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Referred: Community &
Regional Affairs and Judiciary

1 IN THE HOUSE BY FISCHER AND BEIRNE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 501

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to municipal elections."

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

8 * Section 1. AS 29.28.040 is amended to read:

9 Sec. 29.28.040. MAJORITY ELECTIONS. Unless otherwise provided
10 by ordinance or charter, if [IF] in a municipal election no candidate
11 receives in excess of 40 per cent of the votes cast for his respective
12 office, the assembly or council shall hold a runoff election within
13 two weeks from the date of certification of the election between the
14 two candidates receiving the greatest number of votes for the office.
15 Notice of a runoff election shall be published at least five days
16 before the election. The assembly or council may by ordinance require
17 a majority vote for election of officials. A runoff election or other
18 means of obtaining a majority may be used.
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