

DENALI BOROUGH, ALASKA  
ORDINANCE NO. 08-16

INTRODUCED BY: MAYOR DAVID TALERICO

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE DENALI BOROUGH ASSEMBLY TO ASSUME PLANNING COMMISSION POWERS THAT WILL AUTOMATICALLY TERMINATE ONCE NEW MEMBERS OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION ARE NOMINATED AND APPROVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH BOROUGH CODE.

BE IT ENACTED by the Assembly of the Denali Borough, Alaska, that:

Section 1. Classification. The classification of this ordinance is of an emergency and temporary nature.

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to continue with legal Planning Commission functions.

Section 3. Authority. Denali Borough Code of Ordinances, Title I, Chapter 3, Section 7.

Section 4. Borough Assembly Finding of Emergency. The function of platting is performed from time to time by the commission, convened as the platting authority for the borough, and completed upon it having approved or rejected proposed plats, replats, and vacation of public ways according to law. The planning commission also holds public hearings when necessary and can make recommendations to the assembly on matters concerning the enforcement of regulations and amendments to ordinances, or other matters within the scope of the planning commission.

Because of these responsibilities and the consequences that could result from not having a planning commission, the Denali Borough is placed in a position where immediate action is necessary.

Section 5. Assembly Action. Based on these findings, the Denali Borough Assembly declares an emergency and assumes temporary powers and responsibilities of the Planning Commission and will relinquish these powers and responsibilities when enough new members are nominated and approved by the assembly to establish a quorum of the Planning Commission.

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance becomes effective upon adoption by the Denali Borough Assembly and signature of the Mayor.

DATE INTRODUCED: APRIL 9, 2008  
FIRST READING: APRIL 9, 2008

PASSED and APPROVED by the Denali Borough Assembly this 9<sup>TH</sup> day of APRIL, 2008.

  
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DAVID M TALERICO, MAYOR

ATTEST:   
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GAIL PIEKNIK, BOROUGH CLERK



Ayes: PASSED UNANIMOUSLY  
Absent: HOCKIN