



MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
NOTICE OF REGULAR ELECTION
ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026

The polls are open on Election Day from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

CANDIDATE RACES

PLEASE NOTE: A candidate's designated affiliation does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the political party or group or that the party or group approves of or associates with that candidate, but only that the candidate is registered as affiliated with the political party or political group.

NON-AREAWIDE RACES

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 1

(Vote for one)

BERGEY, Thomas E. – Republican
CHIAVETTA, Chris – Republican
HEUN, Michelle – Nonpartisan

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 2

(Vote for one)

LICHT Jr., Philip – Republican
LINDBLOOM, Scott M. – Democrat
RAFFANIELLO, Dana – Republican

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 4

(Vote for one)

SUMNER, Maxwell H. – Republican

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 5

(Vote for one)

GAMBLE, Bill – Republican

SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 3

(Vote for one)

MCCOLLUM, Kathy – Republican

SCHOOL BOARD DISTRICT 6

(Vote for one)

LARSON, R. Ole – Republican
SUMNER, Jesse M. – Republican

EARLY/ABSENTEE IN-PERSON VOTING

Voters may choose to vote prior to Election Day at one of the following early/absentee in-person voting locations:

MENARD SPORTS CENTER, 1001 S. Clapp Street, Wasilla, this location is open as follows:

Monday through Friday:

- October 19 through November 2, 2026, 8 am to 5 pm

Saturdays:

- October 24 and October 31, 2026, 10 am to 4 pm

Sundays:

- October 25 and November 1, 2026, 12 pm to 4 pm

*All ballot types are available at this location.

MAT-SU BOROUGH ADMINISTRATION BUILDING (Dorothy Swanda Jones Building, Assembly Chambers) 350 E. Dahlia Avenue, Palmer, this location is open as follows:

Monday through Friday:

- October 19 through November 2, 2026, 8 am to 5 pm
- Closed Saturday and Sunday

*All ballot types are available at this location.

ABSENTEE IN-PERSON VOTING LOCATIONS

Houston City Hall, Talkeetna and Trapper Creek Libraries (Ballot types are limited and specific to each location):

- October 19 through November 2, 2026 (**During Normal Business Hours**)

AREAWIDE PROPOSITIONS

PROPOSITION A

CHANGING SCHOOL BOARD TERMS FROM 3 YEARS TO 4 YEARS IN LENGTH AND PROVIDING FOR TRANSITION TERMS TO ALIGN SCHOOL BOARD SEAT TERMS WITH MATCHING ASSEMBLY DISTRICT SEAT TERMS

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough School Board terms be changed from 3 years to 4 years in length along with transition terms so that School Board seats and matching Assembly District seats have terms that start in the same year?

YES ☐ NO ☐

PROPOSITION B

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE SALES TAX OF 5%

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough exercise the power to levy, collect, and enforce areawide tax of five percent (5%) on the retail sale of alcoholic beverages within the Borough?

YES ☐ NO ☐

PROPOSITION C

\$75,000 OWNER-OCCUPIED RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY EXEMPTION AND 1% AREAWIDE SALES TAX

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough enact a \$75,000 owner occupied residential real property exemption, and exercise the power to levy, collect, and enforce an areawide sales tax in the amount of 1% within the entire Matanuska-Susitna Borough?

YES ☐ NO ☐

PROPOSITION D

AREAWIDE POWER TO ACQUIRE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCT ROADS, STREETS, SIDEWALKS, AND RELATED DRAINAGE FACILITIES

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough adopt and exercise the areawide power to acquire public rights-of-way, design, and construct roads, streets, sidewalks, and related drainage facilities?

YES ☐ NO ☐

ABSENTEE BY-MAIL VOTING

Any registered voter of the Borough may apply for a ballot to be mailed to them by submitting an absentee by-mail ballot application. The application must be received by the Borough Clerk's Office no later than Tuesday, October 27, 2026. Applications are available online at www.matsu.gov/elections or call 907-861-8683 to request an application.

Things applicants need to know about the process:

- An application must be submitted every year.
- Apply early to receive your Borough ballot in a timely manner.
- Carefully complete **ALL** sections of the application. Omissions or errors may cause a delay in ballot mailing.
- Applications **MUST** contain the applicant's signature; no one else may sign for you.
- By-mail ballots must be postmarked by Election Day and received by November 6.
- If you return your by-mail ballot in person, it must be returned to an election official by November 3, by 8 p.m.

ASSISTANCE TO VOTERS

Anyone needing special assistance in casting their ballot due to a disability or bilingual need, may contact the Borough Clerk's Office at 907-861-8683 at least 24 hours prior to the time of casting their ballot to request assistance. You may also bring one or two people to the polls to assist you.

EARLY VOTING ASSISTANCE

A Touch Screen Voting unit will be available at the Mat-Su Borough (DSJ) Administration Building and the Menard Sports Center from October 19 through November 2 (see hours of operation above). Touch screen voting is intended for the blind, disabled, and voters with reading difficulties. The touch screen units allow voters with disabilities to vote unassisted with a magnified, high contrast, and audio ballot.

COPIES OF THE ORDINANCES PLACING THE PROPOSITIONS ON THE BALLOT WILL BE PROVIDED AT ALL VOTING LOCATIONS

- Proposition A was placed on the ballot through the adoption of Ordinance Serial No. 26-081
- Proposition B was placed on the ballot through the adoption of Ordinance Serial No. 26-062
- Proposition C was placed on the ballot through the adoption of Ordinance Serial No. 26-072
- Proposition D was placed on the ballot through the adoption of Ordinance Serial No. 26-080

All of the legislation may be downloaded from www.matsu.gov/elections or you may call 907-861-8683 to request a copy.

POLLING LOCATIONS: To find your voting location visit: <https://myvoterportal.alaska.gov>

25-305 Butte Butte Elementary School 4006 S. Butte Road	26-360 Knik Goose Bay No. 1 Knik Elementary School 6350 W. Hollywood Road (joint w/26-370)	27-425 Wasilla No. 2 Menard Sports Center 1001 S. Clapp Street	29-510 Fishhook Government Peak Chalet 10690 N. Mountain Trails Drive	30-590 Trapper Creek Trapper Creek Elementary School 6742 E. Petersville Road
25-310 Greater Palmer Palmer Community Center 610 S. Valley Way	26-365 Knik Goose Bay No. 2 Settlers Bay Community Church 6865 W. Dewlap Circle	28-450 Lakes No. 1 Finger Lake Elementary School 5981 E. Eek Street	29-515 Kings Lake Teeland Middle School 2788 N. Seward Meridian Parkway	30-595 Susitna Susitna Valley High School 42728 S. Parks Highway
25-315 Lazy Mountain Lazy Mountain Bible Church 16005 E. Shawn Drive	26-370 Knik Goose Bay No. 3 Knik Elementary School 6350 W. Hollywood Road (joint w/26-360)	28-455 Lakes No. 2 Pioneer Peak Elementary School 1959 N. Stringfield Road (joint w/28-475)	29-520 Lakes No. 3 Mat-Su Career Tech High School 2472 N. Seward Meridian Parkway	30-600 Talkeetna Talkeetna Public Library 24645 S. Talkeetna Spur Road
25-320 Palmer City No. 1 Mat-Su Borough Building 350 E. Dahlia Avenue	26-375 Mat-Su Campus Matanuska-Susitna College 8295 E. College Drive	28-460 Seldon No. 1 Tanaina Elementary School 2550 N. Lucille Street	29-525 Sheep Mountain Glacier View Community Center 65975 S. Wolverine Circle	30-605 Willow Willow Community Center 23557 W. Willow Community Center Circle
25-325 Palmer City No. 2 Mat-Su School District Admin. Bldg. 501 N. Gulkana Street	26-380 Snowshoe Fairview Loop Baptist Church 3118 W. Fairview Loop	28-465 Seldon No. 2 Alcantra National Guard Armory 3401 E. Bogard Road	29-530 Sutton Sutton Library 11301 N. Chickaloon Way	ATTENTION TO VOTERS IN PRECINCT 29-515 – Kings Lake Please be aware that your polling location has changed from Larson Elementary School 2722 E. Seldon Road To Teeland Middle School 2788 N. Seward Meridian Parkway
25-330 Springer Loop Palmer 7th Day Adventist Church 2238 S. Inner Springer Loop	27-405 Foothills American Legion Post 35 4180 W. Tweed Court	28-470 Seward Meridian White Fields Church 4800 E. Palmer-Wasilla Highway	30-555 Big Lake Faith Bible Fellowship Church 14225 W. Kluane Road	
25-335 Walby Colony High School 9550 E. Bogard Road	27-410 Meadow Lakes No. 1 Meadow Lakes Elementary School 1741 N. Pittman Road	28-475 Trunk Pioneer Peak Elementary School 1959 N. Stringfield Road (joint w/28-455)	30-570 East Schrock Pittman Fire Station 7-1 1685 N. Pittman Road	
26-350 Fairview No. 1 Machetanz Elementary School 4961 E. Nelson Road	27-415 Meadow Lakes No. 2 West Lakes Fire Station 7-3 10073 W. Parks Highway	28-480 Wasilla Lake Cottonwood Creek Elem. School 800 N. Seward Meridian Parkway	30-580 Houston Houston City Hall 13878 W. Armstrong Road	
26-355 Fairview No. 2 Public Safety Building (Station 5-1) 1911 S. Terrace Court	27-420 Wasilla No. 1 Wasilla City Hall 290 E. Herning Avenue	29-505 Farm Loop Church On The Rock, Palmer 619 E. Scott Road	30-585 Knik Goose Bay No. 4 Redington Senior Jr/Sr High School 10015 W. Redington Drive	