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## ORDINANCE OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA

Serial No. 2025-06

### **An Ordinance Amending the City and Borough Code Relating to Criminal Offenses and Penalties.**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA:

**Section 1. Classification.** This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and shall become a part of the City and Borough of Juneau Municipal Code.

**Section 2. Amendment of Chapter.** CBJ 42.10 Offense Against Persons, is amended to add subsection 42.10.015:

#### **42.10.015 Assault in the presence of a child.**

(a) A person commits the crime of assault in the presence of a child, if the person commits an assault under CBJC 42.10.010 and the assault is a crime involving domestic violence, as defined in AS 18.66.990, with reckless disregard that, at the time of the assault, a child under 18 years of age is present in the dwelling, vehicle, or location where the assault occurs.

(b) In this section,

(1) "dwelling" is defined in AS 11.81.900, but does not include another unit in multi-unit housing;

(2) "present" means physically present or within sight or hearing of the assault.

(c) Assault in the presence of a child is a class A misdemeanor.

**Section 3. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall be effective 30 days after its adoption.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Beth A. Weldon, Mayor

Attest:

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Elizabeth J. McEwen, Municipal Clerk