

**Mayor's Report
For
April 17, 2017 Assembly Meeting**

1. **Seeking Letters of Interest:** The Borough is seeking letters of interest from Petersburg residents willing to serve on the Hospital Board until the October 2017 Municipal Election:

Hospital Board – 2 vacant seats

Letters of interest may be addressed to the Borough Clerk and emailed to dthompson@petersburgak.gov, mailed to PO Box 329, Petersburg, AK 99833, or dropped off at the Borough Administration office at 12 S. Nordic Drive.

2. **Historic Preservation Commission:** The Borough is seeking letter of interest for 3 vacant seats on the Historic Preservation Commission:

Seat 1 is reserved for an Archaeologist or At Large member, and the term of this seat ends 12/31/2017.

Seat 2 is reserved for an Assembly Member with a term ending 12/31/2019.

Seat 3 is reserved for a Planning Commissioner with a term ending 12/31/2018.

Letters of interest may be submitted to the Borough Clerk as outlined earlier in this report.

3. **Southeast Alaska Power Agency Meeting:** Mayor Jensen attended a SEAPA Board meeting in Ketchikan last week.
4. **USCG Ketchikan Commissions Its First Fast Response Cutter:** Mayor Jensen was present for the USCG's commissioning of its first 154' FRC, the John McCormick, in Ketchikan. The vessel has a 24 member crew.
5. **Update on the OHV Initiative Petition Application:** Local resident Richard Burke has refiled a new initiative petition application. The Borough Attorney is currently reviewing the application.
6. **Fluoride Initiative Petition Application:** Local resident Holly Winji has filed an initiative petition application to place the question of whether to stop the addition of fluoride to Petersburg's water supply on the October, 2017 municipal election ballot.

7. **Work Session or Special Meeting to Review the Proposed FY 2018 General Fund Budget:** Finance Director Tow would like the Assembly to pick a day before April 26, 2017, that will work for either a work session or a special meeting to review the proposed FY 2018 General Fund budget. If a work session is chosen, no amendments to the proposed budget may be decided on by the Assembly during the review. Any desired amendments would need to be made during the first reading of the FY 2018 budget ordinance at the May 1, 2017 meeting. If a special meeting is chosen, amendments may be decided on by the Assembly during the review.