



Municipality of Anchorage

Office of the Mayor

Ethan Berkowitz, Mayor

March 31, 2017

The Honorable Dennis Egan
State Capitol, Room 417
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Dear Senator Egan,

Today, we write in support of SB 100. In December of last year, the Anchorage Assembly approved the Municipality of Anchorage's 2017 Legislative Program. Included was a priority recommendation to address an outstanding issue with "nonconsensual common law liens" created in 1998, with the passage of SB 195.

Passage of SB 100 would aid local governments' collection of past due bills.

We've worked with other Alaska communities that also support this legislation and appreciate your efforts toward passage of SB 100.

Sincerely,

Ethan Berkowitz
Mayor

Elvi Gray-Jackson
Anchorage Assembly Chair