CITY OF CORDOVA ALASKA
RESOLUTION 01-11-06

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
SUPPORTING THE NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY PROGRAMS TO BENEFIT COPPER
RIVER HIGHWAY RESIDENTS, VISITORS, AND RECREATIONALISTS.

WHEREAS: The City Council is a duly elected governing body of the City of Cordova,
authorized to act by and on behalf of its citizens, and

WHEREAS: The Scenic Byways Program is a national designation which is approved and
appointed on a qualified travel corridor, and

WHEREAS: This designation carries the qualifications to apply for funding that could be
utilized to improve transportation facilities, promote culture, interpret history, convey information
about forest management, and share unique characteristics of the Copper River Highway, and

WHEREAS: Benefits of the Scenic Byway Program includes enhanced educational and
interpretive opportunities for residents and visitors about the history, nature and culture of the area,
ranging from early native culture through traditional gathering practices; commercial fishing; sport
fishing; mining; logging; and recreation, to present day forest management activities; improved
eligibility for federal grants to develop and implement proper corridor management; marketing and
interpretive plans; assistance in managing and marketing the highway corridor for Byway
volunteers and organizers; enhancement of local businesses and government agencies; development
of new or enhanced existing facilities along the corridor and in communities through funding
sources tied with the Scenic Byway designation, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Cordova,
Alaska accepts and supports The Copper River Highway, in Cordova, Alaska, to proceed with
nomination to the Scenic Byways Program.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 19TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2011.

James Kallander, Mayor

ATTEST:

Susan Bourgeois, City Clerk