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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Proposing that the Constitution of  
6 the State of Alaska be amended to  
7 enable borough assemblymen representing  
8 a first class city, or other class of  
9 city designated by law, to be elected  
10 by city voters rather than being ap-  
11 pointed by and from the city council.

12 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

13 \* Section 1. Sec. 4, art. X, Constitution of the State of Alaska is  
14 amended to read:

15 SECTION 4. ASSEMBLY. The governing body of the organized borough  
16 shall be the assembly, and its composition shall be established by law  
17 or charter. Each city of the first class, and each city of any other  
18 class designated by law, shall be represented on the assembly by one  
19 or more members of its council, or by assemblymen elected from and by  
20 the qualified voters of the city upon approval by the qualified city  
21 voters of an ordinance prescribed by law to authorize such direct  
22 election of assemblymen. The other members of the assembly shall be  
23 elected from and by the qualified voters resident outside such cities.

24 \* Sec. 2. The amendment proposed by this Resolution shall be placed  
25 before the voters of the state at the next statewide election in conformity  
26 with sec. 1, art. XIII of the Constitution of the State of Alaska and the  
27 election laws of the state.