

Adopted: 03/18/25

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH  
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 25-034**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY TERMINATING STAFF ASSISTANCE FOR DEVELOPING A SOUTH KNIK RIVER SPECIAL USE DISTRICT.

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WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council is recognized by the Borough as a community organization; and

WHEREAS, the Assembly approved RS 24-052 directing staff to assist the South Knik River Community Council in developing a Special Use District; and

WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council solicited applicants for a committee to draft the Special Use District through direct mailing of 548 letters to an unduplicated list of property owner and/or registered voter addresses, and all (81) business licensee operating within South Knik River Community Council geographic boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council voted at their November 2024 meeting to require at least 75 percent of the committee participants to be residents of the South Knik River Community Council geographic area; and

WHEREAS, 28 committee applications were received which asked applicants to self-identify one or more stakeholder categories; and

WHEREAS, 24 applicants self-identified as residents (86 percent), 18 applicants self-identified as land owners (64 percent), and 11 applicants self-identified as business owners (39 percent); and

WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council convened the applicants in a special meeting in January 2025 to discuss how to proceed in forming the committee; and

WHEREAS, the applicants elected a committee chairperson at the January 2025 meeting, selected a meeting schedule, and limited the committee to no more than 12 people; and

WHEREAS, at the February South Knik River Community Council meeting the members voted to terminate the drafting and pursuit of a Special Use District, as communicated to the Borough in the South Knik River Community Council resolution 25-01.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Assembly terminates staff assistance for developing a South Knik River Community Council Special Use District.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 18 day  
of March, 2025.

  
EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

  
LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Hale, Nowers, McKee, Sumner, Gamble, Fonov,  
and Bernier