CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
ORDINANCE 1064

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA,
ALASKA, ADOPTING AN EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN (EOP)

WHEREAS, the City of Cordova EOP describes the process that will be used to
manage the mitigation of, preparation for, response to, and recovery from natural and man-
made disasters and emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the EOP is intended to meet disaster/emergency planning requirements
for all federal, state, and city agencies having jurisdiction over such matters and shall be used
as a reference and training guide for Cordova government, corporate and business leaders,
emergency managers, and responders to ensure their efficiency, effectiveness, and timeliness; and

WHEREAS, the EOP will be activated whenever there is a disaster or emergency of
sufficient proportions to potentially threaten human health or safety, property, or the
environment in or near Cordova, Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the EOP identifies the Cordova Incident Management Team (IMT) that
will manage disaster relief forces and operations, and contains a series of checklists that serve
as incident action guides and delegate responsibility for each checklist task; and

WHEREAS, Cordova leaders and officials present in the community when an
incident threatens or occurs will use this plan to act on behalf of the community; and

WHEREAS, the EOP is considered a living document and shall be continuously
updated and revised by the Emergency Management Coordinator to reflect lessons learned
during drills or actual incidents.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska, that:

Section 1: the City Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska, hereby adopts the City of
Cordova Emergency Operations Plan. This plan shall remain in effect without regard to any
subsequent change of incumbents in the offices of Mayor, City Council and City Manager
until it is revised or rescinded pursuant to Emergency Operations Plan procedures.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be effective thirty (30) days after its passage and
publication. This ordinance shall be enacted in accordance with Section 2.13 of the Charter of
the City of Cordova, Alaska and published in the Cordova Times, a newspaper of general
circulation, within ten (10) days of its passage.

1st reading: March 12, 2010
2nd reading and public hearing: March 31, 2010
PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 31ST DAY OF MARCH, 2010

James Kallander, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lila J. Koplin, CMC, City Clerk