CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA PLANNING COMMISSION RESOLUTION 19-05

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA, SUPPORTING THE HARBOR FACILITY TIER 1 GRANT APPLICATION TO THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO RENOVATE THE SOUTH HARBOR

WHEREAS, the South Harbor is over 30 years old and has surpassed its intended design life; and

WHEREAS, the South Harbor Condition Assessment report done in 2016 by PND engineers states that the South Harbor float system was found to be in generally poor to serious condition with observed issues requiring immediate repair; and

WHEREAS, the report also noted that electrical, fire suppression, and water supply are not up to code; and

WHEREAS, this project is a priority of the Harbor Department and Harbor Commission, and appears on the City Council Capital Improvement Projects list; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Cordova passed a bond of five million dollars for the required grant match; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Cordova passed a .5% fish tax and harbor fees have been increased to repay the five-million-dollar bond; and

WHEREAS, the project supports the City's Comprehensive Plan's economic strategy: "Enhance the harbor and port facilities by: Maintaining the small boat harbor;" and

WHEREAS, City of Cordova's Planning Commission supports and encourages projects that enhance economic development and support the local industry in Cordova.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Planning Commission of the City of Cordova, Alaska hereby supports the Harbor Facility Tier 1 grant application to the Alaska Department of Transportation to renovate the South Harbor

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 7TH DAY OF MAY, 2019

ATTEST:

Fom McGann, Chair

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