CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA

ORDINANCE NO. 512

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PALMER MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.20.040 (TO ALLOW NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES FROM GOVERNMENT AGENCIES UP TO \$20,000) AND AMENDING THE TITLE OF PALMER MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.20.050.

THE CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA, ORDAINS:

<u>Section 1.</u> Classification. This ordinance shall be of a permanent nature and shall become a part of the City of Palmer Code of Ordinances.

<u>Section 2.</u> Severability. If any provisions of this ordinance, or any application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3.20.040 is amended to read as follows:

- "3.20.040 Purchase of personal property. The city manager may purchase personal property only as authorized by the council upon competitive bids, except as follows:
- A. The city manager may purchase budgeted personal property in an amount not to exceed seven thousand five hundred dollars without council approval, competitive bid, signature by the city clerk, or approval by the city attorney.
- B. The city manager may purchase budgeted personal property in an amount not to exceed twenty thousand dollars from a government agency without council approval, competitive bid, signature by the city clerk, or approval by the city attorney.
- Section 4. The title to section 3.20.050 is amended to read as follows. The body of the section is not amended.

"3.20.050 Purchase of personal property--Bidding procedures."

Section 5. Publication and Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption. Publication shall be by making copies available to the public, and further it shall be published by being printed and included in the Palmer Municipal Code at its next regular supplementation and printing. Publication may also be made by posting a copy hereof on

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the City Hall bulletin board for a period of ten (10) days following its adoption. A notice of public hearing shall be given by such posting at least five (5) days before final passage.

First Reading:

February 11, 1997

Public Hearing &

Second Reading: February 25, 1997

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Palmer, Alaska, this 25th day of February, 1997.

THOMAS C. SMITH

City Clerk