

SUBJECT: Waiving the Borough Clerk from MSB 2.52.210.

AGENDA OF: February 6, 2018

ASSEMBLY ACTION:

Approved Under the Consent Agenda 2-6-18 [Signature]

MANAGER RECOMMENDATION: Present to the Assembly for consideration.

APPROVED BY JOHN MOOSEY, BOROUGH MANAGER: \_\_\_\_\_

Route To:	Department/Individual	Initials	Remarks
	Originator	LRM	
	Borough Attorney	[Signature]	
	Borough Clerk	[Signature]	1/23/18 [Signature]

ATTACHMENT (S): Fiscal Note: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

MSB 2.52.210 in part requires that "essential borough officials" reside within the corporate boundaries of the Borough and that the Assembly can waive those requirements by a two-thirds vote.

The Clerk is requesting that the Assembly waive the requirements of MSB 2.52.210 for personal reasons.

The Clerk has worked at the Borough for almost 17 years. The Clerk's family has been in this area since 1935 and her family still remains here. The Clerk plans to return to the Borough and has a vested interest in the community and its citizens.

There are other Clerks who do not reside within the corporate limits of the communities they serve, which has not hampered the performance of their duties or their willingness to serve those communities.

The Clerk plans to reside no further than 15 minutes outside the corporate boundaries of the Borough, which is less time than it takes to get to the north side of Wasilla from the Dorothy Swanda Jones Building (350 E. Dahlia Ave, Palmer).

With the approval of this AM the Assembly finds that the Clerk residing outside the corporate limits of the Borough does not impede upon the health, safety, general welfare, administrative and emergency needs of the citizens.

**RECOMMENDATION OF ADMINISTRATION:**

Waive the requirements of MSB 2.52.210 for the Clerk to reside outside of the corporate limits of the Borough.