

**CITY OF CORDOVA ALASKA
RESOLUTION 12-10-64**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
SUPPORTING INCREASED PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR ARTS/HUMANITIES IN
ALASKA COMMUNITIES.**

WHEREAS, the arts/humanities are often overlooked in terms of the benefits they provide to communities; and

WHEREAS, public support is important because it formally recognizes the value to citizens; and

WHEREAS, the arts/humanities are vital contributors to economic development and prosperity for the state of Alaska in general, and to communities and families in particular; and

WHEREAS, the arts/humanities provide jobs, expand the tax base and also enrich the lives of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, public support for arts/humanities enhances community development, promotes cultural planning, stimulates business development, spurs urban renewal, attracts new businesses and improves the overall quality of life in our communities; and

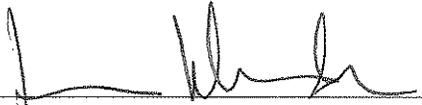
WHEREAS, public support of the arts/humanities enhances tourism that plays an increasing role in the economic growth of travel and tourism and community revitalization; and

WHEREAS, public support for prevention and intervention programs often center on art, recreation and education have proven successful at reducing juvenile crime and enhancing academic performance among youth at risk.

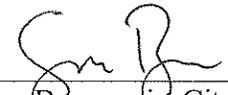
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Cordova, Alaska recognizes the vital role the arts/humanities play in our economy and lives, and encourages all Cordovans to strengthen their support for the arts/humanities.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 2010.




James Kallander, Mayor

ATTEST:


Susan Bourgeois, City Clerk