### **SENATE BILL NO. 143**

# IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

#### BY SENATOR YUNDT

Introduced: 3/26/25

Referred: Education, Community and Regional Affairs

### **A BILL**

## FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

- 1 "An Act relating to the terms of office of municipal school board members; and
- 2 providing for an effective date."

### 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

- \* **Section 1.** AS 14.12.050 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
- 5 (d) The governing body of a municipality may by ordinance alter the terms of office provided for in this section.
- 7 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 29.20.300(a) is amended to read:
- (a) Each municipal school district has a school board. Except as provided in

  (b) or (c) of this section, members of a school board are elected at the regular election

  for three-year terms and until their successors take office. Members are elected at

  large unless a different method of election has been approved by the voters in a regular

  election.
- \* Sec. 3. AS 29.20.300 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
- 14 (c) The governing body of a municipality may by ordinance alter the terms of

- 1 office provided for in (a) of this section.
- 2 \* Sec. 4. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).