

**Mayor's Report
For
July 18, 2016 Assembly Meeting**

- 1. Seeking Letters of Interest:** The Borough is seeking letters of interest from Borough residents willing to serve on the following Boards and Commissions until the October, 2016 Municipal Election:

Hospital Board (1 vacant seat)
Planning & Zoning Commission (1 vacant seat)

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 in the PIA Building at 15 North 12th Street.

- 2. Filing for Candidacy for the October 4, 2016 Election:** The first day to file for candidacy for any open board, commission or Assembly seat in the October election is July 26, 2016. An election report with a list of open seats is provided by Clerk Thompson under Report of Other Officers on this agenda.
- 3. Seeking Community Input on State Dock Issue:** The State of Alaska has offered to transfer ownership of the Papke's Landing dock, the Kupreanof dock, and the Entrance Island dock to the Petersburg Borough along with a lump sum payment of \$732,883 toward deferred maintenance. Condition assessments were recently performed that estimates the cost to bring the Papke's Landing dock to a safe and usable condition at \$1,050,000 and \$1,395,000 for the Kupreanof dock. The Borough Assembly is seeking input from the community regarding acceptance or denial of the State's offer. A questionnaire on the issue is available for printing off the Borough's website (www.petersburgak.gov) or can be picked up at any Borough office, from the City of Kupreanof Clerk, or from the Papke's Landing Public Notice Board.
- 4. Appreciation for Coming Together:** Thank you to the citizens of Petersburg - everyone who responded to our recent tragedy with care and respect. We are a town that steps up when times are tough and takes care of each other. Together we are strong.