CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA RESOLUTION 03-19-09

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA OPPOSING THE INCORPORATION OF THE PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND BOROUGH AS DISCUSSED IN 2018-2019, AND STAYING THE DUTIES OF THE PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND BOROUGH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, The City of Cordova has participated in a feasibility study regarding the incorporation and formation of a home rule borough called "the Prince William Sound Borough ("PWS Borough")" which could include any combination of or all the following cities: Cordova, Girdwood, Valdez, Chenega, Tatitlek, and Whittier; and

WHEREAS, City Council created the Cordova PWS Borough Advisory Committee to participate in and provide recommendations regarding the formation of the PWS Borough as proposed and discussed among interested parties in 2018-2019; and

WHEREAS, the PWS Borough Advisory Committee found that the Borough is financially feasible and may have benefits for the City and its citizens, but could not definitively determine that the Borough would be advantageous for Cordova as it relates to non-financial, complex issues; and

WHEREAS, it is in the City's best interest to preserve City resources until PWS Borough sponsors have an opportunity to address the City's outstanding questions.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

Section 1

- A. The City shall not expend any additional resources to participate in or fund any effort by any association or group to promote, develop or support the formation and incorporation of the PWS Borough as proposed and discussed among interested parties in 2018-2019; and
- B. Cordova City Council opposes the formation and incorporation of the PWS Borough as discussed among interested parties in 2018-2019; and
- C. The duties of the PWS Borough Advisory Committee are stayed. The PWS Borough Advisory Committee shall resume its duties under Resolution 09-18-26 if the City Council determines it is necessary at a later point in time.

Section 2

Resolution 09-18-26 is repealed to the extent it contradicts this resolution.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 6th DAY OF MARCH 2019

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ATTEST:

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