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Mayor and Assembly Members  
Matanuska-Susitna Borough  
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Honorable Mayor and Assembly Members:

With this letter, I am tendering my resignation as Borough Attorney for the Matanuska-Susitna Borough to be effective at the end of business on March 31, 2006. It was my original intent to remain with the Borough for an extended period of time; however, personal issues have dictated a different course. My husband, Rusty, and I will be returning to the Lower 48 to be nearer our families and more employment opportunities for him. Frankly, it has been an extremely difficult decision for me. I am, however, certain it is the right one for our future.

With that said, I am leaving you in excellent hands. John and Nick are both very capable lawyers, and Amber and Karoline very able assistants. All of them are dedicated, hard-working employees, and I believe the Borough would be hard-pressed to find a more competent legal team. You have many challenges ahead of you, and they will be an asset to the Borough in successfully meeting those challenges.

I have indeed enjoyed my tenure with the Borough; it has been both challenging and rewarding. Thank you again for the opportunity to serve as Borough Attorney, and good luck in all your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

/s/

Teresa S. Williams

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Department Heads