Prepared and Requested by: Clerk

Introduced: August 10, 1998

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Vote: Unanimous

## CITY OF WASILLA ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 98-40

AN ORDINANCE OF THE WASILLA CITY COUNCIL AMENDING WMC, 2.04.010, CITY COUNCIL COMPOSITION AND WMC 2.04.030, ELECTION OF COUNCILMEN TERMS.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE CITY OF WASILLA, ALASKA:

**Section 1.** Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and shall become a part of the Wasilla Municipal Code.

**Section 2.** Amendment of section. WMC 2.04.010, City Council - Composition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.04.010 [CITY COUNCIL -] Composition.

The <u>city c[C]</u>ouncil shall consist of six [(6) COUNCIL] members[,]. <u>Council members</u> [EACH OF WHOM] shall <u>file for and</u> be elected at large to <u>seats</u> designated [SEATS] A, B, C, D, E, <u>and</u> [&] F [AND SWORN INTO AND TAKE OFFICE ON THE FIRST MONDAY FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION OF THE ELECTION].

**Section 3.** Amendment of section. WMC 2.04.030, Election of Councilmen - Terms, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.04.030 [ELECTION OF COUNCILMEN -] Terms.

A council member's term shall be three years. An elected candidate succeeds to the candidate's elected office at the next regular council meeting following the certification of election. [A REGULAR ELECTION SHALL BE HELD ON THE FIRST TUESDAY OF OCTOBER EACH YEAR TO ELECT COUNCIL MEMBERS AND TO BRING UP FOR CONSIDERATION OTHER ISSUES REQUIRED FOR VOTE BY THE ELECTORS. COUNCILMEN SHALL ALL RUN FOR THREE (3) YEAR TERMS.] No person shall [BE ELECTED TO OR] serve on the c[C]ouncil

for more than two [(2)] consecutive, full terms without a break in service **for** [OF] at least one [(1)] full year.

**Section 4. Effective date.** This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption by the Wasilla City Council.

ADOPTED by the Wasilla City Council, Alaska, this 24th day of August, 1998.

SARAH PALIN, Mayor

ATTEST:

KRISTIE L. VANGORDER, CMC/AAE

City Clerk

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