

**CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA  
RESOLUTION 01-23-01**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA, ADOPTING  
AN ALTERNATIVE ALLOCATION METHOD FOR THE FY23 SHARED FISHERIES  
BUSINESS TAX PROGRAM AND CERTIFYING THAT THIS ALLOCATION METHOD  
FAIRLY REPRESENTS THE DISTRIBUTION OF SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OF FISHERIES  
BUSINESS ACTIVITY IN FMA 15: PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND**

**WHEREAS**, AS 29.60.450 requires that for a municipality to participate in the FY21 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program, the municipality must demonstrate to the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development (DCCED) that the municipality suffered significant effects during calendar year 2021 from fisheries business activities; and

**WHEREAS**, 3 AAC 134.060 provides for the allocation of available program funding to eligible municipalities located within fisheries management areas specified by DCCED; and

**WHEREAS**, 3 AAC 134.070 provides for the use, at the discretion of DCCED, of alternative allocation methods which may be used within fisheries management areas if all eligible municipalities within the area agree to use the method, and the method incorporates some measure of relative significant effect of fisheries business activity on the respective municipalities in the area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Cordova City Council proposes to use an alternative allocation method for allocation of FY22 funding available within the Prince William Sound Management Area in agreement with all other municipalities in this area participating in the FY23 Shared Fisheries Business Tax Program.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska, by this resolution certifies that the following alternative allocation method fairly represents the distribution of significant effects during 2021 of fisheries business activity in the Prince William Sound Management Area.

**ALTERNATIVE ALLOCATION METHOD:** All eligible communities in the Prince William Sound Fisheries Management Area (Whittier, Valdez, and Cordova), FMA 15, will receive an equal share of the available funds.

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 1<sup>st</sup> DAY OF JANUARY 2023**



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David Allison, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk