

**CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA  
SUBSTITUTE RESOLUTION 02-14-10**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA,  
ALASKA, SUPPORTING DEVELOPMENT OF A PWS TANNER CRAB  
MANAGEMENT PLAN BY 2015, TO BE DISCUSSED AT THE STATEWIDE  
KING AND TANNER CRAB BOARD OF FISH MEETING IN ANCHORAGE  
MARCH 17-21, 2014**

**WHEREAS**, based on Alaska Department of Fish and Game survey data, crab stocks in Prince William Sound appear to be on the rebound; and

**WHEREAS**, commercial fishing is an integral part of Cordova's economy; and

**WHEREAS**, twenty-seven years have elapsed since Prince William Sound has had a commercial crab fishery; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Cordova, its businesses and citizens would benefit greatly from the economic activity surrounding a commercial crab fishery.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the City Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska does hereby strongly support development of a PWS Tanner Crab Management Plan by the Alaska Department of Fish and Game so as to enable commencement of a crab fishery in 2015.

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 19<sup>th</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2014.**



  
James Kacsh, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk