

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF A PETITION WITH THE LOCAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION (LBC)
FOR INCORPORATION OF THE CITY OF EDNA BAY

A local action petition to incorporate Edna Bay as a second class city has been filed with the LBC. The petitioner consists of the qualified voters of the proposed city who signed the petition in accordance with AS 29.05.060(12). The petitioner's representative is E. Lee Greif. The territory proposed by the city for incorporation consists of approximately 27.5 square miles, consisting of 23 square miles of land and 4.5 square miles of tidelands and submerged lands.

The legal description of the area proposed for incorporation is set out in the petition. The territory considered for incorporation is generally described as the territory that includes state, federal, mental health and privately owned lands in and around the community of Edna Bay positioned in Township 68S, Range 76E of the Copper River Meridian starting with Section 7, continuing on with consecutively numbered sections, and ending with a portion of Section 35.

Standards governing the city incorporation are established in AS 29.05.011 - 29.05.021, 3 AAC 110.005 – 3 AAC 110.042, and 3 AAC 110.900 – 3 AAC 110.990. Procedures governing city incorporation by local action method are set out in AS 29.05.060 - AS 29.05.150 and 3 AAC 110.400 – 3 AAC 110.700.

The petition, map and related documents, including a map of the territory proposed for incorporation, are available for public review 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at the following locations:

In plastic binders at both the Edna Bay Post Office, 203 W. Davidson, Edna Bay, AK 99950, and the Edna Bay State Harbor, 101 Kosciusko Dr., Edna Bay, AK 99950. The petition will be posted on the LBC website:

www.commerce.alaska.gov/dca/lbc/2013_Edna_Bay_Incorporation_Petition, and on the Edna Bay website:
www.ednabayalaska.net.

The petition, if approved by the LBC, will be subject to a local election. The date of the election will be determined at a later date in an order from the Division of Elections. A qualified voter is one who has been registered to vote within the proposed city at least 30 days before the date of the election order from the Division of Elections. AS 29.05.110(b)

Interested persons or entities may file with the LBC written comments regarding this petition. Additionally, a person with the capacity to sue and be sued may file with the LBC a responsive brief supporting or opposing the petition. Responsive briefs and public comments must be filed and served in accordance with 3 AAC 110.480 and 3 AAC 110.700. A person or entity who files a responsive brief gains certain procedural rights and duties during the petition proceedings. Responsive briefs and written comments must be received by the LBC by 4:30 pm, November 20, 2013 in the office below:

Local Boundary Commission staff
550 West Seventh Avenue, Suite 1640 • Anchorage, AK 99501-3510
Phone: 907-269-4559/4587 • Fax: 907-269-4563
Email: LBC@alaska.gov

Questions on the proposed incorporation may be directed to LBC staff at the mailing address, email address, phone number, or fax number listed above.

Persons interested in receiving future LBC notices, updates, and materials by email may subscribe to the LBC notice list server by visiting <http://list.state.ak.us/index.htm>, selecting "DCED-Local Boundary Commission," clicking "join or leave," and following the instructions.