



Lieutenant Governor Nancy Dahlstrom
STATE OF ALASKA

December 16, 2024

Phillip Izon II
1044 S. Old Glenn Hwy
Palmer, AK 99645

Dear Mr. Izon:

On December 16, 2024, I received your application for the following initiative that you entitled:

"This act would Remove Ranked-Choice General Election. This act would restore one person, one vote by removing the rank choice voting system and replacing it with the Primary and General Election Process used before the rank choice voting initiative was adopted in 2020. Primary voters would vote for their preferred party candidate, and one candidate from each registered political party would appear on the general ballot. The candidate with the most votes wins the Primary Election. The candidate with the most votes wins the General Election. This initiative also restores voter choice in the nomination of the Lieutenant Governor for each party, reaffirming Alaska's commitment to its two constitutional offices."

The statutes that govern the initiative process are AS 15.45.010 – AS 15.45.245. Accordingly, I will review the application for certification within 60 calendar days and will contact you on or before the February 14, 2025 deadline with the results of this review. With assistance from the Division of Elections and the Department of Law, I will review the application to determine if (1) the proposed bill is in the required form; (2) the application is substantially in the required form; and (3) there is a sufficient number of qualified sponsors.

If you properly file a petition for this initiative, the \$100 application fee will be refunded.

If you have any questions regarding your application, my review, or the initiative process, please contact April Simpson in my office at (907) 465-4081.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Nancy Dahlstrom".

Nancy Dahlstrom
Lieutenant Governor