

1 By: Bryce J. Ward, Mayor
2 Introduced: 07/23/2020
3 Adopted: 07/23/2020
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5 FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH

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7 RESOLUTION NO. 2020 – 30
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9 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION TO
10 THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, OFFICE OF ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENT FOR THE
11 DEFENSE COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM FOR THE CHENA LAKE
12 RECREATION AREA REVITALIZATION PROJECT
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14 WHEREAS, The Department of Defense (DOD), Office of Economic
15 Adjustment (OEA), under the Defense Community Infrastructure Program (DCIP)
16 provides grants to address deficiencies in community infrastructure supportive of a
17 military installation; and
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19 WHEREAS, The DCIP is making \$50 million available for projects “that will
20 enhance the military value, resilience, or military family quality of life at such military
21 installations” and are not located on a military installation; and
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23 WHEREAS, The OEA supported the Eielson Regional Growth Plan and the
24 Salcha-Badger Sub-Area Plan which recommend improving community knowledge and
25 access to recreation, trails, and facilities as well as creating and expanding available
26 infrastructure for regional parks, trails, and recreation areas as a way to improve quality
27 of life; and
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29 WHEREAS, The Fairbanks North Star Borough (Borough) is a military-
30 friendly community and has a long history of supporting and partnering with Eielson Air
31 Force Base (Eielson AFB) and Fort Wainwright; and
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33 WHEREAS, The FNSB operates the Chena Lake Recreation Area (CLRA)
34 which is centrally located between Eielson Airforce Base and Fort Wainwright and is
35 heavily used by Soldiers, Airmen, and their families; and
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37 WHEREAS, The commanders of Eielson AFB and Fort Wainwright support
38 the Chena Lake Recreation Area (CLRA) Revitalization Project application as a way to
39 improve quality of life for Service Members; and
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41 WHEREAS, The CLRA Revitalization is part of the Borough Capital
42 Improvement Plan (CIP) and is programmed to be predominantly funded by grants; and

43 WHEREAS, The DCIP grant would complete most of the elements of
44 Phases One, Two, Three, and Five of the CLRA Revitalization Project that are identified
45 in the CIP.

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47 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Assembly of the Fairbanks
48 North Star Borough supports the Mayor's submission of a grant proposal to the Office of
49 Economic Adjustment Defense Community Infrastructure Program for the Chena Lake
50 Recreation Area Revitalization Project.

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52 ADOPTED THE 23RD DAY OF JULY 2020.

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59 Christopher Quist
60 Presiding Officer

61 ATTEST:
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63 April Trickey, CMC
64 Borough Clerk

65 Yeses: Lojewski, Sanford, Cash, Williams, Tomaszewski, Lyke, O'Neill, Quist
66 Noes: None
67 Other: Cooper (Excused)