

**CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA  
RESOLUTION 04-23-12**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA SUPPORTING THE  
2023 PORT INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (PIDP) GRANT APPLICATION FOR  
THE “CORDOVA NORTH HARBOR EFFICIENCY AND RESILIENCY PROJECT”**

**WHEREAS**, the project was publicly vetted through Harbor Commission and Planning Commission who voted in support of the concept; and

**WHEREAS**, the project would repair the sloughing of Breakwater Ave, the main freight artery connecting to the north harbor, through construction of a sheet piled bulkhead; and

**WHEREAS**, the bulkhead will, allow for relocating parking and pedestrians off of Breakwater Ave reducing congestion and user conflicts; and

**WHEREAS**, construction of a floating fuel dock will improve efficiency within the fishing fleet by increasing the number of available fuel pumps, reducing travel time to fuel up, improving safety for smaller vessels by offering a protected area for fueling, and reducing potential negative environmental impacts via a modernized fuel float with built-in fuel catchment in the event of a spill; and

**WHEREAS**, the project would create an off-street multimodal connection between north and south harbor which increases freight efficiency on city streets, and improves pedestrian safety and quality of life; and

**WHEREAS**, additional cranes will improve harbor efficiency for loading and unloading boats and freight vehicles, and relieving congestion at the limited number of existing cranes; and

**WHEREAS**, doubling the laydown area, providing truck staging areas, and installation of a 5-ton crane will increase efficiency by creating a working waterfront where multiple users can work simultaneously thereby reducing delays; and

**WHEREAS**, the project will decrease the harbor’s environmental impact through LED lighting upgrades, and installation of a modern stormwater system with oil water separators; and

**WHEREAS**, the project will increase north harbor user safety and decrease City liability by installing up-and-out safety ladders and mobile fire suppression equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the project will increase large-vessel convenience and efficiency by installing high-voltage shore power at the City Dock.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska, supports the 2023 PIDP North Harbor Modernization Project grant application and concept.

**PASSED AND APPROVED ON THE 19<sup>th</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2023.**



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David Allison, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk