

CODE ORDINANCE

Sponsored by: Assemblymember Hale  
Introduced: 10/21/25  
Public Hearing: 11/18/25  
Defeated: 11/18/25

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH  
ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 25-120**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AMENDING  
MSB 25.05.120(A), INFORMATIONAL BROCHURES FOR ELECTIONS.

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BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and shall become a part of the Borough Code.

Section 2. Amendment of section. MSB 25.05.120(A) is hereby amended to read as follows:

(A) Not later than 20 calendar days prior to each regular or 15 calendar days prior to a special election, the clerk shall prepare and mail one election brochure per registered voter household containing the following information only: [APPROVED BY THE ASSEMBLY PERTAINING TO EACH PROPOSITION ON THE BALLOT, CANDIDATE INFORMATION TO INCLUDE CANDIDATE'S NAME, YEAR OF BIRTH, ALASKA RESIDENCY, AND A 200-WORD OR LESS POSITION STATEMENT BY THE CANDIDATE, SAMPLE BALLOTS, AND OTHER GENERAL VOTING INFORMATION.]

- (1) each proposition on the ballot;
- (2) Candidate information to include:
  - a. Candidate's name;

b. Year of birth;

c. Alaska residency; and

d. 200-word or less position statement;

(3) Pro and con statements on initiative, referendums, or propositions as defined in MSB 25.05.120(B);

(4) Sample ballots; and

(5) General voting information.

Section 3. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect January 1, 2026.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this - day of -, 2025.

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EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

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LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

NO: McKee, Sumner, Gamble, Fonov, and Bernier  
YES: Hale and Nowers