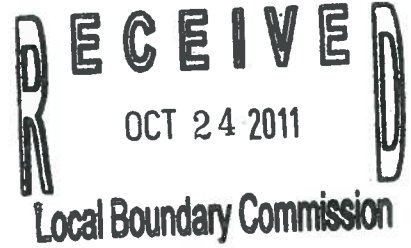


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Please Forgive The Handwriting
I Have NO Access TO A Computer
And Can't get Ribbons For
my Typewriter.

This is My Sworn Statement That This
Brief 2 Copies of which ~~are~~ ^{are being}
delivered to the City of Petersburg
Please & Be

Next

Regarding Petersburg Borough Formation
I First must mention that the Petition
No. 19-15 says Technical words have to
be construed in their own Peculiar Meaning
AS does AS. 01 10. 040.

16 AM Jur 2nd AT § 77 says technical
words have to be given their technical
meaning even in Constitutions.

Blocks how Dictionary definitions
are legal Terms which have a
fixed and known meaning in a Science
ART or Profession

I believe I have identified some,

AS 2905 031 lists four (4)
Standards that have to be met

The First

The Area must be interpreted
and integrated "which means related
mutually & made one"; AS TO
social Economic and Cultural
Activities, Block 6th defines "activity"
AS any occupation or pursuit in which
a person is active." "pursuit means occupation

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Trade, or Profession, employment,

I know of no one myself, included engaged in these activities, (in business together).

The second the boundaries do not conform to natural surroundings so that full development of municipal services can occur.

our access to Petersburg is restricted by climatic conditions as well as geography.

We can't walk to town, there is no transportation or roads connecting us together. If we get fog,

on high winds, on severe cold, on if our outboards won't start, on if our boat has been thrown up on the rocks as often occurs we can't get to town.

In the winter months I am often trapped for weeks, sometimes months,

Municipal Services are things like Sidewalks, with Street lights on Roads that are kept open, sewer water power, as well as Emergency services which the petitioner admits it can't provide.

Planning, Zoning, Taxing ~~and~~ are NOT services they are Powers Article VII of the ALASKA Constitution mandates that the State provide and maintain a public school system, they can't make that AN ARTICLE VIII SERVICE.

A STATUTE CANNOT create AN INCOURAGE ONCE on serious hardship or AN INJUSTICE. IT IS INCOURAGING A Hardship to expect us to try to make it to a Municipal Assembly Meeting under adverse conditions AS WELL AS AN INJUSTICE IF WE CAN'T MAKE A meeting

The Third

The Economy of the area cannot provide Full Development of Municipal Services, "ever" because of the Geographical and Climatic Impediments

The Fourth

The Transportation Facilities are thing like trucks, buses, taxis, trolley and the like
 AS "TRANSPORTATION" means to carry or convey persons or property by a carriage,
 A "CARRION" carrier and is an "individual" or "organization" engaged in transporting person or goods for hire "See Blacks 6th

Our SKIFFS & wheels are NOT engaged in carrying passengers or cargo for hire. The terms organization and individuals are defined as entities i.e. corporations

Finally we are NOT "Contiguous!"
 which means Touching, or Attached To,
 Along Side of.

3 AAC 110 045

Says the borough must
 be connected to the rest of
 government by roads etc. OR...

The word "OR" is another technical
 word which means and when
 necessary to interpret an instrument.

A charter is an instrument!

AS IS A STATUTE! See Blacks 6th

Blacks law dictionary under
 municipalities says it a municipality
 has to have a population & community,
 "thickly settled", it must be URBAN IN
 NATURE. IT MUST ADMINISTER THE
 CONCERNS OF MATTERS PECULIAR
 TO SUCH PLACE AND NOT COMMON
 TO THE STATE AT LARGE. IT CAN BE
 STYLED A CITY, TOWN, BOROUGH, VILLAGE
 THERE IS NO DIFFERENCE EXCEPT THE

All The Standards must be met Page 7
The proposed Borough does NOT
meet any of the Standards in

As 29 05 03¹ presumption is considered true
AN UNREFUTED

Thank You

Sincerely

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