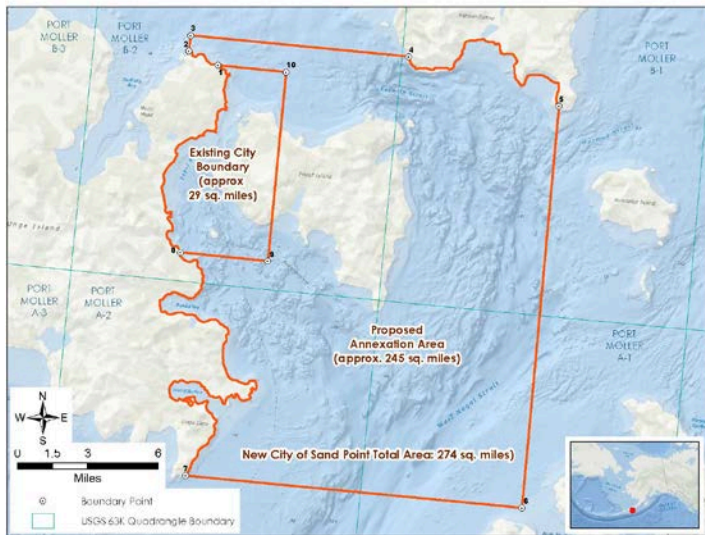


Notice of a Pre-Submission Public Hearing for a Petition to Annex to the City of Sand Point by the Legislative Review Method



A map of the territory proposed for annexation.

The City of Sand Point will conduct a public hearing on March 8, 2016, at 6:30 p.m. at Sand Point City Hall Council Chambers, 249 Main St., Sand Point, AK 99661.

The City of Sand Point (petitioner or city), a first class city in the Aleutians East Borough, intends to file an annexation petition by legislative review with the Local Boundary Commission. The petitioner's representative is Sand Point City Administrator Andy Varner. The territory proposed for annexation consists of approximately 245 square miles, including Popof Island, the eastern border of Unga Island, the southern border of Korovin Island,

and several small, uninhabited islands, all within Popof Strait, Korovin Strait, and a portion of West Nagai Strait.

Copies of the petition summary may be obtained free of charge, and the prospective petition and related documents (including a map) are available for public review, at Sand Point City Hall, 249 Main St., Sand Point, AK 99661, 8 – 5 p.m., M – F.

The public hearing will address the appropriate annexation standards and their application to the annexation proposal, legislative review annexation procedures, the reasonably anticipated effects of the proposed annexation, and the proposed transition plan required under 3 AAC 110.900.

Members of the public may comment during the public hearing. The comment time period may be limited to five minutes. Written comments may also be submitted to the city by the end of the hearing on March 8 by: **Mail:** City of Sand Point, Attention: City Administrator Andy Varner, P.O. Box 249, Sand Point, AK 99661; **Email:** avarner@sandpointak.org; **Fax:** (907) 274-3540. Questions can be directed to Andy Varner at the above contact information, or by phone at (907) 274-7561.

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