## City of Cordova, Alaska PROCLAMATION OF APPRECIATION TO JAMES KACSH

I, Mayor Clay Koplin, do hereby issue this Proclamation of Appreciation to James Kacsh for his countless valuable contributions to the City of Cordova

**WHEREAS**, *James Kacsh* was initially elected by the citizens to City Council Seat G in March 2007, then appointed by the City Council to continue in Seat B for a one year term in March 2010, elected again by the citizens in March 2011 to City Council Seat B and subsequently elected as **Mayor of Cordova** at the March 2013 General Election; and

**WHEREAS**, *James Kacsh* worked tirelessly as the Council representative to the School Board and then the Parks and Recreation Commission and then as a member of the Community Health Services Board; and

**WHEREAS**, *James Kacsh*, in his Mayoral tenure championed efforts that led to the completion of the Cordova Center, fought hard for school funding, advocated for the commercial fisheries, endeavored to promote a diversified economy for Cordova and doggedly persisted in his advocacy for adequate Alaska Marine Highway Service for Cordova.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE, IT PROCLAIMED** that the Mayor, the City Council members and citizens of Cordova do hereby express their sincere appreciation to *James Kacsh* for the selfless devotion of his time and effort while serving as City Council member, Parks and Recreation Commission member, City Council representative to the Cordova School Board, Health Services Board member and then as the esteemed **Mayor of the City of Cordova, Alaska**.

**BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED** that all who shared the table with him will forever be grateful for *James Kacsh's* pleasant demeanor, his attitude of helpfulness and his supportive encouragement and appreciation for council members and staff members of the City of Cordova, Alaska.

Signed this 1st day of June, 2016

Clay R. Kopley

Clay Koplin, Mayor