CODE ORDINANCE

Sponsored by: Borough Manager

Introduced: 07/20/21 Public Hearing: 08/03/21 Adopted: 08/03/21

MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 21-067

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AMENDING MSB CHAPTER 2.29, OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS, TO ALLOW THE CLERK TO HIRE STATE OF ALASKA ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES WHEN BOROUGH HEARING OFFICERS ARE UNAVAILABLE.

BE IT ENACTED:

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

Section 2. Amendment of section. MSB 2.29.010 ESTABLISHED is hereby amended to read as follows:

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established. Administrative hearing officers shall be appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the assembly. If possible, there shall be five administrative hearing officers appointed in order to maintain a rotating list of available officers. In the event there are no administrative hearing officers available, whether because of a conflict or vacancy, the MSB Clerk may hire a State of Alaska Administrative Hearing Officer.

Section 3. <u>Effective date</u>. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 3 day of August, 2021.

VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

ONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

Yes: Hale, Nowers, McKee, Yundt, Tew, and Boeve

NO: Sumner