## CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA

## ORDINANCE NO. 499

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2.20.010 (CREATION--OFFICERS--MEMBERSHIP) AND SECTION 2.20.040 (MEMBERSHIP TERMS) OF CHAPTER 2.20 (PLANNING COMMISSION) OF TITLE 2 (PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION) OF THE PALMER MUNICIPAL CODE.

THE CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA, ORDAINS:

<u>Section 1.</u> Classification. This ordinance shall be of a permanent nature and shall become a part of the City of Palmer Code of Ordinances.

<u>Section 2.</u> Severability. If any provisions of this ordinance, or any application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3. Section 2.20.010 (Creation--Officers--Membership) of Title 2 (Administration and Personnel) is hereby amended as follows:

2.20.010 Creation--Officers--Membership. A. There is created a city planning commission which shall consist of seven members who shall be nominated by the mayor and confirmed by the city council.

B. A chairman and vice chairman of the commission shall be selected annually and shall be appointed from and by the appointive members.

C. The mayor and the committee of the city council on planning and zoning shall serve as ex officio members of the commission and, as consultants, may attend all meetings, but they shall have no vote.

<u>Section 4.</u> Section 2.40.040 (Membership terms) is hereby amended as follows:

Section 2.40.040 Membership terms. The term of each appointed member of the commission shall be three years. The terms shall be staggered so that three members shall be appointed in October of every third year, and two members shall be appointed in October of each of the other two years of every such three-year period.

Section 5. Publication and Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption. Publication shall be by making copies available to the public, and further it shall be published by being printed and included in the Palmer Municipal Code at its next regular supplementation and printing. Publication may also be made by posting a copy hereof on the City Hall bulletin board for a period of ten (10) days following its adoption. A

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notice of public hearing shall be given by such posting at least five (5) days before final passage.

First Reading: Public Hearing & Second Reading:

May 6, 1996

May 14, 1996

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Palmer, Alaska, this 14th day of May, 1996.