



## *Bristol Bay Borough*

Dear Absentee Voter:

Enclosed is your absentee ballot that you previously requested for the Borough General Election.

Please use the following directions, read all prior to voting:

1. Fill out the Absentee In-Person Ballot Oath and Affidavit (use a pen) Use your Alaskan Address, residence, and P.O. Box number (be sure to specify the residential address where you live, such as #123 FAA Housing, Wolverine Drive, Naknek River Subdivision, Apt. #2 King's Apts., etc.)
2. Sign your Absentee In-Person Ballot Oath and Affidavit Envelope in front of 1 witness that knows you and have them sign as a witness at the bottom of the envelope. Box 13. Just under voter signature. The Borough code is below in yellow.

**Bristol Bay Borough Code 2.34.380**

- D. At any time on or before the date of the election, any voter who has received an absentee ballot by mail may vote the ballot. The voted ballot shall then be placed inside the small blank envelope included among the absentee voting materials, which shall then be placed inside the large return envelope. The voter shall then sign the certification on the return envelope in the presence of one of the following attesting authorized officials:
1. an election judge; notary public; commissioned officer of the armed forces, including the National Guard; district court judge or magistrate; clerk of the court; United States Postmaster or authorized postal clerk; or any other person qualified to administer oaths; or,
  2. in the case that one of the previously mentioned authorized officials is not reasonably accessible, one witness who is at least 18 years of age.

- E. After the voter's certification is witnessed, the voter shall mail or otherwise cause the absentee ballot to be delivered to the borough clerk. If mailed, the voted ballot must be postmarked by the date of the election, and must be received by the borough clerk no later than three calendar days following the election. Otherwise, the voted ballot must be returned to a precinct election official by no later than 8 p.m. on Election Day. The clerk or designated election official shall stamp on the envelope containing the oath the date upon which the ballot is received.
3. When you vote, use a pen--- READ FIRST, THEN THINK, MISTAKES —will invalidate your ballot.
  4. Put your ballot inside the gray sleeve envelope and then put it inside the Absentee In-Person ballot Oath & Affidavit & Seal.
  5. **YOUR ENVELOPE MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 4, 2022. I must receive your ballot by October 7, 2022, per Borough Code above, or your vote cannot be counted.** This only allows 3 days for your ballot to arrive via mail. Please vote now and put it right back in the mail.
  6. A return envelope has been provided for you to mail your ballot back.

If you have any questions, you may call me at (907) 246-4224 ext. 308.

Thank you,

Sherry Tibbetts, Borough Clerk