Chugach State Park Citizen's Advisory Board Resolution

STATE of ALASKA: At the regular meeting of the Chugach State Park Citizen's Advisory Board held in Room # 240 of the Robert B. Atwood Building, Anchorage, Alaska on the Nineteenth Day of December 2011, at 6:00 P.M.

WHEREAS the Wallace Brothers Mountain Subdivision and Swiss Alps Subdivision, in Section 32, T15N, R 1W, SM, (the properties) are mostly surrounded by Chugach State Park, which are capable of providing excellent access opportunities to the Park, and are suitable for a wide range of recreational activities, and

WHEREAS the highest and best use of the properties is to be retained for the use of the community and its posterity, and not restricted from public use by private development, and to reduce the impacts of trespassing on private property, and

WHEREAS the Municipality of Anchorage has the capability of acquiring the properties through its capital improvement projects program as a benefit to the Anchorage community, and

WHEREAS the Municipality of Anchorage has a Memorandum of Understanding with Chugach State Park for development, maintenance and operation of certain Municipal property as part of Chugach State Park, and;

WHEREAS the properties are most appropriately developed, maintained and operated by Chugach State Park administration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chugach State Park Citizen's Advisory Board hereby recommends acquisition of the properties by the Municipality of Anchorage through its capital improvements program, contingent upon development of a Memorandum of Understanding between the Municipality of Anchorage and Chugach State Park for the development, maintenance and operation of the properties by Chugach State Park for the benefit of our community and the State of Alaska.

On motion of Peter Panarese, seconded by Ron Lurk, the members of the Chugach State Park Citizen's Advisory Board unanimously voted to approve this resolution.

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Chair, Chugach State Park Citizen's Advisory Board