

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

Introduced by: John Moosey, City Manager

Date: 2/22/2022

Action: Adopted

Vote: Unanimous

Yes:

No:

Mayor Carrington Melin Combs Daniels Best Valerius Anzilotti	
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CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA

Resolution No. 22-009

A Resolution of the Palmer City Council Authorizing the City Manager to Participate and Cooperate with Mat Su Local Governments in the Federal Building A Better America Grant Program

WHEREAS, The Building A Better America Grant Program was approved as a Bipartisan Infrastructure Law that permits local governments to compete for grant dollars to rebuild and reinvest in our communities; and

WHEREAS, twenty-five competitive infrastructure funding opportunities are not structured uniformly; and

WHEREAS, the local governments of the Matanuska-Susitna Borough are required to compete on a national level, and

WHEREAS, the Matanuska-Susitna Borough, the City of Houston, the City of Wasilla and the City of Palmer desires to work together for the betterment of our communities and to enhance the opportunities for successful grant awards, and

WHEREAS, we together have established four grant seeking priorities which are:

- A. Workforce development in partnership with private and public sector advancing technology skills to build a strong economy
- B. Affordable and Accessible Healthcare
- C. Long-term infrastructure plan that includes roads, ports, railroads, and airports
- D. Economic Development in the region

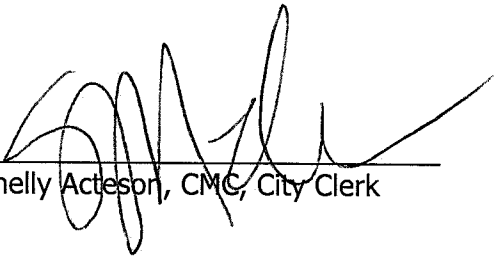
WHEREAS, infrastructure projects in the pre-development stage are:

- A. Water system expansion and connectivity,
- B. Airport expansion and improvement,
- C. Port MacKenzie Development
- D. Transportation system expansion

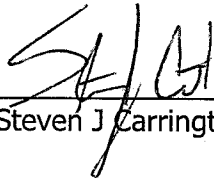
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Palmer City Council hereby, that our four entities are calling up Representative Don Young, Senator Lisa Murkowski and Senator Sullivan to assist us in successfully participating in the Federal Governments historically largest local community infrastructure opportunity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Palmer City Council hereby

Approved by the Palmer City Council this 22nd day of February, 2022.



Shelly Acteson, CMC, City Clerk



Steven J. Carrington, Mayor