CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
RESOLUTION 06-11-31

A RESOLUTION OF CORDOVA CITY COUNCIL IN SUPPORT OF THE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOLS GRANT EFFORTS

WHEREAS, the Cordova School District has been working on the Safe Routes to Schools Grant for the past 24 months with State and Federal agencies; and

WHEREAS, the Cordova City Council recognizes the need for safe routes for our school age children to walk/ride bicycles to school on a regular basis; and

WHEREAS, the Cordova City Council realizes that as motorized vehicle traffic increases around our schools by encouraging biking and walking, safety will be improved; and

WHEREAS, by developing safe routes to schools we can address the growing concern surrounding obesity of our student population by providing another means of rigorous physical activities such as walking or riding a bicycle to school; and

WHEREAS, with the second half of the grant about to be fully funded ($500,000 total), the Cordova City Council is in full support of additional sidewalks and new elevated crosswalks on Adam's Street (a City street) and Lake Avenue (a State road).

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cordova City Council supports the efforts of the Cordova School District to obtain grant funding to this point, and accepts responsibility from this point forward in scheduling necessary work to see the project fully implemented.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 28th DAY OF JUNE, 2011

CITY OF CORDOVA CORPORATE SEAL JULY 8, 1909 ALASKA

James Kallander, Mayor

ATTEST:

Susan Bourgeois, City Clerk