

**CITY OF HOMER  
HOMER, ALASKA**

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**RESOLUTION 22-040**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF HOMER, ALASKA  
SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO INCREASE VOTER AWARENESS OF  
UPCOMING ELECTIONS.

WHEREAS, Voting is the basis for our system of government; and

WHEREAS, Turnout for state and municipal elections in Homer regularly is less than  
30% of registered voters; and

WHEREAS, Alaska will see multiple elections during spring, summer, and fall 2022  
including a special election for Congressional Representative, state primary and general  
election, and municipal election; and

WHEREAS, Homer was designated as an early polling site for the state special, primary,  
and general elections; and

WHEREAS, The City of Homer conducts municipal elections in coordination with the  
Kenai Peninsula Borough and cooperates with the State of Alaska on state elections; and

WHEREAS, The City of Homer advertises and provides awareness of upcoming elections  
and Homer City Council Chambers and the Clerks Office are used for elections in Homer; and


WHEREAS, It is in the City of Homer's best interest to take actions to help improve  
awareness of upcoming state and municipal elections during which registered Homer voters  
may vote.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Homer City Council supports efforts by the  
City Administration to increase efforts to bring awareness to residents about upcoming  
elections to include such activities as placing City owned voter awareness street banners on  
Pioneer Avenue before and during election periods, using City owned mobile electronic signs  
to advertise upcoming elections, placing City owned voter awareness banners at key City parks  
and public spaces before and during election periods, and other methods to increase  
awareness and education about state and municipal elections relevant to Homer.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Homer City Council this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022.

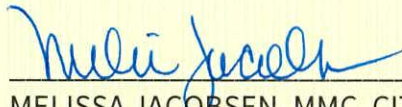
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ATTEST:



MELISSA JACOBSEN, MMC, CITY CLERK

Fiscal Note: City Clerk and Election Advertising/Office Supplies - approx. \$1000 to purchase banners. Staff time for banner design and installation/removal.

