HAINES BOROUGH, ALASKA



ORDINANCE No. xx-xx-xxx

AN ORDINANCE OF THE HAINES BOROUGH AMENDING HAINES BOROUGH CODE TITLE 18 SECTION 18.60.020(H) TO CLARIFY THE TERMS OF TEMPORARY RESIDENCES

BE IT ENACTED BY THE HAINES BOROUGH ASSEMBLY:

Section 1. <u>Classification</u>. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and the adopted amendment shall become a part of the Haines Borough Code.

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

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

Section 4. <u>Purpose</u>. This ordinance amends Title 18 Section 18.60.020(H) to clarify the terms of temporary residences.

NOTE: **Bolded**/<u>UNDERLINED</u> ITEMS ARE TO BE ADDED STRIKETHROUGH ITEMS ARE DELETED

HBC 18.60.020 Specific approval criteria.

The following uses are subject to the preceding general criteria and these additional specific approval criteria:

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H. Temporary Residence. Persons desiring to place a temporary residence, or a trailer or mobile home outside of a mobile home or RV park for a temporary or interim occupancy <u>over 15 days</u>, shall apply for a temporary residence permit. Permits for seven days or less will be at no charge and will not require connection to or payment for public water and sewer. Temporary residences remaining over 30 days will require a land use permit and where applicable, the standard monthly water and sewer charges will be levied, except by prior arrangement with the borough. The intent of a temporary residence permit is to allow a temporary structure for residencial use. One trailer, RV or mobile home may be occupied during construction of a permanent residence. A temporary residence permit may be granted if all the following requirements are complied with:

<u>1. A trailer, RV or mobile home must be located as a temporary dwelling during the construction of a permanent residence on the same lot or parcel;</u>

2. A valid land use permit for the permanent residence must be in effect during the entire time that the temporary dwelling is located on the site;

<u>3. The temporary dwelling is connected to the sewage disposal system that will serve the permanent residence:</u>

4. The temporary dwelling must meet the same setbacks applicable to permanent structures;

5. Temporary residence permits may be granted for a period of one year. One six-month extension of the temporary residence/trailer permit may be granted by the planning commission as long as the developer is complying with all requirements. Any temporary residence, trailer, recreational vehicle or mobile home being occupied by a person must be connected to public water and sewer and may be required to connect to the local electrical service. Garbage disposal facilities are required. A minimum of one off-street parking space will be required for a temporary residence.

6. The area surrounding the temporary residence/trailer shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition-:

7. The Temporary dwelling must be removed at the end of the construction period.

Exception: a temporary residence permit may be granted for vacation purposes on private property located outside of a mobile home or RV park with the following conditions:

- 1. <u>Temporary residence permits may be granted for a period not to exceed 180 days in any 12-month period;</u>
- 2. <u>The temporary dwelling must be transported to a sanitary dump station as needed to empty gray</u> water and toilet waste tanks, be connected to public water and sewer if applicable, or be serviced by an approved DEC on-site wastewater system;
- 3. <u>The temporary dwelling must meet the same setbacks applicable to permanent structures;</u>
- 4. <u>The area surrounding the temporary residence/trailer shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition.</u>