

AIRPORT HEIGHTS COMMUNITY COUNCIL  
RESOLUTION 2020 -2

A RESOLUTION OF THE AIRPORT HEIGHTS COMMUNITY COUNCIL IN SUPPORT OF  
VOTING BY MAIL FOR STATEWIDE ELECTIONS

WHEREAS, members of the Airport Heights Community Council (AHCC) have concerns about in person voting in the upcoming statewide elections due to the coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, poll workers tend to be senior citizens and may be unwilling to work in the upcoming elections due to health concerns, leaving the polls without enough workers to adequately run in person polling;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Anchorage has successfully run vote by mail elections for the past two years, while also having vote in person locals for the elections;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Airport Heights Community Council requests that for the upcoming statewide elections

- 1) the Division of Elections work with the Municipal of Anchorage Clerk to effectuate voting by mail in Anchorage by coordinating the use of the Anchorage vote by mail facility; and
- 2) the Division of Elections make a concerted effort to encourage citizens to request absentee ballots in other areas of Alaska in order to avoid in person voting wherever practical.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS APPROVED by the Airport Heights Community Council on May 21, 2020 by a vote of: FOR 14, AGAINST 0, ABSTAIN 2.

  
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Carolyn Ramsey  
President