

CITY OF BETHEL, ALASKA

RESOLUTION NO. 54

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF BETHEL, ALASKA, THE QUESTION OF THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS AT A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN AND FOR THE CITY OF BETHEL ON THE _____ DAY OF _____, 1969.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Bethel, Alaska:

Section 1. It is hereby determined that more than thirty-five percent of the total number of voters at the last general municipal election held in the City of Bethel, Alaska, have petitioned this Council to place upon a ballot at a special municipal election the following question:

"For the sale of intoxicating liquors....." (yes or no) all in accordance with the provisions of Alaska Statutes Section 04.10.430.

Section 2. It is further determined that a special election be held on the _____ day of _____, 1969, in and for the City of Bethel and at said election the following proposition shall be submitted upon a separate ballot to the qualified electors of the City of Bethel:

Proposition

For the sale of intoxicating liquors

Yes ☐

No ☐

Section 3. The qualifications for electors at said special election are as established by Alaska Statutes Title 15 as follows:

- (a) They must be at least 19 years of age.
- (b) They must be citizens of the United States and for at least one year just preceding said election residents of the State of Alaska, and for at least 30 days just preceding the election residents of the election district in which the City is located.
- (c) They must be able to speak or read the English language as prescribed by law.
- (d) They must not be barred from voting by any other provision of law.

Section 4. The polling places within the City are designated as follows:

Precinct No. 1: For those qualified voters living within the area of the corporate limits of the City of Bethel, Alaska:

Section 5. The special election shall be held between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 8 o'clock p.m.

Section 6. Pursuant to the requirements of law, the following are appointed judges and clerks for this special municipal election to serve in the municipal voting precinct as herein set forth:

(give names and addresses of three judges, designating one of them as head judge and the other two as clerks. The three judges must be qualified voters and no more than two can be of the same political party. The appointment is by the Council. If there are 200 or more voters and the paper ballot is used, then if the Council desires it can appoint a second "counting board" of three persons who will be designated as the counting board to help count the ballots. Since there is only a single proposition, I would assume that the regular election board will handle the counting. The election

judges and clerks must accept their appointments and subscribe an oath as follows:
"I shall honestly, faithfully and promptly perform the duties of a member of the election board for the City of Bethel, Alaska."
Any one of the election judges may administer the oath to any of the other judges.)

Section 6. The above-named judges and clerks shall attend the above-labeled polling place at 8:00 a.m. on the date of the special election, after taking the oath required by law, and serve there until 8:00 p.m., at which time a judge will audibly announce the polls closed after proclaiming 30 minutes advance notice thereof, and thereafter the judges shall count and check votes cast in the manner required by law. The count and check of the votes cast shall be performed by the election officers on duty.

Section 7. In the event any of the above election officers shall fail to take their office for any reason, the Clerk of the City of Bethel is authorized to appoint other qualified officials to take their place in the manner prescribed by law.

Section 8. At least ten days before the date of the special election, the City Clerk shall post or cause to be posted the following notice in three public places within the City of Bethel, Alaska:

Notice of Special Election

A special election for the City of Bethel, Alaska, will be held on the _____ day of _____, 1969, between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 8 o'clock p.m. for the submission of the following proposition to the qualified electors of the City of Bethel:

Proposition

For the sale of
intoxicating liquors

Yes ☐

No ☐

(Notice, continued)

The polling place within the City of Bethel, Alaska, is designated as follows:

The city limits of the City of Bethel shall constitute the precinct boundary.

Dated: _____, 1969.

City Clerk

Section 9. The foregoing notice of special election shall also be published at least twice in one or more newspapers of general circulation within the city. For the purposes of this resolution, the _____ is designated as a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Bethel. First publication in the newspaper shall be made not less than ten (10) days before the election.

Section 10. All questions of voter residence, qualification and election procedures shall be governed by the provisions of Alaska Statutes Title 15, and ordinances numbered 14, 29 and 34 of the City of Bethel, provided, however, that in the event of a conflict between the ordinances and the State statute, the provisions of the State statute shall be followed.

Publication of this resolution shall be made by posting a copy hereof on the City Hall Bulletin board for a period of ten days following its passage and approval.

Passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Bethel, Alaska, the _____ day of _____, 1969.

City Clerk

Mayor