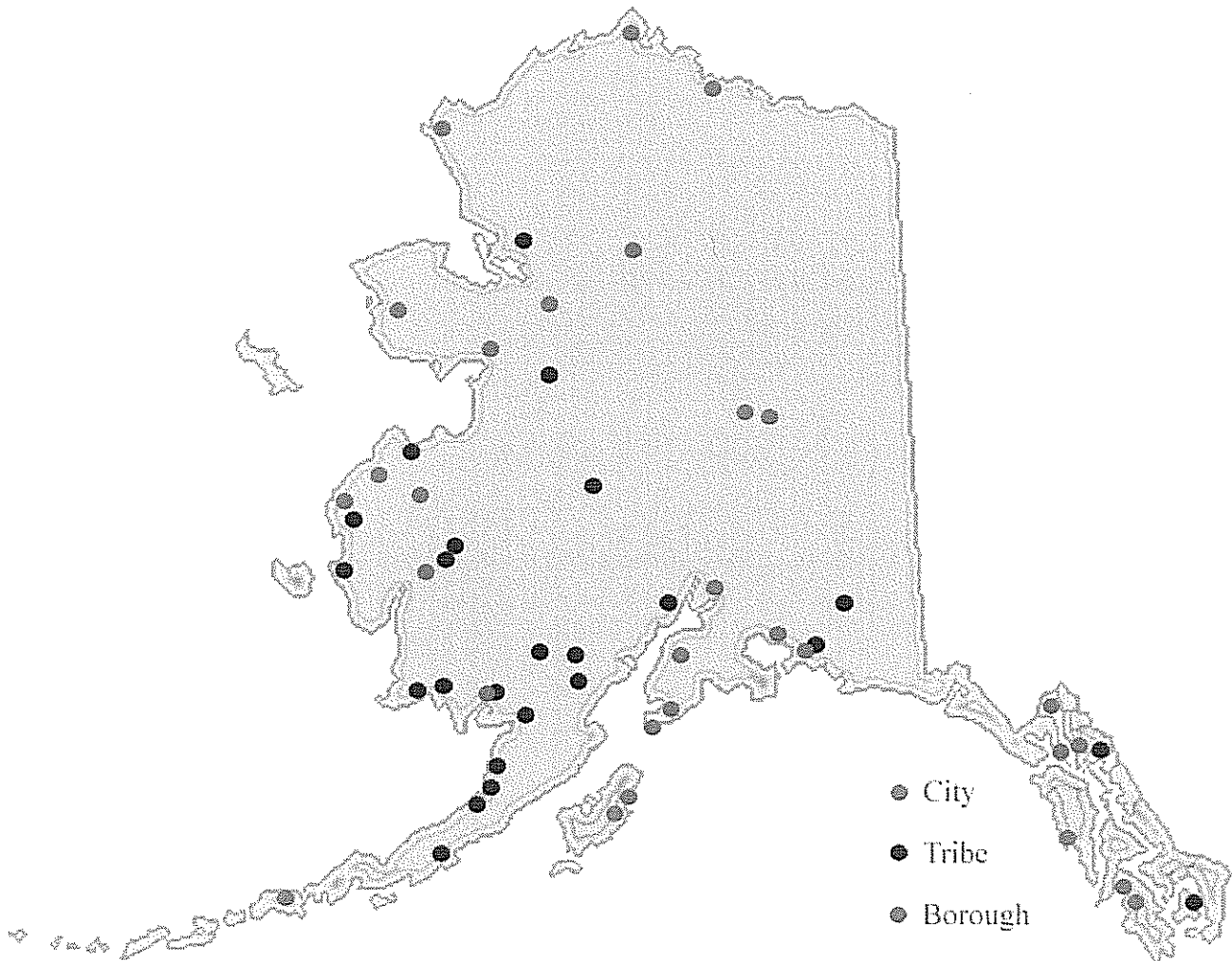


Alaskan Communities with Smokefree Policies



Akutan

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: all municipal-owned, leased, and/or operated buildings to be smokefree

Ambler

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in all places of employment, city-owned or occupied enclosed buildings, and public places including restaurants and bars. Reasonable distance is 25 feet.

Anchorage

Incorporation Type: Unified Home Rule Municipality

Policy Type: Municipality of Anchorage Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in all places of employment, including bars & restaurants, reasonable distance is defined at 20 feet from entry ways. Also included are smokefree hospital campuses with reasonable distance defined at 50 feet from entry ways.
Tax Information: \$1.30 Cigarettes (per pack); 45% Other Tobacco Products

Eagle River-Chugiak-Eklutna

Incorporation Type: Unified Home Rule Municipality

Policy Type: Municipality of Anchorage Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in all places of employment, including bars & restaurants, reasonable distance is defined at 20 feet from entry ways.

Tax Information: \$1.30 Cigarettes (per pack); 45% Other Tobacco Products

Girdwood

Incorporation Type: Unified Home Rule Municipality

Policy Type: Municipality of Anchorage Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in all places of employment, including bars & restaurants, reasonable distance is defined at 20 feet from entry ways.

Tax Information: \$1.30 Cigarettes (per pack); 45% Other Tobacco Products

Barrow

Incorporation Type: 1st Class City

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in enclosed public places, enclosed places of employment, vehicles and enclosed areas owned by or leased to the City of Barrow; and taxicabs regulated by the City of Barrow.

Tax Information: \$1.00 Cigarettes (per pack) 12% on Smokeless Tobacco Products

Bethel

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in enclosed public places, all places of employment. No reasonable distance is defined

Brevig Mission

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: Sales of tobacco to minors is not lawful. Any other tobacco policy is set by State and Federal guidelines, regulations, and policies.

Buckland

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all public places; includes an area surrounding the building within 50 feet of any entrance, exit, doorway, gate, or window. Smoking is prohibited in Bulk Fuel Storage areas at 150 feet.

Chenega Bay**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated**Policy Type:** Chenega IRA Council Resolution**Additional Information:** Resolution to prevent tobacco smoking within vehicles owned by the village Chenega IRA Council that contains minors.**Chevak****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Chevak Traditional Council Policy**Additional Information:** Policy prohibits the use of tobacco use (smoking, smokeless or spit including iqmik) for employees and non-employee visitors of Chevak Traditional Council. This includes no smoking in any Traditional Council vehicle and personal vehicles when transporting person(s) on official-authorized business unless MOA with Chevak Traditional Council. Designated smoking area will be located at least 20 feet from the main entrance of all facilities.**Chignik Lake****Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated**Policy Type:** Native Village of Chignik Lake Resolution**Additional Information:** Smoking is prohibited in all public places; includes workplace provision.**Chitina****Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated**Policy Type:** Chitina Traditional Indian Village Council Clean Indoor Air Ordinance**Additional Information:****Clark's Point****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Native Village of Clark's Point Resolution**Additional Information:** Smoking is prohibited in all public places; includes workplace provision.**Cordova****Incorporation Type:** Home Rule City**Policy Type:** City of Cordova Ordinance**Additional Information:** Ordinance describes 'careless conduct in smoking'. References made to flammable sparks, placement of lighted smoking materials, falling asleep with lighted smoking material, proper disposal of lighted smoking material (also includes reference to burning smidgens of tobacco from a pipe).**Craig****Incorporation Type:** 1st Class City

Policy Type: City of Craig Resolution

Additional Information: Resolution supporting the designation of a smoking area away from the bleachers and dug-outs at the Craig Ball Field.

Dillingham

Incorporation Type: 1st Class City

Policy Type: City of Dillingham Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in most public places, does not include bars; includes workplace provision. Reasonable distance from entryways is not defined in footage.

Policy Type: Curyung Tribal Council Policy

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited within Curyung Tribal Council buildings. Reasonable distance is not defined in footage.

Douglas

Incorporation Type: Unincorporated

Policy Type: Douglas Indian Association Policy

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all public places; includes workplace provision that allows smoking when defined by number of employees and certain type of business. Also, in vehicles owned by the City and Borough of Juneau, including the Juneau School District; and, commercial passenger vehicles regulated by the City and Borough. Reasonable distance is defined as 10 feet.

Tax Information: .30 per pack cigarette tax and 12% on all other tobacco products

Eek

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Eek Traditional Council Policy

Additional Information:

Egegik

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Egegik Tribal Council Resolution

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all public places including restaurants, business, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.

Ekwok

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City of Ekwok Resolution

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all public places. Resolution states that all public places of gathering and places of employment owned, operated or leased to the Ekwok City Council become tobacco-free.

Policy Type: Ekwok Village Council

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all public places. Resolution states that all public places of gathering and places of employment owned, operated or leased to the

Ekwok Village Council become smoke-free. Reasonable distance is defined as 50 feet from entrances.

Elim

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: No policy in place

Additional Information: Elim City Council had smoking policy in place at one time when the clinic leased space from them. When the clinic moved to new building the policy moved with them.

Fairbanks

Incorporation Type: Home Rule City

Policy Type: City Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in all enclosed public places with the City of Fairbanks. Also included is a smokefree workplace provision. Smoking is not regulated in: 30 rooms or 20% of hotel and motel rooms rented to guests (whichever is larger), retail tobacco stores, bars, restaurants, bingo halls and pull tab parlors, and any separate building which is totally enclosed and set aside for smokers by an employer which has a separate entrance which is 10 feet from entrances, etc.

Tax Information: 16% Tobacco tax (8% City/8% Wholesale price city/borough tax for all tobacco products)

Fairbanks Borough

Incorporation Type: Fairbanks North Star Borough

Communities: College, Eielson Air Force Base, Ester, Fox, Harding-Birch Lakes, Moose Creek, North Pole, Pleasant Valley, Salcha, and Two Rivers

Tax Information: 8% Wholesale price borough tax for all tobacco products

Gustavus

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City of Gustavus Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited throughout the workplace.

Haines

Incorporation Type: Haines Borough

Policy Type: Haines Borough Ordinance

Additional Information: There shall be no smoking in beds of hotels, motels, apartments or rooming houses, in dry-cleaning plants, or in areas where combustible materials are stored or handled.

Homer

Incorporation Type: 1st Class City

Policy Type: City of Homer Ordinance

Additional Information: Ordinance states, no person shall smoke any tobacco product and no person shall smoke any other substance in any public building owned or operated by the

City or of its departments. Included is language that reads in application to all motor vehicles or watercraft owned, rented, leased or used by the City Homer, or by any departments, council, commissions, or other agencies of the City. Reasonable distance is defined as 15 feet from entrances.

Hooper Bay

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City of Hooper Bay Policy

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited throughout the workplace as specified by Alaska Statute.

Policy Type: Sea Lion Corporation Policy – Hooper Bay

Additional Information: Smoking is not permitted in any Corporation owned or leased structure or vehicle. At all locations there is no smoking within 15 feet of any building entrance door or windows.

Ivanof Bay

Incorporation Type: Unincorporated

Policy Type: Native Village of Ivanof Bay Resolution

Additional Information: Bans and prohibits smoking in all public places in Ivanof Bay, includes restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, etc.

Juneau

Incorporation Type: Unified Home rule Municipality

Policy Type: City and Borough of Juneau Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking prohibited in enclosed public places, places of employment, vehicles and enclosed areas owned by the City and Borough of Juneau, including the Juneau School District, commercial passenger vehicles regulated by the City and Borough, bus passenger shelters, and private clubs that are licensed by the State of Alaska to sell alcoholic beverages or that offer food for sale, regardless of employees.

Tax Information: .30 per pack cigarette tax and 12% on all other tobacco products

Policy Type: Central Council Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska Policy

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited throughout the workplace.

Kenai

Incorporation Type: Home Rule City

Policy Type: City of Kenai Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited and is unlawful within all indoor eating establishments. Smoking is not regulated in bars, eating establishments while in use in their entirety for private functions; any patio or other area of an eating establishment which is entirely open to the sky.

Ketchikan

Incorporation Type: Home Rule City

Policy Type: Ketchikan Indian Corporation Policy

Additional Information: Smoking and use of all tobacco products is prohibited on KIC property and in tribally owned or leased vehicles. Additionally, use of tobacco for traditional blessings is permitted.

Klawock

Incorporation Type: 1st Class City

Policy Type: City of Klawock Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all public places. The ordinance is comprehensive. This ordinance would also apply to the eventuality of any new bar business in the future as well.

Koliganek

Incorporation Type: Unincorporated

Policy Type: Koliganek Village Council Resolution

Additional Information: Bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.

Kotlik

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Association of Village Council Presidents (AVCP) Policy

Additional Information: The Council of Kotlik having been compacted with AVCP follows the AVCP smoking policy. AVCP is a smoke-free organization. Smoking is not permitted in any AVCP facility or vehicle. Smoking may occur no less than 50 feet away from any AVCP facility. The President may designate an area where smoking may occur.

Koyuk

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City of Koyuk Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking is prohibited in all enclosed facilities within places of employment without exception. The policy covers the smoking of any tobacco products and applies to both employees and non-employee visitors to the City of Koyuk facilities. Reasonable distance is defined as 50 feet.

Policy Type: Native Village of Koyuk IRA Council Resolution

Additional Information: A resolution to have the public smoke at least 50 feet from public entry ways.

Kwethluk

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Organized Village of Kwethluk Policy

Additional Information: The Organized Village of Kwethluk is a tobacco-free work environment. No smoking or chewing is allowed at any time inside the Council buildings, offices, restrooms, or hallways.

Levelock**Incorporation Type:** Unincorporated**Policy Type:** Levelock Native Council Resolution**Additional Information:** Bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.**Matanuska-Susitna Borough****Communities:** Big Lake, Buffalo Soapstone, Butte, Chase, Chickaloon, Gateway, Glacier View, Houston, Knik River, Knik-Fairview, Lake Louise, Lazy Mountain, Meadow Lakes, Palmer, Petersville, Point Mackenzie, Skwentna, Susitna, Sutton-Alpine, Talkeetna, Tanaina, Trapper Creek, Wasilla, Willow, and Y.**Tax Information:** \$1.00 a pack excise tax on cigarettes and tobacco products**McGrath****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Tanana Chiefs Conference Policy**Additional Information:** Smoking and the use of smokeless tobacco are prohibited at all times and at all of its facilities and in its vehicles. The smoking and use of smokeless tobacco policy applies to employees, customers and visitors at all times while on TCC premises.**Mountain Village****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** City of Mountain Village per Alaska Statute**Additional Information:** Smoking is prohibited throughout the workplace as specified by Alaska Statute.**Napaskiak****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Napaskiak Tribal Council policy**Additional Information:** All Council buildings are considered "smoke free buildings". All employees will not use, or smoke tobacco or other drugs inside their workplace. It will also be the policy for the employees to inform customers that all Council buildings are declared "smoke free", that a designated smoking area is outside the building.**Nondalton****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Native Village of Nondalton Resolution**Additional Information:** Bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board. Smoking must take place 50 feet from entrances. Tribal Council will impose a fine of \$50.00 for any violation of this resolution.

Noorvik**Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Native Village of Noorvik Policy**Additional Information:** Smoking is not permitted in public areas, lobbies, and other locations that have been designated "non-smoking." Employees may smoke only in designated areas.**North Pole****Incorporation Type:** Home Rule City**Policy Type:** City of North Pole Ordinance**Additional Information:** The North Pole Police Department is a smoke free workplace. Smoking will not be allowed anywhere in the building or in a department own vehicle. Violations may subject the employee to progressive discipline. Members, when in uniform, may use tobacco as long as: a. they are not in uniform; b. they do not have to leave their assignment or post for the sole purpose of doing so; c. they are not engaged in traffic direction and control; d. they are not in direct contact with members of the public; e. they are in a designated smoking area; f. they are not in a city owned vehicle or building.**Nuiqsut****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** City of Nuiqsut Ordinance**Additional Information:** Pertains only to supplying minors under sixteen years; soliciting supply; and possession.**Nulato****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** Nulato Tribal Council**Additional Information:** NTC has instated a smoke free, tobacco free environment for all NTC offices and vehicles. The policy encourages a reduction in tobacco use and will reinforce the Nulato Tribal Council's commitment to teaching and modeling healthy choices. NTC activities will be tobacco free.**Nunam Iqua****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** City of Nunam Iqua Ordinance**Additional Information:** Prohibits smoking in public places and places of employment. Reasonable distance is not defined in footage. Smoking is not regulated in enclosed areas with ventilation system or in religious or cultural ceremonies.**Ouzinkie****Incorporation Type:** 2nd Class City**Policy Type:** City of Ouzinkie Ordinance**Additional Information:** Smoking is prohibited in all buildings and offices owned by the City of Ouzinkie at all times.

Pedro Bay

Incorporation Type: Unincorporated

Policy Type: Native Village of Pedro Bay Resolution

Additional Information: Pedro Bay Village Council bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.

Pilot Point

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Native Village of Pilot Point Resolution

Additional Information: The Native Village of Pilot Point bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.

Point Hope

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City of Point Hope Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking in any form is a nuisance and a public health hazard and is prohibited in public places within the city. The ordinance does have an exemption clause.

Port Heiden

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Native Council of Port Heiden Resolution

Additional Information: The Native Council of Port Heiden bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.

Port Lions

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: City of Port Lions Ordinance

Additional Information: Prohibits smoking in buildings and offices owned or leased by the City of Port Lions.

Policy Type: Port Lions Traditional Tribal Council Policy

Additional Information: The entire Port Lions Tribal building is a smokefree building.

Sitka

Incorporation Type: Unified Home Rule Municipality

Policy Type: City and Borough of Sitka

Additional Information: Smoking shall be prohibited in all enclosed public places within the City and Borough of Sitka. Smoking is also prohibited in all enclosed facilities within places of employment without exception. Reasonable distance is not defined in footage.

Policy Type: Sitka Tribe of Alaska Policy

Additional Information: No smoking is permitted in any STA facility.

Soldotna

Incorporation Type: 1st Class City

Policy Type: City of Soldotna Ordinance

Additional Information: Bans smoking in all indoor eating establishments within the City of Soldotna limits.

Togiak

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type: Native Village of Togiak Resolution

Additional Information: The Native Village Council of Togiak bans and prohibits smoking in all public places including restaurants, business establishments, village council buildings, city offices, places of employment, health care facilities, including school buildings under control of the state or and board.

Policy Type: Nunakauyak Traditional Council Policy

Additional Information: Smoking is not acceptable within the NTC premises wither outdoors or indoors.

Toksook Bay

Incorporation Type: 2nd Class City

Policy Type:

Additional Information:

Tyonek

Incorporation Type: Unincorporated

Policy Type: Native Village of Tyonek Policy

Additional Information: Prohibit smoking inside any of the NVT buildings and any vehicle used for NVT business.

Valdez

Incorporation Type: Home Rule City

Policy Type: City of Valdez Ordinance

Additional Information: Smoking shall be prohibited in all enclosed public places within the City of Valdez with some exceptions (bars, designated B&B and hotel smoking rooms, retail tobacco stores, and outdoor areas of places of employment). Smoking shall be prohibited in all enclosed areas within places of employment within the City of Valdez except a smoking break room shall be allowed for employees that has a well sealed door and is ventilated to the outside, providing, smoke does not enter prohibited areas. It cannot be a room in which employees are required to perform work related tasks.

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