

Amended: 05/05/20
Adopted: 05/05/20

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 20-041**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY DIRECTING THE MANAGER TO WAIVE PERSONAL USE FIREWOOD FEES UNTIL JULY 31, 2020.

WHEREAS, personal use firewood from borough-owned forest land costs \$25 per cord and requires a \$25 permit fee be paid; and

WHEREAS, four of the firewood areas are open for general harvest and two of the firewood areas are open for harvest of beetle kill spruce only; and

WHEREAS, the Land and Resource Management Division has concluded that waiving the personal use firewood permit fee and cordage fee until July 31, 2020, will help offset the negative economic effects of the global health emergency and provide relief to those borough residents that heat their homes with wood.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly hereby directs the Borough Manager to waive all fees associated with extracting personal use firewood from designated personal use firewood areas on Borough-owned land until July 31, 2020.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 5 day
of May, 2020.



VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:



LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)



PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Hale, Nowers, McKee, Leonard, Mayfield,
Sumner, and Boeve