

Section 6.02 Recall

- (a) **Elected Officials Subject to Recall.** All elected public officials of the municipality are subject to recall by the voters of the municipality. Procedures and grounds for recall shall be as prescribed by state statutes and this charter.
- (b) **Petition.** Any five qualified municipal voters may commence recall proceedings by petition. The petition shall be signed by a number of qualified municipal voters equal to at least twenty per cent of the votes cast in the municipality at the preceding regular municipal election.
- (c) **Election.** There shall be an election on a recall petition within 40 days of the certification of the petition. If a vacancy occurs in the office in question after a recall petition is filed, the petition shall not be submitted to the voters.
- (d) **Subsequent Recall.** If an official is not recalled at the recall election, a petition to recall the same official shall not be filed sooner than one year after the recall election, unless grounds for recall occur subsequent to the date of the filing of the last recall petition.
- (e) **Filling of Vacancy.** If the voters recall an official the vacant office shall be filled in the manner prescribed by Section [2.05](#) of this charter.

The Home Rule Charter of the City and Borough of Sitka is current through October 3, 2023 election.

Disclaimer: The city and borough clerk's office has the official version of the Home Rule Charter of the City and Borough of Sitka. Users should contact the city and borough clerk's office for ordinances passed subsequent to the ordinance cited above.

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