

**CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
RESOLUTION 03-15-12**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA,
CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON TUESDAY, MAY 12,
2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY
A PROPOSITION AMENDING ARTICLE III SECTION 9 OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA
CHARTER TO APPLY THAT CHARTER SECTION TO ALL CITY-OWNED
HEALTHCARE FACILITIES, PERMIT CITY COUNCIL TO GOVERN MANAGEMENT OF
CITY-OWNED HEALTHCARE FACILITIES BY ORDINANCE, AND ELIMINATE THE
REQUIREMENT FOR A SEPARATE HEALTHCARE FACILITIES SERVICES BOARD**

WHEREAS, Article III, Section 9 of the City of Cordova Charter provides that healthcare facilities operated by the City of Cordova (“City”), including the hospital, shall constitute, or be a part of, an administrative department and that these facilities shall be under the administrative supervision and control of a board established by ordinance and appointed by the Council; and

WHEREAS, it is in the City’s best interest to expand the options available to City Council to govern healthcare facilities owned by the City in order to ensure public access to quality healthcare and the availability of alternative management structures for all City owned healthcare facilities; and

WHEREAS, City Charter Section 10-9 provides that the council by resolution shall call a special election, and submit questions to the voters at the special election when it is called or later; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT

Section 1. A special election in and for the City is called for Tuesday, May 12, 2015, at which there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the City (i) a proposition amending Article III Section 9 of the City Charter to apply City charter to all City-owned healthcare facilities, permit City Council to establish management of City-owned healthcare facilities by ordinance and to eliminate the requirement for a separate board managing City owned healthcare facilities, and (ii) other matters to be determined by the Council.

Section 2. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to prepare for and conduct the special election in accordance with the City Charter and Code.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2015





Jim Kacsh, Mayor

ATTEST:



Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk