Mayor's Report For

July 15, 2020 Assembly Meeting

1. **COVID-19:** The Assembly appreciates the efforts made by Petersburg residents and current visitors to follow State directives and be respectful of each other. A link to all State directives and other COVID 19 information may be found on the Borough's website at www.ci.petersburg.ak.gov - click on the **COVID 19 Information Hub** box on the home page.

The CDC website shares the following regarding face coverings:

"Cloth face coverings may help prevent people who have COVID-19 from spreading the virus to others. Wearing a cloth face covering will help protect people around you, including those at higher risk of severe illness from COVID-19 and workers who frequently come into close contact with other people (e.g., in stores and restaurants). Cloth face coverings are most likely to reduce the spread of COVID-19 when they are widely used by people in public settings. The spread of COVID-19 can be reduced when cloth face coverings are used along with other preventative measures, including social distancing, frequent handwashing, and cleaning and disinfecting frequently touched surfaces."

- 2. Thank you to Petersburg's Retail Workers: The Borough Assembly wishes to recognize and thank all retail workers in Petersburg who risk their health to help the rest of our residents receive goods necessary for their comfort during the ongoing pandemic. You are sincerely appreciated!
- **3. Seeking Letters of Interest:** The Petersburg Borough is seeking letters of interest from qualified Borough residents to serve on the Parks & Recreation Advisory Board until the October 6, 2020 Municipal Election.

Parks & Recreation Advisory Board: 5 vacant seats

Letters of interest should be submitted to Clerk Thompson at the Borough offices located at 12 S. Nordic Drive; by sending to PO Box 329, Petersburg, AK 99833; or by emailing to dthompson@petersburgak.gov.