CITY & BOROUGH OF WRANGELL

BOROUGH CLERK'S REPORT





TO: BOROUGH ASSEMBLY MEMBERS AND MAYOR GILBERT

FROM: KIM LANE, BOROUGH CLERK

SUBJECT: September 10th CLERK'S REPORT

Upcoming Meetings & Other Informational dates:

Other City Boards/Commissions:

September 12 – Planning & Zoning Commission mtg at 5:30pm in the Assembly Chambers

Community Events:

October 5 – Tax Free Day

Upcoming 2024 Work Sessions (scheduled), Public Hearings (scheduled), Regular Assembly Meetings, and Other Meetings (scheduled)

DATE	TIME	PURPOSE
September 24 (no work session scheduled)	6рт	Regular Assembly Meeting
October 3 (Thursday)	5:30pm	SPECIAL Assembly Meeting to certify election
October 8 (no work session scheduled)	6рт	Regular Assembly Meeting
October 22 (no work session scheduled)	6рт	Regular Assembly Meeting
November 12 (no work session scheduled)	6рт	Regular Assembly Meeting
November 26 (will most likely cancel this meeting since it's two days before Thanksgiving (no work session scheduled)	6рт	Regular Assembly Meeting
December 10 (may reschedule for Dec 3 rd instead)	6рт	Regular Assembly Meeting



It is extremely important to borough staff, the assembly, and residents to encourage everyone to sign up to receive local NIXLE alerts. Please open the link above to register.

Nixle Community Information Service allows us to create and publish messages to be delivered to subscribed residents instantly via cell phone text message and/or email. Notifications can also be accessed online at Nixle's website.

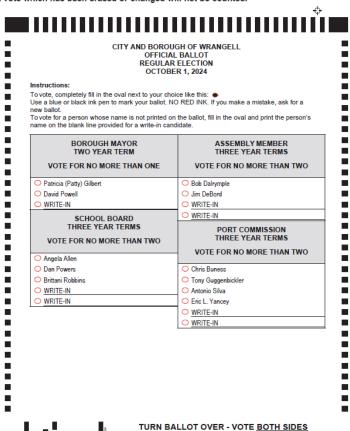
The service is secure and reliable for Wrangell residents to use. Wrangell emergency services will be utilizing NIXLE for critical situations such as severe weather events or evacuation alerts.

The local election will be on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, this year. Here is the sample ballot...

SAMPLE BALLOT FRONT

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PROPOSITION NO. 1 Explanation Section 2-3 of the Home Rule Charter for the City and Borough of Wrangell provides: "No assembly section 2-3 of the nome route charlet to the City and bottoget of waterpland when we will be made and the compensation for serving on the assembly, but may be reimbursed for expenses incurred in the discharge of his or her official duties. Unless otherwise provided by ordinance, an assembly member may hold no other compensated borough office or employment." The Assembly adopted Ordinance No. 1063 proposing an amendment to the Charlet to amend Section 2-3, removing the prohibition on compensation to assembly members. If approved by voters, the assembly will need to establish such compensation by ordinance. Shall the Home Rule Charter of the City and Borough of Wrangell be amended as set forth in Ordinance No. 1063? O YES O NO PROPOSITION NO. 2 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR MAJOR RENOVATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDING Explanation Shall the City and Borough of Wrangell, Alaska, incur debt and issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed three-million dollars (\$3,000,000) for the purpose of paying the costs of construction of major renovation of the public safety building and related capital improvements? The bonds shall be secured by a pledge of the full faith and credit of the Borough (Ordinance No YES A "YES" vote approves the issuance of bonds NO A "NO" vote opposes the issuance of bonds.

TURN BALLOT OVER - VOTE BOTH SIDES

Boards and Commission vacancies.....

There are several board and commission seats that will be available in October as well. Those seats are as follows:

Planning & Zoning Commission:



- Jillian Privett (3-year term)
- Kathleen St. Clair (3-year term)

Parks & Recreation Board



- Nancy Delpero (3-year term)
- Joan Sargent (3-year term)

Wrangell Convention & Visitors Bureau



• Grace Wintermyer (3-year term)

Economic Development Board



• Brian Ashton (3-year term)

The appointments for boards and commissions will take place at the October 8th Regular Assembly meeting.

General Election.....

The General Election (Presidential) will be held on November 5, 2024. Absentee voting for this election will take place in the Borough Assembly chambers from October 21, 2024 through November 4, 2024. You can find the most up-to-date information on the General Election on the Alaska Division of Elections webpage here: https://www.elections.alaska.gov/election-information/#GENR