

CITY OF DILLINGHAM, ALASKA

ORDINANCE NO. 2011-07

AN ORDINANCE OF THE DILLINGHAM CITY COUNCIL AMENDING DMC SECTION 3.10.075 OF THE DILLINGHAM MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE ELECTION OF CANDIDATES TO FILL A VACANCY ON THE CITY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, Section 3.10.075 of the Dillingham Municipal Code as adopted in 1991 requires vacancies on the city council filled by election to be determined as if all candidates for all city council seats were running at large rather than for designated seats; and

WHEREAS, Section 3.40.015 of the Dillingham Municipal Code was amended in 1996 to change the manner in which city council candidates are elected to a designated seat system; and

WHEREAS, Section 3.10.075 should have been changed to reflect the designated seat election system adopted in 1996 in order to be consistent with Section 3.40.015;

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DILLINGHAM:

Section 1. Amendment of Section 3.10.075. Section 3.10.075 of the Dillingham Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows: (deletions are in [brackets])

3.10.075 Procedure for filling vacancies.

When an elected official or officials have vacated one or more seats before the expiration of the full term, a replacement shall be elected at the next regular election for the balance of the term. [The candidate or candidates receiving the most votes shall be declared the winner of the full term seat or seats, and the next highest shall complete the balance of the term for any seat with two years remaining, and the next highest shall complete the balance of the term for any seat with one year remaining.]

Section 2. Classification. This is a code ordinance.

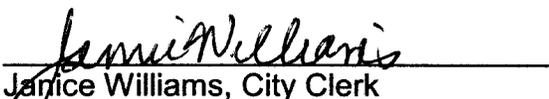
Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be made effective upon passage.

ENACTED by the Dillingham City Council on 9/8/2011.

SEAL:


Alice Ruby, Mayor

ATTEST:


Janice Williams, City Clerk