The following offices and propositions will be on the ballots:

**AREAWIDE PROPOSITION**

(Initiative Ordinance Serial No. 15-088—The Ordinance Is Printed Within This Publication)

**PROPOSITION NO. B-1**

**PROHIBITING MARIJUANA ESTABLISHMENTS EXCEPT THOSE INVOLVING INDUSTRIAL HEMP**

IN THE AREA OUTSIDE OF THE CITIES

Initiative Ordinance Serial No. 15-088. This ordinance prohibits marijuana retail stores, marijuana cultivation facilities, marijuana product manufacturing facilities, and marijuana testing facilities in the Matanuska-Susitna Borough in the area outside of the cities. The prohibition does not apply to industrial hemp as defined in the ordinance.

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough adopt a local option to prohibit the operation of marijuana establishments except those involving industrial hemp in the area outside of the cities?

- **YES**
- **NO**

**FIVE PERCENT (5%) ON MARIJUANA AND MARIJUANA PRODUCTS WITH RELATED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS**

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough incur debt and issue general obligation bonds, in one or more series, in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed Twenty-Two Million One Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ($22,160,000), to finance the construction, acquisition, improvement, and equipping of parks and recreational capital facilities and related capital improvements in the Borough, including without limitation the projects described below?

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<th>Project</th>
<th>Estimated Cost</th>
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<tr>
<td>Palmer and Wasilla Pool Improvements</td>
<td>$12,830,900</td>
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<td>Brett Memorial Ice Arena Improvements</td>
<td>3,744,700</td>
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<td>Nine Trail Projects</td>
<td>2,128,500</td>
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<td>Talkeetna and Willow Outdoor Ice Rinks</td>
<td>1,530,000</td>
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<td>Willow Community Park Improvements</td>
<td>325,900</td>
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<td>Big Lake Area Trail Bridges</td>
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<td>Fish Lake Parking (Talkeetna)</td>
<td>100,000</td>
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<td>Trapper Creek Park and Community Center Improvements</td>
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<td>Meadow Lakes Sports Complex Improvements</td>
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<td>including Parking Lot Paving</td>
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<td>Total</td>
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The bonds shall be secured by a pledge of the full faith and credit of the Borough. (Ordinance Serial No. 16-085)

- **YES**
- **NO**

**PRECINCTS AND POLLING LOCATIONS**

- 07-100 Lakes No. 1: Finger Lake Elementary School, 5981 E Eek Street
- 07-105 Pioneer Peak: Pioneer Peak Elementary School, 1959 N Stringfield Road
- 07-110 Scheck: Alakanra National Guard Armory, 3401 E Bogard Road
- 07-115 Wasilla Lake: Cottonwood Creek Elementary School, 800 N Seward Meridian Parkway
- 07-120 Wasilla No. 1: Wasilla Senior Center, 1301 S Century Circle
- 07-125 Wasilla No. 2: Wasilla City Hall, 290 E Herning Avenue
- 07-130 Foothills: Menard Sports Center, 1001 S Mack Drive
- 08-130 Meadow Lakes No. 1: Meadow Lakes Elementary School, 1741 N Pittman Road
- 08-135 Meadow Lakes No. 2: Meadow Lakes Public Safety Building (Station 7-1), 1685 N Pittman Road
- 08-140 Knik Goose Bay No. 1: Knik Elementary School, 6350 W Hollywood Road
- 08-145 Knik Goose Bay No. 2: Goose Bay Elementary School, 6400 W Hollywood Road
- 08-150 Knik Goose Bay No. 3: Settlers Bay Community Church, 6865 W Dewlap Circle
- 08-155 Big Lake: Big Lake Lions Club, 2942 S Lions Circle
- 09-622 Farm Loop: Farm Loop Christian Center, 5900 N Farm Loop Road
- 09-628 Fishhook: Fishhook Public Safety Building (Station 3-5), 8200 E Turner Road
- 09-640 Sheep Mountain: Glacier View School, 65975 S Wolverine Circle (Mile 104 Glenn Highway)
- 09-645 Sutton: Sutton Public Library, 11301 N Chickaloon Way
The following is the initiative ordinance placing Proposition No. B on the ballot:

**CODE ORDIANCE**

**Application for Petition Filed:** 09/22/15  
**Petition Issued:** 09/29/15  
**Petition Certified:** 09/29/15

**AN INITIATIVE ORDINANCE OF THE VOTERS OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH APROPOSING MARIJUANA BUSINESSES EXCEPT THOSE INVOLVING INDUSTRIAL HEMP.**

NANADEF, the residents of Alaska passed Ballot Measure No. 2 - 13PM AN Act to Tax and Regulate the Production, Sale, and Use of Marijuana, codified as Alaska Statute Chapter 17.38 and NANADEF, the ballot measure creates classes of registrations, licenses, or permits to enable the lawful conduct of certain types of marijuana commerce and business and NANADEF, the conduct of these commercial and business activities is unlawful without the appropriate registration, license, or permit and NANADEF, AS 17.38.100 Local Control, enacted by Ballot Measure 2, empowers municipalities to prohibit the operation of these businesses by enactment of an ordinance or other initiatives and NANADEF, prohibiting the operation of commercial marijuana businesses does not infringe upon the personal use rights guaranteed by Ballot Measure 2 and NANADEF, the voters do not need to inhibit the development of industrial hemp.

**THEREFORE,** BY VOTER INITIATIVE, BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. This ordinance is a general and permanent measure and shall become a part of the Matanuska-Susitna Borough code.

Section 2. Adoption of Chapter. MB 8.22 is hereby adopted as follows:

8.22 Marijuana Licenses Referrals  
8.22.010 Definitions  
8.22.050 Marijuana businesses prohibited  
8.22.010 Definitions  
(A) As used in this chapter, the words shall have meanings as follows:  
(1) “Industrial hemp” means the plant Cannabis sativa and any part of such plant, whether growing or not, with a delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of not more than 0.3 percent on a dry weight basis and shall also include any definition of “industrial hemp,” or similar term serving the same purpose, adopted by law or regulations by the State of Alaska.  
(2) “Marijuana businesses” means any and all business, acts, or commerce subject to registration or licensure pursuant to Alaska Statute Chapter 17.38.

8.22.050 Marijuana businesses prohibited  
(A) Marijuana businesses are prohibited in the borough in the areas outside of cities.

(1) The prohibition contained in section (A) shall not apply to or restrict any business, act, or commerce relating to the growing or processing of industrial hemp otherwise authorized by state or federal law, whether authorized by Chapter 17.38 or any other provision of state or federal law; nor shall the prohibition contained in section (A) preclude issuance of a license or registration required for industrial hemp-related business or commerce to a qualified person or entity.  

Section 3. Effective date. If a majority vote favors this ordinance, it shall become effective upon certification of the election.

**ABSENTEE VOTING**

Absentee By-Mail Voting: You may apply for a ballot to be mailed to you by submitting an absentee by-mail ballot application. The application must be received by the Borough Clerk’s Office no later than Tuesday, September 27, 2016. Applications are available online at www.matsugov.us/elections or call 861-9683 to request an application.

Absentee In-Person Voting: Voters may choose to vote prior to Election Day at one of the following absentee voting locations. Please note, the hours of operation vary at each location. Only the Division of Elections and the Mat-Su Borough location will have all ballot types.

**Division of Elections - Mat-Su Regional Office**  
1700 E. Bogard Road  
North Fork Professional Bldg. B, Suite 102, Wasilla  
This location is open Monday - Saturday, as follows:  
September 19 through September 23, 2016 - 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
September 24, 2016 - 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
September 26 through September 30, 2016 - 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
October 1, 2016 - 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
October 3, 2016 - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Sundays - Closed  
*All ballot types are available at this location.

**Mat-Su Borough Administration Building**  
(Dorothy Swanda Jones Building)  
350 E. Dahlia Avenue, Palmer  
This location is open Monday - Friday, as follows:  
September 19 through October 4, 2016 - Monday – Friday (8 a.m. to 5 p.m.)  
Saturday and Sunday - Closed  
*All ballot types are available at this location, except that city ballots (Houston, Palmer and Wasilla) will not be available on Election Day, October 4, 2016.

Absentee In-Person voting will also take place September 19 through October 3, 2016, at Houston City Hall (M-F 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.), Talkeetna Public Library (M-Sat: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.), and Trapper Creek Public Library (M & W: 12 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Tu: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.; and Sat: 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.). Ballot types at these locations are limited and specific to the community in which the ballot is cast.

**DON'T FORGET TO VOTE**

**ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2016**

The polls are open on Election Day from 7 am to 8 pm.

The following offices and propositions will be on the ballots:

10-005 Kings Lake  
9550 E Bogard Road  
10-010 Church  
Lamb of God Lutheran Church  
1221 N Church Road  
10-015 Tanaina  
Tanaina Elementary School  
2550 N Lucille Street  
10-020 Houston  
Houston City Hall  
13878 W Armstrong Road  
10-025 Meadow Lakes No. 3  
Church on the Rock  
3571 W Machen Road  
10-030 Susitna  
Upper Susitna Senior and Civic Center  
16463 E Helena Avenue  
10-035 Talkeetna  
Talkeetna Elementary School  
13930 E Timber Wolf Loop

10-040 Trapper Creek  
Trapper Creek Elementary School  
6742 E Petersville Road  
10-045 Willow  
Willow Community Center  
369 Parks Highway  
10-050 Meadow Lakes No. 4  
American Legion Post 35  
4180 W Twentac Road  
10-055 Lakes No. 2  
Larson Elementary School  
2722 E Seldon Road  
11-055 Wasby  
Church on the Rock  
1950 S Bogard Road  
11-060 Greater Palmer  
Palmer Community Center (Railroad Depot)  
610 S Valley Way  
11-065 Mat-Su Campus  
Matanuska-Susitna College  
8295 E College Drive

11-070 Palmer City No. 1  
Mat-Su Borough Building  
350 E Dahlia Avenue  
11-075 Palmer City No. 2  
Palmer Senior Citizens Center  
1132 S Chugach Street  
11-085 Trunk  
Central Mat-Su Public Safety Building  
1191 S Terrace Court  
11-090 Seward Meridian  
Gospel Outreach Christian Center  
4800 E Palmer-Wasilla Highway  
11-095 Springer Loop  
Palmer 7th Day Adventist Church  
2238 S Inner Springer Loop  
11-099 Lazy Mountain  
Lazy Mountain Bible Church  
16005 E Swan Drive  
12-200 Fairview No. 3  
Snowshoe Elementary School  
2001 E Fairview Loop