



## PRESS RELEASE

### DISTRICT 1 VOTES AT HOME, BY MAIL, AND IN PERSON!

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Municipal Clerk's Election Team wants to help District 1 voters make a plan to cast a ballot and reminds District 1 voters of the many options to vote in the June 21, 2022 Special Municipal Election. Qualified, registered voters may

- Vote your mailed ballot;
- Vote in-person at the Anchorage Vote Center;
- Vote by fax or email, especially if you are out of town; or
- Vote a Special Needs Ballot in your own home if you are disabled, elderly, or sick.

**Vote at Home/Vote by Mail:** District 1 voters are encouraged to vote and return their mailed ballot. Voters may return their voted ballot in one of three ways: (1) to a Secure Drop Box, (2) to the Anchorage Vote Center (AVC); or (3) by mail, through the US Postal Service (USPS) with a first class stamp. **Reminder! U.S. Post Offices are CLOSED on Monday, June 20 in observance of the Juneteenth Holiday. We recommend voters returning their voted ballot by Secure Drop Box instead. If you choose to return your ballot by mail on Tuesday, June 21, please ask a postal worker to "hand cancel" or place a postmark on the envelope to make sure your vote will count!** The last day for voters to return a ballot is Tuesday, Special Election Day, June 21, 2022.

**Return Voted Ballots to Secure Drop Box:** District 1 voters are reminded that there are 5 Secure Ballot Drop Boxes throughout the District that are open 24 hours, 7 days-a-week until 8:00 p.m. on Special Election Day, June 21, 2022. District 1 voters in line at a secure drop box by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day will be allowed to drop off their ballots. Voters can call the Voter Hotline at (907) 243-VOTE (8683) or search the online map of Secure Ballot Drop Box and Anchorage Vote Center Locations at [www.muni.org/elections/dropbox](http://www.muni.org/elections/dropbox) to find the location of the closest secure drop box.

**Vote In Person at an Anchorage Vote Center (AVC):** District 1 voters may visit the Anchorage Vote Center to vote in person if voters lost, damaged, didn't receive a mailed ballot, or prefer to vote in person. Voters must have proper identification to vote in person at the Anchorage Vote Center. The Anchorage Vote Center has extended hours in 2022 including Saturday and Sunday hours and until 6:00 p.m. on weekdays. Here are the locations and hours for the Vote Center:

- **City Hall**  
**632 West 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Room #105**  
Weekdays, June 13 – June 20, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. **Open until 6:00 p.m.!**  
Saturday, June 18, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. **Open on Saturday!**  
Sunday, June 19, noon – 5 p.m. **Open on Sunday!**  
Election Day, June 21, 7 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
*All District 1 ballots will be available at this location.*

**Vote by fax or email:** District 1 voters, who are unable to vote their mailed ballot or unable to vote in person, may vote by fax or email. Voters must call the Voter Hotline at (907) 243-VOTE (8683) to request an Application to Vote by Fax or Email; voters should complete and return the application to MOA Elections as soon as possible, but no later than 5:00 p.m. AKDT on Monday, June 20, 2022, and applications will be processed as time allows. Instructions are included with the application.



**Vote a Special Needs Ballot:** District 1 voters who are elderly, have a disability, are hospitalized, are sick, or have a positive COVID test, may vote a Special Needs Ballot. Voters should call the Voter Hotline at (907) 243-VOTE (8683) to request a Special Needs Ballot to be delivered to them and Election Officials will deliver a ballot to the voter, allow the voter to vote in privacy, and return the ballot to the Election Center.

**Voter Questions:** Voters may get help with voting questions by visiting [muni.org/elections](https://muni.org/elections), or calling the Voter Hotline at (907) 243-VOTE (8683).

Please remember to vote and encourage your friends and neighbors to do the same!

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