

KETCHIKAN CHARTER COMMISSION

AGENDA STATEMENT

NO _____ F-1 _____

MEETING OF February 6, 2004

ITEM TITLE Suggested questions for a Commission mail-out survey SUBMITTED BY Brad Finney
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SUMMARY STATEMENT

At the last regular meeting of the Charter Commission, it was decided that a mail-out survey should be done as soon as possible in order to determine the public's feelings about the prior consolidation effort and what the public would like to see covered in this consolidation effort.

Attached are suggested questions for the proposed mail-out for Commission review and modification.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

"I move to format questions in substantially the same format to be included in a community-wide mail-out as soon as funding allows."

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SUGGESTED QUESTIONS:

1. Are you City or a rural resident?
 City Rural

1. Would you like the consolidated "Municipality of Ketchikan" to have the same boundaries as the existing Ketchikan Gateway Borough?
 Yes No

1. Would you like the existing rural service areas to remain within the "Municipality"?
 Yes No

4. In an effort to reduce the size of government, would you be in favor of "consolidating" the existing rural service areas into just two services areas, North and South of where the existing City services terminate?
 Yes No

5. In an effort to keep property taxes down, would you be in favor of one areawide sales tax instead of the existing 2_% Borough and 3% City sales taxes?
 Yes No