFF ELECTION ON MAY 14, 2024, ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MAYOR – to be voted upon by all registered voters residing in the Municipality of Anchorage.

Bronson, Dave LaFrance, Suzanne

Other information about the May 14, 2024 Mayoral Runoff Election

Instructions for registration: An individual may register to vote at any library within the Municipality, the State of Alaska Region II Election Office, the Municipal Clerk's Office, the MOA Election Center, or the State of Alaska, Division of Motor Vehicles. To be a qualified voter, the individual must reside in Anchorage and be registered to vote 30 days before the election. The last day to register was Sunday, April 14, 2024, for the May 14, 2024, Mayoral Runoff Election.

Ballots mailed to temporary mailing address, in person, and other options for voting: Ballots going to an address other than the mailing address of record, formerly called absentee ballots, will be mailed to voters at a temporary mailing address starting on April 30, 2024. Otherwise, applications for ballots to be mailed to a temporary address should be submitted to MOA Elections or the Municipal Clerk's Office as soon as possible, but no later than May 7, 2024. Temporary Address applications are available by visiting MOA Elections' website at muni.org/tempaddress or by contacting MOA Elections at 907-243-VOTE (8683). In person voting is available at Anchorage Vote Centers beginning on Tuesday, May 7 through May 13, 2024. Weekday hours are 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Saturday hours are 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.. Anchorage Vote Centers will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, May 14, 2024. If you will be unable to receive a mailed ballot package between April 30 and May 14, please call the Voter Hotline at 907-243-VOTE (8683) to learn about other voting options.

Description of precinct boundaries: Litigation regarding the State of Alaska 2021 Redistricting Plan has been concluded; however, descriptions of the election district precinct boundaries' have not been finalized in the Alaska Administrative Code. In the meantime, election district voting precincts are depicted on maps approved and adopted by the Division of Elections in the Division's document titled Voting Precinct Maps, dated June 20, 2022. The maps can be found online at www.elections.alaska.gov/research/district-maps/ and at the State of Alaska Region II Election Office, 2525 Gambell St., Anchorage, Alaska 99503.

Inquiries regarding this election should be directed to the MOA Election Center, 619 East Ship Creek Avenue, Door D, Anchorage, Alaska 99501, or Municipal Clerk's Office, City Hall, 632 W. 6th Avenue, Suite 250, Anchorage, Alaska 99501, phone (907) 243-VOTE (8683), email <u>elections@anchorageak.gov</u>. Detailed information is also available at <u>muni.org/elections</u>.

/s/ William Northrop, Acting Election Administrator /s/ Jamie Heinz, Municipal Clerk

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