

North Star Community Council Resolution 2023-02: Boundaries of the North Star Community Council

Whereas the North Star Community Council is one of thirty-seven community councils in Anchorage.

Whereas the Municipality of Anchorage is currently reviewing the boundaries of community councils.

Whereas the “Guiding Principles” for reviewing potential boundary changes include the following:

1. Preserve existing boundaries unless there is a reason to change
2. Offer community council representation for each resident, landowner, and business
3. Set council boundaries that strengthen neighborhoods and natural boundaries
4. Use easily identifiable boundaries that are physical barriers between neighborhoods
5. Align boundaries with community desires and aspirations
6. Seek an optimal size range that facilitates citizen participation and self-determination
7. Select boundaries that are conducive for sharing information about the neighborhood

Whereas the North Star Community Council meets all seven of these Guiding Principles for Reviewing Potential Boundary Changes.

Whereas the North Star Community Council has been a highly functional community council with regularly-scheduled meetings, and with responsive elected leaders and informed members of the council.

Whereas the North Star Community Council has been quite successful in identifying problems in its neighborhood and advocating for solutions to those problems.

Now therefore let it be resolved that the members of the North Star Community Council ask that the boundaries of the council remain as bordering Chester Creek on the north, Seward Highway on the east, Fireweed Lane to the south and Minnesota Drive to the west.

Passed the Eighth Day of March, 2023 by a vote of 10 Yes, 0 No, and 0 Abstain.

Signed by:



Matt Johnson, NSCC President



Mark Butler, NSCC Vice-President

Date: March 8, 2023