2026 ALASKA LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

7 Legislative Wins

Strengthening access, privacy, protection and accountability

ANDVSA
Alaska Network on Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault

PASSED AS A STANDALONE BILL

HB 48 | Civil Legal Services Fund

Increases the share of court filing fees directed to the fund from **10% to 25%**—an estimated **$370,000 more** for Alaska Legal Services.

SIX PRIORITIES INCORPORATED INTO THE OMNIBUS PUBLIC SAFETY BILL, HB 239

1 HB 62
Sexual Assault Examination Kits

Gives victims the right to information about the location and status of their kit and creates 10-, 20- and 120-day timelines.

2 HB 101
Crimes Against Minors

Extends protections to 16- and 17-year-olds, retains a close-in-age exception when the age difference is under six years, and strengthens penalties.

3 HB 242
Healthcare Workers

Removes the awareness restriction for sexual-assault charges involving healthcare workers.

4 HB 384
Victim Counseling Confidentiality

Adds tribal victim counseling centers and protects communications through confidentiality privilege.

5 SB 31
Address Confidentiality Program

Establishes an address confidentiality program to help protect the location of survivors and other eligible people.

6 SB 247
Child Sexual Abuse Material

Criminalizes possession or distribution of AI-generated or real-person-based obscene material involving children, with registration and employment/licensing consequences.

HB 48 and HB 239 both became law without the Governor's signature.

Measures incorporated into HB 239 are identified by their original bill numbers.