

Native Village of Eyak

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Native Village of Eyak 2026 Regular Tribal Council Election

Election Committee Letters of Interest

The Native Village of Eyak is soliciting letters of interest from the community for one (1) *Election Committee Chair* and two (2) *Election Committee Members* to serve as our 2026 Native Village of Eyak Regular Tribal Council Election. Voting shall be done by postal mail with one in-person voting day scheduled for Saturday, October 3, 2026.

Election Committee Requirements:

- Must be at least eighteen (18) years of age
- May not be a current member of the NVE
- May not have a family member who is currently a member of the Tribal Council or who plans to be a candidate in any Tribal election held during *Election Committee's* term of service

Election Committee Duties:

- Administer and conduct elections in a manner that will ensure fair and honest elections, using this Election Ordinance as controlling Tribal law.
- Review the election packet to ensure that it conforms to Election Ordinance and that it informs Tribal members without recommending candidates.
- Receive all Declarations of Candidacy and certify eligible candidates for Tribal Council with NVE Election Staff
- Receive, inspect, and distribute ballots.
- Hear all election contests and render a decision.
- Cross-check voter lists to detect or prevent fraud.
- Conduct recounts as necessary and if requested by one or more of the candidates for Tribal Council.

Deadline for Letters of Interest is Friday, May 8, 2026 by 5:00pm

Letters of interest may be submitted to Reyna Newirth, Senior Executive Assistant:

By mail: Native Village of Eyak, PO Box 1388, Cordova, AK 99574

By email: reyna@eyak-nsn.gov

By fax: (907) 424-7739

In-person: Native Village of Eyak Admin Office, 110 Nicholoff Way

By submitting and signing your letter of interest for consideration for the *Election Committee*, you attest that you understand and are able to meet all qualifications and commitments as outlined.

For questions, please feel free to contact us at (907) 424-7738 or stop by 110 Nicholoff Way.