



**District 8 Committee**  
**All Organized ARP Districts Invited**

**Special Meeting Agenda**

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 4:00 PM  
Paradiso's Restaurant, Kenai, Alaska

**Call to Order**

**Meeting Rules:** Open to registered Republicans, only ARP District Committee members may vote; no recordings, no press, silence cell phones

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Invocation**

**District 8 Roll Call & Establishment of Quorum**

**Approval of Agenda**

**Chairman Report** – Robert Wall

**Hearing on Request to Sanction and Censure U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski:**

**Complainants (3 min. each):** Heidi Covey

Anita Gordon

Wayne Ogle

**Defendant (9 min.):** U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski (declined)

**Questions:** In house and via Zoom (please state full name and District number)

**Closing remarks (2 min. each):** Complainant representative

U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski (declined)

**Motion to Approve Request to Sanction and Censure** (District 8 business only)

**Announcements**

**Member Comments**

**Next D8 Meeting:** Wednesday, March 12, 2025, 6:00 PM, at Paradiso's Restaurant, Kenai, AK. 6:00 PM

**Adjourn**

**Upcoming Events:** See Team Reach App (Code: Tuesday2023)

## **District 8 Chairman Report – Robert Wall**

On January the 30, 2025, I was presented with a formal written and signed complaint from three District 8 Republicans, who requested that the Alaska Republican Party separate itself from Senator Murkowski immediately and permanently sanction and censure U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski, declaring her ineligible for endorsement or support by the ARP or its affiliates in perpetuity, prohibiting participation in ARP events, and every other appropriate sanction not disallowed by ARP or RNC Rules.

According to ARP Rules Article VII, Section 2(b), I verified the three complainants are registered Republican constituents, and determined they provided proper grounds [Art. VII, Sec.1 (a), (f)] and reasons, including penalties, in writing. I then filed the request with the District Chairs of all the organized ARP districts represented by the official.

The Request was taken up at the next regularly scheduled District 8 Committee meeting on February 12, 2025. With unanimous consent, the District 8 Committee voted to continue with the process of hearing the charges.

On Monday, February 17, District 8 informed Senator Murkowski of the advancing proceedings via email, fax, and certified letter, and invited her to attend the scheduled hearing at 4:00 PM in Kenai on March 5, 2025. (Please note that this time period exceeded the required minimum 15-day notice as described in ARP Rules Art. VII, Sec. 3.) This result of District 8's business was also provided via email to all ARP District Chairs, Region Representatives, and the State Chair.

On Monday, February 24, Garrett Boyle, Chief of Staff Anchorage Office for Senator Murkowski called District 8 Chairman Wall and explained the Senior Senator would not be attending the hearing. Chairman Wall explained the ARP rule Sec. VII, and offered to reschedule the March 5<sup>th</sup> hearing to whenever was best for the Senator. Mr. Boyle contacted the Senator Murkowski the next morning, and she again restated her intent was not to participate at any time. Mr. Boyle also provided this response to Chairman Wall in writing, via email.

Today we will hear from the three complainants of District 8; each one will be given 3 minutes to address the hearing body. Following this, the hearing committee may ask questions (in person or via Zoom). Please first state your full name and District number. Time for questions and responses will be limited to 20 minutes. Complainants will be invited to make closing remarks. This will conclude the Hearing process.

In accordance with Art. VII, Sec. 4, the charges and penalties will be restated. District 8 Committee members will then proceed to vote to Approve or Deny the Request to Sanction and Censure U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski.

While District 8's action on this matter will be completed, each of the other organized Districts are required to consider and vote on the same Request (either at their own District meetings or by email, at the discretion of their District Chair). If Committee members were unable to attend via Zoom today, they may view the Zoom recording (link to be provided). The threshold for voting at each of the Districts is a majority vote of that District Committee.

**Each District shall email their meeting minutes, including the results of their vote to** (1) District 8 (the initiating district) at [dist8arp@gmail.com](mailto:dist8arp@gmail.com), and (2) the ARP State Office at [admin@alaskagop.net](mailto:admin@alaskagop.net). The ARP State Executive Committee shall confirm the procedures were followed, and shall honor, and not overrule, the decisions made by the Districts.