

**CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
RESOLUTION 05-21-21**

**RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
SUPPORTING THE COORDINATED PROVISION OF MEDICAL CARE BY THE
NATIVE VILLAGE OF EYAK AND THE CORDOVA COMMUNITY MEDICAL CLINIC**

WHEREAS, the Native Village of Eyak's (NVE) Ilanka Health Center (IHC) has been providing high quality medical services to Cordova residents and visitors for decades; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cordova's Cordova Community Medical Clinic (CCMC) has also been providing high quality medical services to the Cordova residents and visitors for decades; and

WHEREAS, during the COVID-19 Pandemic, it was proven that coordinated services between CCMC and IHC can occur successfully and comprise all local providers including the State of Alaska Public Health Nurse and Sound Alternatives; and

WHEREAS, this positive collaboration was documented and recognized by the Alaska Municipal League with the 2020 Award for Distinguished Municipal Leadership received by the community in December of 2020; and

WHEREAS, many of the medical services provided by CCMC and IHC may be more efficiently and conveniently provided to Cordova residents and visitors if Native Village of Eyak and the City of Cordova coordinate medical care and services.


NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

Section 1.

A. City Council hereby expresses its support for coordinated medical care by the City of Cordova and the Native Village of Eyak and acknowledges that a cooperative approach to medical care may increase access, quality, and affordability in the medical services provided within the City.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 5th DAY OF MAY 2021.





Clay R. Koplin, Mayor

ATTEST:



Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk