

Action:

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH  
RESOLUTION SERIAL NO. 25-034**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY TERMINATING STAFF ASSISTANCE FOR DEVELOPING A SOUTH KNIK RIVER SPECIAL USE DISTRICT.

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WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council is recognized by the Borough as a community organization; and

WHEREAS, the Assembly approved RS 24-052 directing staff to assist the South Knik River Community Council in developing a Special Use District; and

WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council solicited applicants for a committee to draft the Special Use District through direct mailing of 548 letters to an unduplicated list of property owner and/or registered voter addresses, and all (81) business licensee operating within South Knik River Community Council geographic boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council voted at their November 2024 meeting to require at least 75% of the committee participants to be residents of the South Knik River Community Council geographic area; and

WHEREAS, 28 committee applications were received which asked applicants to self-identify one or more stakeholder categories; and

WHEREAS, 24 applicants self-identified as residents (86%), 18 applicants self-identified as land owners (64%), and 11 applicants self-identified as business owners (39%); and

WHEREAS, the South Knik River Community Council convened the applicants in a special meeting in January 2025 to discuss how to proceed in forming the committee; and

WHEREAS, the applicants elected a committee chairperson at the January 2025 meeting and selected a meeting schedule; and

WHEREAS, at the February South Knik River Community Council meeting the members voted to terminate the drafting and pursuit of a Special Use District, as communicated to the Borough in the South Knik River Community Council resolution 25-01.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Assembly terminates staff assistance for developing a South Knik River Community Council Special Use District.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 18th day of March, 2025.

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EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

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LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

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