



CITY of BETHEL

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COUNCIL WORK SESSION
OCTOBER 6, 1976

CITY OFFICE

12:00 P.M.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Peltola at 12:20 P.M.
Present: Guinn, Emery, Andrew, Alexie
Absent: Elliott, Pike

Bartlett - According to information from the Election Supervisor's Office in Nome, an individual must have been registered in the State of Alaska at least 30 days prior to a municipal election in order to be eligible for such an election. We have 14 question ballots in Precinct #1 and one question ballot from Precinct #2. The 15 names were called in to the Nome office and only five of those names were on the registration print-out. The remaining ten names either registered late or were not on the register for other reasons.

Peltola - The Council procedure at this time is to call out each of the ten names in question and either accept or reject their ballots.

M/M by Emery to reject the question ballots based on criteria as specified by the Election Supervisor's Office in Nome and subsequently verified by the City Office.

Voice vote was taken and was unanimous. Motion passed.

Peltola - Council must accept or reject the five names properly registered but not listed on the registration print-out received by Bethel, possibly because such individuals registered in the wrong precinct.

M/M by Emery to accept the five ballots registered but not on the registration print-out received by the City of Bethel.
Voice vote was taken and was unanimous. Motion passed.

Bartlett - There are nine absentee ballots and all have been verified as valid. The Council needs to open and tally these particular ballots and include the tally results with the question ballot results. The entire total (i.e., absentee and question tallies) should then be added to the tally results ascertained on October 5, 1976.

Alga C. Kneigak
City Clerk

Jim Peltola
Mayor